

Windsor Nursery School offer to families whose children are at home – our remote learning offer to nursery children during the Covid pandemic Spring Term 2021

Our aim is to engage with parents/carers in a continuing individual dialogue in which the key person's knowledge of child development and learning and knowledge of the individuals levels of development and particular motivations joins together with the parent/carer's enduring knowledge of their child and current experience at home, to strengthen and support every child at home to benefit from enriched play and learning opportunities and continue to make progress in their learning and development where possible.

The child's key person will call the parent/carer by phone, teams or email (as the parent/carer prefers) at least each week in a sequence of responsive, progressive calls. They will seek to hear about the child currently in the home context, explore any challenges with the parent and support these to be eased, and discuss the child's play, learning and development at home offering opportunities, ideas and/or resources to extend their learning.

The key person will reflect on each call, with supervision and support available daily from their leader, designated safeguarding lead and special educational needs co-ordinator, to consider if any

- safeguarding need has been identified and actions required, as outlined in our safeguarding policy and/or if identifying if on site attendance may be required or helpful
- challenges are persisting for families where it is appropriate to seek advice or support from other professionals or agencies, to help these resolve, or step-up frequency of calls or arrange/agree some on site provision
- special educational needs at any level where very specific strategies or focus in play and activities may be particularly helpful, and whether some specific resources/ideas can be offered remotely or to the doorstep, and/or attendance on site may be helpful

In all cases the key person will reflect on ideas and resources which can be offered in a timely way to help extend the child's learning (specific signposting to on-line resources and/or practical learning and play resources which may be delivered to the doorstep or collected from school)

We will keep adding links we think may be helpful to the children and families to our links tab on our website www.windsorcentre.com

We also offer weekday daily availability in school so parents/carers can phone in regarding any queries or to arrange a responsive call with their key person.