



Charlton Kings Infants' School

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2nd September 2025

Dear Families,

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your child/ren to Kindergarten. We look forward to getting to know you and working with you over the coming year. We are excited to meet you all during our 'stay and play' sessions on 3rd of September.

Our amazing team:

Mrs Ralph Kindergarten Lead Practitioner	Mrs Manocha Key worker	Mrs Tacey Key worker	Mrs Coombe Key worker	Mrs Daniels Key worker
				

During your child/ren's first term at Kindergarten, they will be undertaking activities which will be themed around the topic of '*me, my family and my home*'.

For your information, these are the planned induction arrangements for September 2024:

3 rd September	Play and stay sessions 10.00-11.00 or 13.00-14.00 (please check your emails for your play and stay session invitation)
4 th September	Kindergarten starts

During your play and session you will receive a letter QR code that will give you access to Seesaw which is our communication tool. Please ensure you register your account so that you will enable you to receive updates on your child/ren's learning as well as receive Kindergarten updates and newsletters.

Your child/ren will also be given a code to access Purple Mash which is our online learning tools and content, designed for children aged 3 to 11 to use within Kindergarten and at home. Purple Mash supports learning through its resources, games and creative tools. It is tailored to the Early Years Foundation Stage which is the framework used within Kindergarten which sets standards for learning and development, and then leads into the school curriculum, as your child progresses through the school.





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Please ensure that your child/ren brings in a fresh piece of fruit or vegetable for a morning and afternoon snack. We are a NUT FREE school/ Kindergarten and therefore ask that all snacks and packed lunches do not contain any nut products.

Your child/ren will need to bring a named water bottle in each day they attend and will take their water bottles home with them at the end of their session each day. They will have free access to their bottle of drinking water during the Kindergarten day.

Please inform us if your child/ren is going home with a different adult at the end of the day. This information should be provided to the Kindergarten staff member during morning drop off or via Seesaw, the school office by email or by phone.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Gemma Ralph'.

Gemma Ralph
Kindergarten Lead Practitioner

