



## Wimboldsley Primary School



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Dear Families,

We are delighted that you have chosen Wimboldsley Community Primary School for your child. Our school is part of Concordia multi-academy trust. We are looking forward to welcoming your child to Acorn Class. In order to support a smooth transition to school, we would be grateful if you could please complete the registration forms that have been provided via email as soon as possible.

To introduce you to our school and make arrangements for your child starting in Reception, we would like to invite you to our school welcome meeting.

The meeting will be held in school on **19th June 2025 at 5pm**. A copy of the PowerPoint from the meeting will be available on our website following the meeting.

We have carefully thought about a program of transition for September that will help your child to settle quickly into school life. Our Reception Class teacher will be making calls and visits to your child's nursery or childcare provider over the next few months to share information and learn a little more about your child.

**Summer Learning Bags:** Individual summer learning bags will be shared at our transition meeting on 19th June, if you are unable to attend the meeting please call into the school office from 20th June to collect them before school closes on Wednesday 23rd July at lunchtime.

I am also pleased to inform you of key dates to support your child settling into school; there is a summary table of all dates towards the end of this letter.

**Summer Open Classroom:** We are pleased to invite children to attend the EYFS Acorn Classroom after school 15:40-4pm with a parent/carer for a stay and play session to get to know the classroom. The classroom will be open Thursday 3rd July, Thursday 10th July and Thursday 17th July for a 20-minute visit. You can attend as many, or as few, of these sessions as you wish, siblings are welcome to join.

**Summer Welcome Visits:** We really are looking forward to meeting you and your child to Wimboldsley and would like to invite you and your child to attend a Teddy Bear's Picnic in school on Friday 11th July at 11am lasting approximately 45 minutes. We hope the weather will be fine and parents and carers are expected to attend with your child. Bring a teddy! We will provide some picnic snacks.

On Friday 18th July your child is invited to visit their classroom from 2pm, We encourage parents to leave their children at this stage to build independence on their classroom visits. This visit will last an hour and a half and children should be collected at 3pm.

**September Transition 2025** Our first day of school is Wednesday 3rd September and we invite your child to attend 9:30 - 11am for an unaccompanied visit to their classroom.

Thursday 4th September the children will also stay for lunch, from 9am until 12:30pm. Your child will be provided with a free school lunch or they can choose to bring their own.

From Friday 5th September your child will attend full time between 8:45 - 3:15pm (please note school gates open at 8:30am to allow for a staggered drop off before 8:45am register).

For all visits your children will need to be dropped off at the gate located next to the school car park. Farewells will need to take place at the school gate and the EYFS team will safely take the children into their new classroom.





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Our arrangements have been carefully planned to help ensure a smooth transition for the children and we thank you in advance for your support with this. All arrangements are subject to change, *individual children may need bespoke transition plans* which we will discuss with you should the need arise.

Our school website includes a 'New Starters 2025' Tab on our homepage, which includes updated information relating to Transition. Please check the website regularly for updates; www.wimboldsleyprimaryschool.co.uk

Transition Timetable:	
19th June 2025 5pm	Welcome Meeting - Parents/Carers only in the school hall
3rd July 2025 3:40 - 4pm	EYFS Open Classroom Parents/Carers to attend with children for 'stay and play' session. Siblings welcome
10th July 2025 3:40 - 4pm	EYFS Open Classroom Parents/Carers to attend with children for 'stay and play' session. Siblings welcome
11th July 2025 11am - 11:45	EYFS Teddy Bears Picnic 2 Parents/Carers invited to attend with children. Don't forget your teddy bear! School will provide some light snacks.
17th July 2025 3:40 - 4pm	EYFS Open Classroom Parents/Carers to attend with children for 'stay and play' session. Siblings welcome
18th July 2025 2-3pm	EYFS Classroom Visit Unaccompanied, children to be dropped off and collected from school gates.
23rd July 2025 Lunchtime	School closes for summer break - Please ensure summer learning bags have been collected from the school office.
3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025 9am -11am	First day at School Morning visit, unaccompanied
4th September 2025 9am - 12:30pm	Morning and Lunch at School - Unaccompanied. Lunch will be ordered from the school kitchen or you may provide a packed lunch from home.
5th September 2025 8:45am - 3:15pm	Full time at school Drop off at school gates (gates open from 8:30am for 8:45am registration), collect from classroom at hometime.

Please contact us at school if you have any further questions, we look forward to meeting you and your child.

Yours sincerely,

Mr M Allen Executive Headteacher