

# **WELCOME TO MAPLE CLASS 2020**

## Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for choosing Christ Church Nursery for your child. We are ready to have fun and make new friends whilst learning in a happy and safe environment. This letter will give you some information about what your child will be doing this year whilst with us in Maple Class.

#### **Topic and Learning**

This term our theme for learning is 'All about me'. Please see our topic web overleaf for further information.

## Reading

Reading is a vital aspect of learning as well as a source of creativity and enjoyment. We recommend daily reading and for parents to engage with reading in a positive way. Please read to your child every day and spend time talking about the pictures and characters. Your child may like predicting what will happen next or talking about their favourite part of the story. They may have favourites which they like to hear over and over again or enjoy new stories each day - either is fine!

#### Uniform

All children should be wearing the correct uniform; please make sure it is all labelled. Children should be able to dress and undress independently, so that they are able to use the toilet on their own confidently, put on their coats and wellies for outdoor play and use aprons for painting and messy play. Further details can be found on our website at: <a href="https://christchurchschool.cc/school-uniform/">https://christchurchschool.cc/school-uniform/</a>

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

Children are expected to attend school on time, every day unless they are unwell. It is incredibly important to arrive on time and attend every day to ensure they are not missing crucial learning.

#### Safeguarding

Christ Church SW9 has a clear and rigorous set of policies and procedures to keep our children safe. Please also be aware of e-safety and social media guidance.

## Communication

We communicate with parents in a number of ways: the weekly newsletter, by phone, text and email. Please contact the office if you need to update your contact details.

*Tapestry* is a great way for you to see what your child has been up to in Nursery and also for you to communicate with us as needed. You can download the app onto your phone to make it even easier! Please let us know if you have been unable to set up *Tapestry* on your own device at home.

#### Full Time/30 hours

Please remember to give us your code for 30 hours if applicable, for your full time place in our Nursery.

## Supporting at home

Please make sure children to go to bed at a reasonable time and limitations are placed on screen time in order to help them be ready for the school day.

We look forward to learning through play each and every day.

Thanks, Ms Taylor Miss Milner