

Dear Parents,

We are thrilled to welcome you to our Trust family. Warberry Church of England Academy is a happy, nurturing school and our team are looking forward to welcoming you and your child. The opportunities over the next few weeks are incredibly important so that you can start to build relationships with our community and familiarise yourself with the school setting before your child starts on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2026**.

Please see our activity dates below:

- **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2026:** We invite you to attend our **Parent Induction** between 9:15am-9.45am at Warberry Academy. This is an opportunity for you to meet me and the Early Years team; to learn more about our school and to receive valuable information before your child starts their school journey. *Please only bring your child along if you do not have any alternative childcare option.* If you are unable to attend the event, we will email you the Welcome PowerPoint at another time.
- **Home visits** with our EYFS team to get to know you and your child. These will give you the opportunity to meet with a class teacher on a one-to-one basis to discuss bespoke support for your child and enable us to gain an understanding of your child's strengths and interests. If you are new to our school, you will be able to sign up for a home visit during our parents' induction on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 9.15**. If your child attends Warberry Nursery and you are unable to make the induction date, you will be able to book a home visit time via Miss Cole in the Nursery. The dates for the home visits are **Monday 15<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> and Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June** when there will be various times available.
- **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2026:** We would like to invite you to a **stay and explore session** where you can come with your child, meet other families and the teaching team and familiarise yourselves with the school grounds from **1.15pm-2.00pm**. This will be held within the reception classroom so the children can explore their new setting!

When your child starts with us in September and to ease the transition in the first week, we will be opening the gate for longer to give you and your child a quieter time to settle if needed. The gate will be open from 8.25am until 8.45am for Reception children. Please ask your class teacher in your face-to-face meeting if you have any concerns about your child's transition into school.

If you would like to find out more about our wonderful school, please find more information on our website [Home - Warberry C of E Academy \(warberry-lap.co.uk\)](http://warberry-lap.co.uk)

Please look for a further email regarding the completion of Registration Documents and the My Child at School App. This email will come out to you following the May half-term.

We look forward to meeting you and your child.

Yours sincerely,

*Mr. Bone*

**Head Teacher**



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