

May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to welcome you and your child to Stoke Hill Infant School in September 2023.

Please make a note of these key dates ~ we hope that you are able to come to the welcome meeting on **Wednesday 21st June from 9.30am – 10.30am** in the main school hall, this is primarily a meeting for parents and if you need to bring your child that is fine but please ensure they stay with you and have a quiet activity to do as there is a lot of information to cover. Thank you to all of the families who have completed the starting school form that was emailed to you. This is essential information for us so please do complete the form as soon as you can. If you would like it sent to you again, please contact the admin team on 01392 258894.

All information will also be on the school website https://www.stokehill.devon.sch.uk/web

Kind regards,

From the Early Years Team

Date	Key events
June 2023	Reception staff will make contact with all pre-school and Nursery settings.
Wednesday 21 st June 9.30	Welcome meeting for all parents whose children are starting in Reception in September 2023. You will have a chance to meet the Reception teachers and the Early Years Leader. We know that some children may benefit from an enhanced induction and / or a home visit. We can talk to you about this at the meeting.
Week commencing 10 th July	Families will be invited to a stay and play session and will find out which class their child will be in ~ Bee, Dragonfly or Ladybird.
Tuesday 5 th – Friday 8 th September	All children will come with their parents for a stay and play session. You will be given a date and time to meet your child's teachers and explore the environment with a small group of children who are in the same class. This is an opportunity to gather as much information about your child as we can and for you to ask any questions so that the transition to school is as smooth as possible. The induction will last approximately 20 minutes and then there is time to explore and play.
Monday 11 th September ~ welcome to Stoke Hill!	All children start in Reception