

Kings Road  
EYFS

September Nursery Intake Meeting  
July 2024

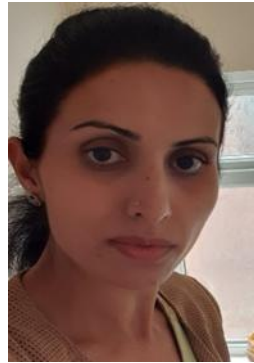


# The team

Miss Hodges - Assistant Head for EYFS



Mrs Connery



Mrs Ali



Mrs Anderson



Mrs Khan



# 2024 Intake

- 1 full time class for 26 eligible children
- 2 part time classes of 15 hours split into morning and afternoon sessions
- 26 places in the morning and 26 places in the afternoon.
- For some eligible Full Time children we have offered 30 hours in our Part Time class.



# Attendance

- We do not offer a flexible timetable for any of the Nursery classes.
- If you opt for a full time place your child will be expected to be in school full time for 5 days.
- The same applies for attendance on a part time basis. Your child will be expected to attend the morning session if allocated or the afternoon session if allocated.



# Taster Sessions

- You will soon receive an email invite to join a Nursery 2024 Dojo page. Please ensure you download the app and connect to this class as this is where further information will be announced. Please ensure your notifications are on so you are made aware of any posts.
- We are having a taster session in July for your child to attend. For PM Nursery this will take place on the afternoon of Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July - you will have been notified of your time on email.
- For AM this will take place on the morning of Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July - you will have been notified of your time on email.
- For FT, some children will come on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> PM and some will come on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> AM You will have been notified on email of your child's specific time.



# Home visits and Settling in

- All children who are new to Kings Road will receive a home visit taking place within the first week of school in September. You should have indicated your availability already on the online form. You will receive a specific time and date from your class teacher on Dojo in the next couple of weeks.
- Children do not start their full Nursery sessions straight away in September. They will all complete a short phased entry. This phased entry timetable will be sent to you on dojo in the next couple of weeks. Individual transition needs of children can be discussed with the class teacher.



# Our EYFS

- Recognises the importance of play
- Gives flexibility to plan for interests
- Encourages parents and practitioners to work together
- Indoor & outdoor learning environment
- The seven areas of learning



# The School Day

- Full-time Nursery - 8.30am - 3.15pm Monday-Friday.
- Morning Nursery - 8.30am - 11.30am Monday - Friday
- Afternoon Nursery - 12.30pm - 3.30pm Monday - Friday



# The School Day

- The side gate is opened at 8.30am for both Morning and Full-time Nursery. For afternoon Nursery the gate is opened at 12.30pm.
- Initially, in the Autumn Term, Parents are encouraged to help their child at their peg and then say their goodbyes. This helps the children settle more quickly into Nursery. We will introduce a more 'open door policy' in the Spring Term so you can be involved in what your child is doing in Nursery.
- At 8.50am/12.45pm the door will be closed and we kindly ask that any remaining parents say goodbye and leave. The register is taken at 9am/12.50pm. The side gate is closed at 9.10am/1pm. If you arrive after this time you will need to come in through the main school office and your child will receive a late mark in the register.



# The School Day

- For Morning Nursery, pick up time is 11.30am. The side gate will be opened at 11.30am and closed again at 11.40am. If your child hasn't been collected by this time you will need to collect them from the main office.
- At the end of the day the side gate is opened at 3.10pm. Pick up time for Full-Time Nursery is 3.15pm. For Afternoon Nursery it is between 3.15pm and 3.30pm. If your child has not been collected by 3.30pm you will need to collect them from the main office.
- It is really important that your child attends school on time everyday. However, if your child is unwell and unable to attend Nursery, please contact the school office before 8.30am and let them know. Please do this on each day your child is absent.
- We kindly ask that you make every effort to collect your child on time. Late collections can cause distress for your child and impacts on staff members teaching/meeting commitments.



# Lunchtime in Full Time Nursery

- Lunchtime supervision is in addition to the 30 funded hours offered to eligible families. There is a charge of £15 per week per child to be paid half termly in advance via your child's Evolve account. Full payment of £15 per week is required regardless of whether your child is in school or not.
- All children attending for 30 hours need to bring a packed lunch from home.
- Please remember that we are a healthy school and encourage our families to be mindful of this when providing lunches. Grapes must be sliced length ways.
- Please ensure your child brings their packed lunch in a lunch box or a disposable bag. Please do not put packed lunches in the school bag with the reading books.
- You can choose to take your child home for lunch and bring them back in time for the afternoon but this can not be ad hoc.



# Uniform

- Please ensure your child is always dressed for school in the appropriate school uniform. School sweatshirts and cardigans can be purchased from Monkhouse and Elite Clothing.
- Could you also ensure that all uniform and belongings are labelled with your child's name.
- Trainers are NOT allowed to be worn for school. Velcro shoes would be really helpful!



# Toilet Training

- Whilst we will, of course, support children when going to the toilet, we ask that they have some level of independence.
- All children must be in pull-ups or underwear and have some experience of undressing themselves for the toilet.
- Please practise this important life skill in the coming weeks and months.



# School milk

- All children under 5 are entitled to free milk.
- We sign all children up to this in Nursery so Parents do not need to do anything.
- The Dairy do not provide dairy free alternatives so please inform school if your child has a milk allergy and we won't order milk for your child.



# Things to Remember

- We go outside whatever the weather so please ensure your child has wellies, a coat suitable for the weather on that day, a change of clothes
- Nursery provide water, milk and a healthy snack to all children
- Medication/allergies - please make sure you declare any allergies or medical needs on the school admission forms AND inform the class teacher



# Kings Road Admin Team

- Miss Wrigley, Mrs, Scott, Miss Wright.
- The admin team can offer support with admission paperwork, eligibility issues etc
- Please ensure your contact details are kept up to date with the school office. Please note, you must provide 2 emergency contacts who are not the parental contacts.



# Finally...

If you have any concerns or issues  
please do not hesitate to contact the  
school office on 0161 881 3571

