



Burnside Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

Nursery New Starter – September 2025

Thank you coming to the Induction meeting, it was lovely to meet you. We hope you found the Home Visit's beneficial; this gave us the opportunity to meet your child and start their transition into Burnside Academy.

Please can you make sure you have completed and returned the School Registration document, and the office has taken a copy of your child's birth certificate.

We return to school on Monday the 8th of September.

There is a long break since your child will have visited Burnside, the first two days will give your child a chance to settle and make the transition.

Monday 8th September – 8.45 am till 10.30am

Tuesday 9th September – 8.45am till 11.00am

Wednesday 10th September – 8.45am till 11.45am – full morning session

We will discuss on an individual basis if your child does not settle and they need a longer transition. We look forward to building a partnership with you to ensure your child has the best possible learning pathway at Burnside Academy.

Kind Regards

Mrs V Houghton
EYFS Lead