



Lake Farm Park Academy Nursery Information Meeting

6th July 2016

Purpose of today's meeting

- To outline Lake Farm Park Academy's vision and values
- To discuss the starting process in September.
- To share practical information about the Nursery, including the curriculum.
- To answer any questions you have.

Who are we?

- Part of The Park Federation Academy Trust
- School opened in September 2014
- Offer part-time Nursery places (15 hours per week)
- Key members of staff:
 - Mrs Patel Vice Principal and Nursery teacher)
Mrs Razaq (Nursery teacher)
 - Mrs Bains, Mrs Barrett, Mrs Crawford, Mrs Ellis,
Miss Hayes, Miss Peverill (support staff)

Our Commitments

- We will keep your children safe, secure and cared for;
- We will provide first-rate teaching in all lessons and strive for excellence in everything that we do.
- We will ensure that high standards in English and Mathematics are at the heart of a broad and exciting curriculum.



Our Commitments

- We will prize your children's creativity and individuality, and listen attentively to their views, opinions and feelings.
- We will be by their sides lending a hand as their self-belief and self-confidence grows and blossoms.
- We will ensure they leave primary education ready, willing and able to take the next step in their learning and the next step in their lives.

Our Expectations

- Excellent attendance
- Pupils who try their best and listen carefully
- Support from parents
- High standards of behaviour - everybody follows The LFP Way.

The LFP Way



Show Respect

- Be kind to everyone
- Listen carefully
- Respect what others think

Be a Role Model

- Set a good example
- Always be polite
- Help our friends

Tell the Truth

- Be honest
- Learn from our mistakes
- Don't lie about others

Aim High

- Challenge our self
- Try our best
- Be independent

Starting in Nursery

- Phased start
- Home Visits
- Please ask at the end if you have any questions about this.
- Morning Nursery: **8.30am-11.30am**
- Afternoon Nursery: **12.30pm-3.30pm**
- 90 children in the Nursery - 45 in the morning and 45 in the afternoon

Finding your way



Direct access from classroom to outdoor areas

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ALL INTERNAL WALLS WHITE (CODE 02) UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED

The School Day

- Nursery starts at 8.30am/12.30pm
- Children will be registered by the class teacher.
- Any children arriving after 8.55am/12.45pm must go via the main entrance to be registered. They will be marked as late.

- Nursery finishes at 11.30am/3.30pm
- Gates open: from 8.20am
 - between 11.20am and 11.45am
 - between 12.15pm and 12.45pm
 - from 3.25pm

Routines

- Children like routines and consistency
- Establish simple routines at home before they start school to help them
- Arrive at Nursery on time
- Classroom routines
- Encourage independence

Uniform



Uniform in the Nursery is optional.

- LFPA sweatshirt/cardigan
- White LFPA T-shirt or plain white shirt/T-shirt/polo shirt/blouse
- Purple pinafore (purple and white checked) dress
- Black or grey trousers or skirt
- Black shoes
- Black or grey tights/black, white or grey socks
- Navy blue or black hair accessories including hijabs



What will your child learn?

- Curriculum is based around 7 areas of learning:
 - Communication and Language
 - Personal, Social and Emotional Development
 - Physical Development
 - Literacy, including Reading and Writing
 - Maths
 - Understanding the World
 - Expressive Arts and Design



What will your child learn?

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- important social skills of sharing, turn taking and working together
- develop their confidence, concentration and independence.

Communication and Language

- develop speaking and listening skills through all their activities.
- adults will model high quality examples of language at every opportunity.
- encouraged to share their ideas, to listen carefully to others and to develop their vocabulary.



What will your child learn?

Physical Development

- gross motor skills of balancing, running, jumping, climbing, pedalling, throwing and catching.
- fine motor skills of cutting, mark-making and hand-eye coordination.
- independent in their dressing, particularly coats and shoes and also in their self-care e.g. toileting and keeping themselves clean.

Literacy

- enjoy books and stories, and share books with each other.
- able to borrow a book each week from the Nursery library to take home to share.
- develop early reading and writing skills. In the Nursery children will begin to learn their letters and sounds.

What will your child learn?

Maths

- develop the basic skills of counting and recognising numbers.
- use and name shapes, complete puzzles, order sizes and solve practical problems in a mathematical way.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

- learn about and make sense of the world around them.
- talk about their personal and cultural experiences and learn about those of others.

Expressive Arts and Design

- painting, drawing, collage, modelling, dancing, singing, role play and dressing up
- encouraging children to be creative and consider different ways of doing things.

Over the summer



- Be able to hold and mark-make with a pencil
- Be able to cut holding scissors correctly
- Be able to recognise and write their name
- Start to learn the letter names and sounds
- Be able to count to 10
- Start to recognise and form numbers to 10
- Enjoy a book and start to talk about the story