

Round Hill Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Transition Dates and 'Names of Friends' Form

This letter contains important information about a range of transition events for your child starting at Round Hill. Please read it carefully and make a note of the date and times.

We are looking forward to meeting you at the Welcome Meeting on Tuesday 10th June. Further details about this meeting can be found below. You already have the date for the Teddy Bears Picnic on Monday 16th June and again more details are provided below. We are also pleased to confirm some transition dates when you and your child are invited into school during the summer term, the aim of which is to allow a smooth transition for your child into our school.

We would also like to take this opportunity to ask you to complete the 'Names of Friends' Form which allows you to let us know if your child has a friend also joining Round Hill. We believe that it helps the children to settle well and quickly if they begin school with another child that they know but we also appreciate that not every child who is starting with us will know someone else. 'Building Relationships' is a key part of our curriculum and it is wonderful to see children making lots of new friends as the year progresses.

In order to help us group children into classes, please click on the below link to complete our form with the names of three children who your child may know who will be starting at Round Hill in September. We cannot guarantee that your child will be in the same class as the friends you have highlighted but this information will be used alongside information from the nurseries to ensure your child is carefully placed in a class with peers they are familiar with. Again, if your child does not know anyone else who is starting in September please do not worry and simply write in the comments box that they do not know anyone. Please complete this form by Monday 2nd June 2025. This form will automatically close on this date.

EYFS September 2025 - Names of Friends Form

Welcome Meeting: Tuesday 10th June, 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

This meeting is for parents only and will be a chance to meet with our Head Teacher, Mr Adrian Nash, myself and the teaching team in Foundation. This will also be an opportunity for you to see the school and specifically the Foundation classrooms. We will be inviting local uniform providers and other key stakeholders to join us at this meeting. Please come to the main school entrance.

'Teddy Bears Picnic' - Monday 16th June, 4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

This event is for children to explore the school environment and meet the teachers in the Foundation unit. It will also be a great opportunity for parents to network and to meet other parents. Please arrive at the black gates to the right hand side of the main school entrance which lead straight into the Foundation playground. Please feel free to bring along a teddy bear and a small picnic to share with your child and create their first of many memories at school.

'Stay and Play' - Transition Day 1: Monday 23rd June, 2 Sessions:

- 9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Children born between 1st September 2020 and 31st March 2021
- 1.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. Children born between 1st April 2021 and 31st August 2021

These sessions are for both parents and children and this will be the first opportunity for children to be in school during a school day and explore the Foundation Unit. All of the Foundation teachers and assistant teachers will be in the classrooms to meet with you and your child. Please attend the session based on your child's date of birth and arrive at the gates to the Foundation playground at the relevant time.

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'Meet the Teacher' - Transition Day 2: Wednesday 2nd July, 9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m.

This final transition morning is for your child to stay in school without parents. Please arrive at the gates to the Foundation playground ready for 9.30 a.m.

Tuesday 2nd September 2025

Start of term when all children in EYFS will start full time.

Little Foxes Play Town

We are also pleased to inform you that Little Foxes Play Town (100 Chilwell Road, Beeston, Nottingham, NG9 1ES) is running two play sessions dedicated to children starting at Round Hill in September 2025. This is the perfect opportunity for children and parents to get to know each other whilst having a little bit of fun along the way. These sessions are being run independently of the school and normal admission fees apply. Please see the dates below.

- Sunday 6th July 2025, 2.30 p.m. 4.30 p.m.
- Sunday 27th July 2025, 12.00 p.m. 2.00 p.m.

I look forward to meeting as many of you as possible at the first welcome event on Tuesday 10th June.

Yours faithfully

Louisa Richards

Louisa Richards Foundation Stage Leader