



16<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Parents,

## Reception Transition Days

We would like to extend a very warm welcome to you and to the start of your child's journey at Ratcliffe College. To prepare your child for their transition across to our school, we would like to invite them to join us for two transition sessions in the Summer Term. This will provide an opportunity for your son or daughter to meet their class teacher and Nursery staff as well as other children who will be in their class in September.

The two sessions will be held on:

- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June, 9am – 12.45pm
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 11.00 – 3pm

The sessions will be spent getting to know each other and your child will be able to explore their new classrooms and outdoor areas. On both days the children will also join us for lunch. Your child does not need to wear school uniform and current Ratcliffe children can also enjoy wearing non-school uniform on this day.

On the day, please could you come straight to the Nursery gate, by following signs to the Nursery. We will ask you to give your child a hug goodbye and we will then bring your child to their classroom.

Please could you complete this form: [Reception Transition RSVP](#) to confirm your child's attendance and noting any dietary requirements for lunch. Your child will have the choice of a hot dinner which will include a meat or vegetarian option or a jacket potato or pasta option.

Also attached to this letter are some speech bubbles. If your child has any questions about their new school, please could you write them in a speech bubble with their name on it and we will ensure that we have answered all their questions by the end of these two days.

Finally, please note that on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June we will be holding a new Parent's Information Evening at 6.30pm. This is to welcome all of our new parents to the school. Further information about this event has already been sent to you. This event will provide an opportunity for you to see the Nursery classroom and meet all of the Nursery staff who will be working your children next year.

We look forward to welcoming you to our school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Ravat  
Head of EYFS

