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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you are well and you are all excited about the transition of starting school.

This letter is to inform you that your child will be in **Group 1**. Please note that these sessions are organised by alphabetical order. See below a reminder of the upcoming events.

Thursday 18 th June	Welcome to New Parents 5.00pm	<u>Parents to attend without their child</u>
Friday 26 th June Stay and Play	<u>Group 1 9.00 - 10.00</u> Group 2 10.30 - 11.30	With parents Own clothes
Friday 3 rd July Stay and Play	<u>Group 1 9.00 - 10.00</u> Group 2 10.30 - 11.30	Without parents Own clothes
Friday 10 th July Teddy Bears' Picnic	1.30 - 2.30pm	All children and their families Own clothes Bringing a picnic style lunch (we ask that no nuts are brought into school)

Below is a reminder of key dates for September to add to your diary.

Tuesday 1 st September – Friday 4 th September Home Visit	<u>One</u> 20-minute session at your home on either of these days	Please have your child's favourite toy or activity ready to share.
Monday 7 th Sept – Friday 11 th Sept School starts for Reception children	<u>Group 1</u> 9.00am - 11.00am Group 2 1.00pm - 3.00pm	Without parents and wearing school uniform from now on.



<p>Week beginning Monday 14th Sept</p>	<p>Option to start full time 8.30am - 3.15pm</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Option to continue part time 8.30am - 1.15pm</p>	<p>A hot school meal will be provided for your child this week, which will be ordered by the School Office Team. Please advise us as soon as possible if your child is vegetarian or has any allergies.</p> <p>You will need to book future meals via the MCAS parent app which you will be issued with shortly. If you have not ordered a meal you will need to provide a packed lunch. (Meal ordering will be open from mid July)</p> <p>You will be sent further communication for you to specify if you would like them to start full time or continue part time. Please be advised, that you will not be able to change your decision once submitted.</p>
<p>Week beginning Monday 21st Sept</p>	<p>All children full time 8.30am - 3.15pm</p>	

We cannot wait to meet you all very soon!

Any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours sincerely

Georgia Matthew

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Early Years Leader

