

Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to all our returning families and a very warm welcome to all our new families.

We are working with you to ensure that **each child has a positive return or start** to this new nursery school year.

I write a **weekly update** for you which is sent out via the Studybugs app on every Wednesday.

If you haven't signed up for **Studybugs** then you can download it <https://studybugs.com>

If you wish to **meet with me** at any time then please contact Trini on pa@guildfordnsc.surrey.sch.uk to arrange a meeting. I will of course see many of you at drop off time.

You may have seen recent media coverage regarding Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (RAAC) and its use in educational settings. RAAC is a lightweight form of concrete; because it is weaker than regular concrete, concerns have been raised about its long-term durability. Department for Education (DfE) has recently changed its guidance to education settings on the management of RAAC to take a more precautionary approach and as a result areas in affected spaces will be vacated.

I am pleased to inform you that we are not affected by this decision **as we do not have RAAC in any of our buildings.**

I look forward to seeing and meeting you all in the coming weeks.

Kind regards

Sally

(Headteacher)



Dates for your diary:

Nursery will be closed for staff training on: 30th October, 30th November and 1st December.

Half term is 23rd - 27th October.

Term ends 20th December.