

# Transition to school

## Supporting your children in their transition to TLA

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### April 2023

#### **Offers made on 17th April , Welcome letter to all new starter families sent and Tapestry consent forms issues**

Welcome to TLA letters sent to all new starters, including dates for parents/carers information afternoons, family picnic event and Preschool and Nursey visits.

Your child's preschool or nursery setting plays an important role in the successful transition to a new school and we value their support greatly. To support with this, a simple eBook will be sent home and to your child's setting, along with an 'Transition to TLA' Document for them to complete.



### June and July 2023

#### **Parents and Carers meeting and visits to Preschool and Nurseries will begin**

The Welcome meeting on 20th June will be an opportunity for Parents/Carers to visit school, meet the team and explore the learning environment. We will answer questions and be available for any support. You will receive a quick look guide to staffing to support you and your child.

Preschool and Nursery visits will also begin and we will endeavour to visit your child in their setting. Your child will receive an 'I met my teacher today' certificate after this meeting has taken place and a note will be uploaded to Tapestry.



### July 7th 2023

#### **Family Picnic Day**

Another opportunity to join the team for a relaxed picnic in our outdoor learning area. 12-1:30pm with food provided and an chance for your child to explore their new learning space. Your child will also receive a goody bag ready for the summer holidays.



### July 10th-13th 2023

#### **Stay and Play**

These sessions are for your child to visit school at the same time as other new starters and explore their setting independently. You will be able to sign up for these sessions at the Welcome Meeting in June.



### September 4th-8th 2023

#### **Home Visits**

Two members of the EYFS Team will visit your family in your home at a pre-arranged time. This visit is relaxed and informal, often sharing stories about the summer holidays, allowing the child to see the developing relationship between school and home. This is a supportive visit to ease any concerns and welcome you to the TLA family.