



TRANSITION TO SCHOOL



Supporting your child in their transition to school journey

MAY 2026

Welcome to Queen's Park Infant Academy, letters sent to all new starters - includes 'Golden Ticket', pre-school info form and Tapestry consent.

Your child's pre school setting plays an important role in the successful transition to a new school, and we value their support greatly. We will be in touch with your child's pre school to find out more about your child such as friendship groups, particular interests etc.

Tuesday 23rd JUNE 2026 6.00pm – Parents information evening

A time to meet your child's class teacher, see the classroom, taste some food from the school meals provider and have any questions answered.

This event is for parents/ carers only.

JUNE and JULY 2026 - Pre school visits

A member of the EYFS school team will visit your child in their Pre-School setting.

We will endeavor to visit your child in their pre-school. If this is not possible, we will arrange a meeting to chat to your child's key worker.

JULY 2026 – let's get to know each other!

Class teachers reading stories released on school website

Each week one of the teachers will read their favorite story to you.

Thursday 9th JULY 2026

Visit to school – Times for each class to be confirmed.



Teddy Bears Welcome Party

An informal visit in our Nursery Garden (please bring your favorite teddy bear or cuddly toy) to meet your class teacher and Teaching Assistant.

It is also an opportunity for you to meet children in your class and their parents.

Thursday 3rd Wednesday 4th & Monday 7th SEPTEMBER 2026 Home Visits

Your class teacher and Teaching Assistant will visit your family in your home at a prearranged time.

This visit is relaxed and informal, often sharing stories about summer holiday adventures, allowing the child to see the relationship between practitioner and parent.

Any questions are answered, concerns eased, and every effort is made to ensure both child and parent are confident and happy to start school the following week.

Tuesday 8th & Wednesday 9th SEPTEMBER 2026

Stay and Play Sessions

An informal visit to your class in small groups to meet some new friends and explore and play. Your class teacher will inform you of which session you will be attending.

Thursday 10th & Friday 11th SEPTEMBER 2026

Part time Sessions

You will be coming to school for either a morning or afternoon session with half of the class. Your class teacher will inform you of which session you will be attending.

Monday 14th SEPTEMBER 2026

Full time

All children will attend school. Gates open at 8.40am, classroom doors open at 8.45am and close promptly at 9am.

