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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Seend School! We are delighted to have been informed by the Local Authority that your child has been offered a place at our school from September 2021! We will very much look forward to welcoming you all as soon as possible.

Normally, at this stage, we would be inviting you to an information meeting to meet you all, provide you with information you will need about your child's first year at school and discuss induction plans. However, this year we will have to wait until June 21<sup>st</sup> COVID announcements are made to see what we can do. We are however very optimistic and may be able to visit nurseries safely and then hope to arrange a home visit with you after that date.

Guidance permitting we would like to invite you to an induction evening for parents on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 6 p.m.in the school hall.

Guidance permitting we would like to invite your child to visit school on:

- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July 9.30-10.30
- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July 9.30-10.30

I understand that this may well be concerning for you, as starting school is such a significant milestone in your child's life. However, please do not worry. Over the coming weeks we will be sharing more information to put your mind at ease and to help your child to feel excited about the prospect of starting at Seend School in September.

We already have on our website under the 'for parents' tab:

- A virtual meeting where we are able to introduce ourselves and present information as we would do at the usual parents meeting
- A virtual school tour

Upon starting school you will have access to many social media platforms to engage with school and enjoy learning with your child such as our facebook page, ClassDojo online platform and Tapestry our learning log platform for children.

We will do our best to ensure that your child's transition to school is as smooth and happy as possible. As soon as I have more details about the above activities, I will write to you again and please keep looking at the school website for updates. In the meantime, stay safe. We really look forward to meeting you and your child very soon. Finally, please remember to accept your school place on the Wiltshire Council website. Thank you!

Candida Hutchinson – Principal