NETHERLEE PRIMARY SCHOOL and NURSERY CLASS
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NETHERLEE VALUES: Friendship and Fairness, Respect and Responsibility, Courage and Compassion

Dear Parents and Carers,

We will be holding an informal Information Evening for our Primary One parents and carers on Thursday 28th September from 6.30pm-7.30pm. During this evening, we will offer two half hour information sessions on how children learn in Primary 1.

The first session will focus on the importance of learning through play in the early years. We will share ideas on how to support your child through purposeful play at home and explain how child-led play and active learning are integral to the delivery of the curriculum in Primary One. This will take place in the Hub.

In the second session, our Primary One teachers will share information regarding the Primary One Curriculum. This will focus on how reading, writing, phonics, numeracy and mathematics are taught in school and how best to support your child at home. This will take place in one of the Primary One classrooms. You will also have an opportunity to visit your child's classroom to explore some of the play-based learning resources used to enhance children's learning in Primary One.

Each session will last for thirty minutes and will work on a rotational basis so that parents and carers can hear all the information available.

We would ask please that you enter and exit the school through the main reception door and we would kindly ask that, due to limited space and the nature of the event, no children attend on this occasion.

We are all looking forward to welcoming you to our school and hope you will find the evening valuable and worthwhile.

Kind regards,

Yvonne Donaldson (Head Teacher), Lynn Sweeney (Depute Head Teacher) and Jennifer McCann (Principal Teacher)

NETHERLEE VISION: Our Netherlee Community Working **With** and **For** Our Children