



# Hulme Hall Pre-School

◆ Explore ◆ Create ◆ Grow

## Pre-School Newsletter

September 2020



### Welcome

We are very excited to have opened the doors to all of our children and extend a very warm welcome to our new families starting their learning journey with us this term. We hope you have all enjoyed the summer and are looking forward to an exciting and busy term.

We are committed to ensuring that your children are happy, safe and secure whilst with us and we have put many robust safety measures and risk assessments in place to ensure we are COVID-19 safe. We have worked hard as a team to make sure that the children are happy and have the same care and enjoyment as they received prior to lockdown.

I am always available at the start and the end of the day for an informal chat but would ask that you book an appointment if you wish to discuss anything more confidential. My aim is that all children are given the best opportunities to succeed with their education in a fun, caring and friendly environment. I look forward to working in partnership with you and your child.

Mrs Khinda  
Head of Pre-School



# Explore Create Grow

At Pre-school we offer an environment whereby children can choose their own direction of learning depending on their interests and fascinations. We follow the curiosity approach with in-the-moment planning or child-led planning which, for example, may come from a child making an observation about leaves changing colour and will subsequently lead to learning about Autumn. As practitioners, we support their own interests and develop their learning within all areas of the EYFS.

Themes will take off in areas we have not thought of before!

We also support each child's development in Personal, Social and Emotional Development: supporting the children to develop a sense of belonging; to make new friends and build their relationships with the other children; to understand our rules and routines; to learn to be independent (washing our hands; putting coats/shoes on; tidying up); to learn to keep themselves safe.

We understand that children will have had very different experiences over the last few months. Supporting each child's emotional needs will be of high importance to us now they have returned to Pre-School.



## Hopes and Dreams in Kindergarten

In Kindergarten we are very proud of our 'hopes and dreams' display. We also value the contribution you make to your child's learning and development and would therefore like you to identify a goal you would like your child to achieve at home e.g. to sleep in their own bed all night, to be able to get dressed independently or maybe to use a knife and fork.

Can you please email your goal and we will add it to our display and support your child in achieving it.

## Personal Details

If you have changed your address or telephone numbers, please make sure you tell us so we can contact you if we need to. It is very upsetting for a child if they are ill and we have the wrong number.

## 30 Hours Funding

Just a reminder: If you are claiming 30 hour funding, you will need to check your "voucher end dates" and reconfirm your funding again every 3 months.



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## Monkhouse Uniform List 2020-21



Boys Pullover  
from £22.50



Girls Cardigan  
from £23.50



Hulme Hall Polo  
from £8.50



Hulme Hall Pinafore  
from £35.25



Girls Summer Dress  
£16.25



Boys Shorts  
from £16.50



Book Bag  
£8.00



Kit Bag  
£8.00



Waterproof Coat  
£31.75



Fleece Hat  
£11.00



Fleece Scarf  
£11.00



Black Fleece Gloves  
from £5.75

### Reminders:

- Please can you label all of your child's belongings.
- We also ask that you please encourage your children to leave all toys at home.
- There are limited car parking spaces available at the front of the school. Please help us by making sure you move your car as soon as you have picked up or dropped off your child.
- Please can parents and carers continue to socially distance from each other, and from staff, when dropping off and collecting their children.
- Drop off and collection is currently limited to one parent or carer per household.
- Finally, please can we have a family photograph and a baby photograph of your child.

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