



Garfield Primary
Today's children. tomorrow's future

11th November 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re Voluntary Contribution for Special Weeks in Early Years

At Garfield we provide learning experiences to challenge your child and move their learning on so that each child receives a broad experience and achieves their full potential. Special weeks are an important part of our planning to support each child's individual learning and development. Each child will be the special focus of planning (2 times a year) and we observe and work with them closely to help us plan their next steps and base it on their individual interests.

In order to provide a variety of high enrichment opportunities during their special week we may have to purchase extra resources, equipment or items that we may not have in school. We may also take the children on short local visits such as to the shop to buy cooking ingredients or other items that they can use for a practical activity.

We are writing to ask for a voluntary contribution of £5 per child for the whole year so that we can continue to provide extra learning opportunities.

The voluntary contribution can be paid through Parentpay by Friday 2nd December. Please find attached your Parentpay log in details. The office are happy to support you with setting up an account.

Special weeks in Nursery and Reception will start after Christmas.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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