



# Westlands Primary School

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LOH/VCC/SSG/Stay and Play

Dear Parents and Carers

Now the children are settled into their new classrooms, we will be holding our first stay and play sessions. The idea of these is for you to come into your son's/daughter's classroom and learn alongside them through play. The children are comfortable with the classroom routines and will be proud to show their learning environment off to you. It is a great opportunity for you to see how settled the children are now and the types of activities that the school are providing for children to access independently.

These will run throughout term 4, 5 and 6, so there are plenty of sessions for everybody to come in and share some time with their child in their new school. If you don't get the chance to come this term, but would like to, class teachers will ensure you get first allocation of the next set of sessions.

As you can appreciate the numbers for these sessions will be limited and we will allow three parents per session into each class, you may need to bring your wellingtons as children will be able to access our outside area during this time, and a lot of our children love to go in the sandpit! Please bring the slip that the teacher returns with you to the session as we can only allow a few parents in at one time and will only allow you through to the classroom with this slip.

***Please note: Only one adult per child will be allowed into the classroom.***

We would like to offer sessions on the following days for term 4:

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March**

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March**

The sessions will be from 2:15 – 3:15. If you wish to come into school on any of the available dates, please fill out the slip overleaf and send it back into school as soon as possible. We will then send you a letter back letting you know whether or not the date you have specified is ok for you to come into school. Places will be given on first come first served basis. It is important the slip is returned at your earliest convenience.

***Please be aware that for insurance reasons, these sessions are for adults only and younger/ older siblings are not invited to these sessions.***

Dates for stay and play sessions in term 5 and 6 will be sent out nearer the time, so if the sessions we are offering this term are not convenient or they are oversubscribed, keep an eye out for the next ones. The dates are also published in the school calendar which can be found on our school website.

Yours sincerely

Miss V Chant  
Deputy Headteacher

Year R Stay and Play

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred date: (please indicate your 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, choice in the grid below.)

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