



Stoke Gabriel Primary School



Preschool Admissions Policy

January 2024 – August 2025

As an academy, the Trust is the admission authority and has responsibility for setting these admission arrangements and for making decisions regarding admissions applications. These schools set their own oversubscription criteria.

1. The Ethos of Stoke Gabriel School

Our Ethos - we ask parents to respect our ethos and its importance to the school community. This does not affect the right of all parents to apply and be considered for a place here.

As a Multi Academy Trust we want to be nationally recognised for putting our pupils first by:

- Delivering educational excellence underpinned by strong moral values
- Each learner exceeding their aspirations in a quality learning environment
- Highly motivated, research-led, passionate teaching
- Schools being at the heart of and an integral part of their community
- Being a partner of choice

Our mission is to deliver the best for our children, families and communities through

- Innovative approaches to learning
- The development of partnership and collaborative working to create a cutting-edge approach
- An uncompromising approach to health, safety, nurturing and inclusion

We will achieve this by investment in:

- High quality provision for staff and their pathways to success
- School environments that provide stimulating learning spaces
- Strong business planning to maximise the Trust's geographical range and collective expertise

Every Academy within our Trust has considered exactly what they offer their pupils and this has been summarised as:

Small Schools, Big Opportunities

- Unforgettable experiences- setting the foundations for life
 - No ceiling, the highest possible achievement for all
 - Individuality valued, collaboration not competition
 - People matter, every interaction, every moment

2. Early Years Funding

- 2.1. Parents can check to find out what funding they are entitled to receive through the governments [Childcare Choices website](#).
- 2.2. If your child is two you should also use the checker to see if you can get a funded place [use the checker to see if you can get a funded place](#) for your two-year-old before you make an application.
- 2.3. If a parent is eligible for both the **targeted 2-year-old funding for working parents** from April 2023 and the **2-year-old funding** school will claim two-year-old funding and parents will remain eligible for this funding even if their circumstances change.
- 2.4. We expect to admit children that will be using their Early Years Funding as well as children whose parents are buying additional hours and those that are both funded and buying hours.
- 2.5. There may be some children who are only attending for bought hours and some that only attend for funded hours.
- 2.6. The maximum amount of funded time that can be taken in a day is 10 hours; parents cannot use more than two sites for funded early years places in one day.

3. Admissions to the Preschool

Stoke Gabriel Primary School and Preschool admits:

- Eligible two-year-olds funded from the start of the funding period following their second birthday.
- Non-funded two-year-olds from the start of the term following their second birthday.
- Non-funded two-year-olds as rising three-year-olds at the start of the term in which they have their third birthday.
- Early Years funded three- and four-year-olds from the start of the funding period following their third birthday.
- Non-funded three- and four-year-olds from the start of term following their third birthday.

4. Points of Admission to Preschool

- 4.1. Generally, children will start at Preschool/ at the beginning of a term. Eligibility for the Early Years Funding for two-year-olds is from the start of the funding period following a child's second birthday and eligibility for all three-years-olds to receive the Early Years Funding is at the start of the funding period following their third birthday.
- 4.2. This funding will be paid up until the time when the child reaches compulsory school age if the parent chooses to defer or delay entry into school.

If a child is born between:	Funding can be claimed from:
1 January and 31 March	1 April following the child's birthday
1 April and 31 August	1 September following the child's birthday
1 September and 31 December	1 January following the child's birthday

- 4.3. There is a legal requirement that all children begin **full time education** by the beginning of the term following their **fifth** birthday. All places offered in reception are for **full-time admission** in the September following the **fourth** birthday. This is a legal requirement on schools but not on parents who retain a right to defer admission or send their child part time.

5. Patterns of attendance available

- 5.1. Our school makes an **offer** for the **universal** 570-hour (15 hours) funding entitlement and the 1140 hour extended entitlement (30 hours) funding of:
- Morning sessions of 9.00am to 12.00pm and
 - Afternoon sessions of 12.30pm to 3.30pm and
 - All day sessions of 9.00am to 3.30pm during term time only.
- 5.2. The school has signed the Provider Agreement and is compliant with the requirements for funded hours.

6. Extended Hours

- 6.1. Families with three- and four-year-olds that have an 11-digit code because they are working and eligible for the 30-hour **extended entitlement** can have up to 1140 hours **stretched across a year** or 30 hours a week over 38 weeks of the year. NB: some families may choose to attend more than one provider and want to stretch the entitlement across the year in one provision and take some funded sessions during term time in another.
- 6.2. Many working families with two-year-olds will get **570 funded hours from April 2024**; this increases to 1140 funded hours from September 2024 so is the same as the extended entitlement for three- and four-year-olds. We will offer these places from April 2024.
- 6.3. When allocating places, these extended services for three- and four-year-olds are an integral part of the Preschool provision.
- 6.4. If parents want to buy additional hours on top of the 15 funded hours or the extended entitlement, they can do this during any of our opening times. We will consider selling single hours at £4.40ph for three and four year olds, £5.50 for two year olds.
- 6.5. The table below sets out the session times that you can choose. When applying for a place please use the Registration form at appendix one and tell us what sessions you need.

We only consider requests for sessions AFTER the oversubscription criteria have been applied:

Session choices	Hours	Funded/bought hours
9.00am – 12.00pm	3	As part of the Early Years Education Funding or bought.
12.30pm – 3.30pm	3	As part of the Early Years Education Funding or bought.
9.00am – 3.30pm	6.5	As part of the Early Years Education Funding or bought.

- 6.6. These are the sessions that you can choose. We claim funding on this basis. If you decide to collect your child early or drop them off later, you must tell us. By doing this you will either lose out on some of your funded entitlement hours or be paying for time that you have chosen not to take.

7. Charging

- 7.1. There is no charge for applying for a place, for admission or for the provision of the funded entitlements. We will not request donations before or during the admissions process and any donations made to the school following admission are entirely voluntary. No bought activities are compulsory. If your child is booked in on a Tuesday, this is our Forest School day and there is an additional cost.

- 7.2. The school must comply with Devon County Councils [Provider Agreement](#).
- 7.3. Details about buying additional sessions/hours in the Preschool are set out in the Trust's **Charging and Remissions Policy** which is available on the school website.
- 7.4. We are unable to refund fees for sessions not taken due to illness, absence, holidays or where the Preschool is forced to close due to circumstances beyond our control.
- 7.5. If a child's place is no longer required at the Preschool, (apart from at normal expected entry into primary/secondary school) then we ask that a minimum of four weeks' notice is given otherwise regular booked sessions will need to be paid for. This includes funded sessions. If you move to another provider without giving 4 weeks' notice, you will forfeit 4 weeks of entitlement funding and you will need to pay for your child to attend another provider as Stoke Gabriel Preschool will claim the 4 weeks funding in lieu of 4 weeks' notice.

8. Help with the cost of childcare

- 8.1. Our school accepts childcare vouchers.
- 8.2. Our school is [registered](#) for [tax free childcare](#).
- 8.3. Find the right offer for you on [Childcare Choices](#).

9. School Lunches

- 9.1. [Free school meals](#) (FSM) must be provided for children (whose parents meet the [eligibility criteria](#)) **and** if their child attends **both** before and after the lunch time period. This generally means an all-day session. A free school meal will be provided whether the child is attending for funded or bought time and regardless of their age. Parents must check eligibility through the [Citizens Portal](#).
- 9.2. Children who do not meet the eligibility criteria for free school meals in our Preschool are offered the opportunity to either buy a school lunch or bring a packed lunch.

10. Visiting

- 10.1. We welcome visits from parents and children who are considering applying for a place here. This is an opportunity for you to see what we have to offer. Visits are not a compulsory part of the admissions process and will not affect decisions on whether a place can be offered at our Preschool. If you would like to visit Stoke Gabriel Primary School and Preschool, you should contact the school to make an appointment. Our Administrator is contactable on 01803 782469.
- 10.2. Most children will start at the Preschool at the start of the term. Other children join us at other times. This may be because they are new to the area or would like to transfer from another early year's provider. However, if we have places available and an application is submitted, we will offer a place.
- 10.3. To apply for a place here you must use the registration form at appendix one.
- 10.4. Places are not allocated to a child automatically, even where:

- there is an older sibling attending the school.
- a child attends a particular toddler group or Children's Centre attached to the school.
- a parent has expressed an interest at any time in the school; or
- the child has always lived close to the school.

10.5. No places will be held in reserve for a child who applies late; the school cannot hold places empty if another child applies for admission. We will publicise the need to apply on our website but the responsibility for making an application will be with you as the parent.

11. How to apply for a Preschool place

11.1. Parents must complete the Registration form at Appendix one and return it to the school.

11.2. The closing dates for applications for the Preschool intake are 1 April, 1 July and 1 January. You can apply after these dates, but your application may not be considered until after all the applications that were on time. If you couldn't apply before because, for instance, you moved to this area, you should make sure that you inform the school. If the reason for applying after the closing date is accepted, your application will be considered at the same time as everyone who did apply on time if this is still possible.

12. Information provided in an application

12.1. We would like all applications to be fully and honestly completed. It is important that where we offer places to some and refuse others we do so fairly and consistently. Where we have reason to believe that information is false and has been provided knowingly, we may withdraw the offer of a place. This is particularly relevant where an address is given which is not the one from which a child will actually attend Preschool, and this disadvantages another child.

12.2. Before making an application parents need to have checked their eligibility for 2-year-old funding [here](#) and the extended entitlement funding (15 and 30 hours) [here](#); evidence of eligibility will be checked before an offer of a place is made.

12.3. Parents with three- and four-year-olds should check to see if they are eligible for Early Years Pupil Premium funding before making an application by completing this form [Early Years Pupil Premium Application Form](#).

12.4. If you know or believe that your child's address will change before admission, you must inform the school as this may affect your application.

12.5. You will be asked to provide **date of birth evidence** so we can check your child's age.

13. What happens next

13.1. If there are fewer applications than places, then no application will be refused. Only if there are more applications than there are places available will the Admissions Committee prioritise applications according to the oversubscription criteria.

13.2. The applications will be listed in order of priority. We do not consider the sessions requested when prioritising the applications.

- 13.3.** We will endeavour to give the hours requested on the Parent Registration Form. It is inevitable, however, that some parents who have been prioritised will not get the hours they have requested. In these instances, we will offer times (days/hours/weeks) that fall closest to the hours requested.
- 13.4.** By 1 June, 1 October, and 1 February we will contact successful parents to welcome them to the Preschool/ and to make arrangements for admission itself. You will also be contacted if we do not have a place available so that you can apply to another provider.

14. Overview of the Admissions Process

Visit the Preschool in:	Spring term	Summer term	Autumn term
Apply by:	1 May	1 September	1 January
Admissions panel meet in:	May	September	January
Receive a letter about your application before:	May half term	October half term	February half term
Reply to the letter	Reply to the letter within 2 weeks to accept a place (or ask why you did not get a place). You can telephone, email or write to the school	Reply to the letter within 2 weeks to accept a place (or ask why you did not get a place). You can telephone, email or write to the school	Reply to the letter within 2 weeks to accept a place (or ask why you did not get a place). You can telephone, email or write to the school
Start at Preschool (or at the start of term closest to that month)	September Autumn Term	January Spring term	April Summer term

15. Published Preschool Admissions Number (PNAN)

- 15.1.** This is the number of places we intend to make available for our normal Preschool/ intake. Once we set this number, we will not refuse admission for applications below the PNAN. If there is unexpectedly high demand and we believe we could admit more children, we inform Devon County Council's Early Years and Childcare Team and either some children will be admitted above the PNAN or we will increase the PNAN. The number of children that can be admitted will depend on their age, the amount of floor space we have and whether additional staff will be required.
- 15.2.** The Admissions Committee also factors in the local demand for places. If there is a change to the PNAN part way through the year this will be published.
- 15.3.** If there is an increase in the demand for places the Admissions Committee may decide to increase the PNAN to accommodate children on the waiting list and conversely reduce the PNAN if there is a very low demand.
- 15.4.** The table below sets out our Published Preschool Admissions Number (PNAN)

The maximum number of 2,3 and 4-year-old children that will be admitted at any one time is:

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- 15.5. Where the number of applications exceeds the number of places available the Admissions Committee will use the following oversubscription criteria to prioritise applications for both funded and bought hours:

PRESCHOOL ADMISSIONS OVERSUBSCRIPTION CRITERIA

January 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025

To be used only when the number of applications exceeds the number of sessions available in the Preschool.

OVERSUBSCRIPTION CRITERIA FOR TWO YEAR OLDS

A child with an Education, Health, and Care Plan (EHCP) naming the school or Preschool will be admitted^[6].

1. Looked after Children^[7] and children who were previously Looked After but immediately after being Looked After became subject to an adoption order, a child arrangements order (CAO), or a special guardianship order (SGO)^[8] including those who were in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care because they were adopted.
2. Priority will next be given to children or parents with an exceptional medical or social need^[9] to attend this Preschool.
3. Priority will next be given to children who live in the **designated area** and are eligible for **two-year-old funding^[10] and Early Years Pupil Premium and /or Disability Access Funding** (from April 2024).
4. Priority will next be given to children who live in the **designated area** and are eligible for **two-year-old funding^[11]**
5. Priority will next be given to children who live within the school's **designated area** and whose parents are working and **eligible for targeted two-year-old funding for working parents** [the extended entitlement of *15 hours from April 2024 or 30 hours from September 2025*] and **Early Years Pupil Premium and/or Disability Access Funding**.
6. Priority will next be given to children who live within the school's **designated area** and whose parents are working and **eligible for targeted two-year-old funding for working parents** [the extended entitlement of *15 hours from April 2024 or 30 hours from September 2025*].
7. Priority will next be given to children who live in the school's **designated area** who have a **sibling** at the school or Preschool.
8. Priority will next be given to all other children who live in the school's **designated area**.
9. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** the school's designated area who have a sibling at the school or Preschool and are **eligible for two-year-old funding and Early Years Pupil Premium and /or Disability Access Funding**.
10. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** the school's designated area who have a sibling at the school or Preschool and are **eligible for two-year-old funding**.
11. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** the school's designated area who have a **sibling** at the school or Preschool and are eligible for **targeted two-year-old funding for working parents and Early Years Pupil Premium and/or Disability Access Funding**.
12. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** the school's designated area who have a **sibling** at the school or Preschool and are eligible for **targeted two-year-old funding for working parents**.
13. Priority will next be given to all other children who live **outside** the school's designated area who have a sibling at the school or Preschool.

14. Priority will next be given to the children of **members of staff** who have been employed at this school for at least two years or who were recruited within the last two years to fill a vacancy for which there is a skills shortage.
15. **Other children.**

^[6] These children meet the eligibility criteria for two-year-old funding.

^[7] These children are Looked After by or provided with accommodation in the exercise of its functions (see the Children act 1989 section 22 (1)) by a Local Authority.

^[8] These children meet the eligibility criteria for two-year-old funding and for Early Years Pupil Premium

^[9] Evidence from a medical specialist or social worker must be provided.

^[10] Parents must be encouraged to check their eligibility through the [Citizens Portal](#) before making an application.

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OVERSUBSCRIPTION CRITERIA FOR THREE- AND FOUR-YEAR OLDS

A child with an Education, Health, and Care Plan (EHCP) naming the school or Preschool will be admitted^[12].

1. Looked after Children^[13] and children who were previously Looked After but immediately after being Looked After became subject to an adoption order, a child arrangements order (CAO), or a special guardianship order (SGO)^[14] including those who were in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care because they were adopted.
2. Priority will next be given to children or parents with an exceptional medical or social need^[15] to attend this Preschool.
3. Priority will next be given to children who live in the **designated area** and are eligible for **two-year-old funding^[16] (and Early Years Pupil Premium and/or Disability Access Funding** from April 2024).
4. Priority will next be given to other children who live in the school's **designated area** who are eligible for **Early Years Pupil Premium and/or Disability Access Funding**.
5. Priority will next be given to children who live within the school's **designated area** and whose parents are working and **eligible for the extended entitlement** of 15 hours from April 2024 or 30 hours from September 2025.
6. Priority will next be given to children who live in the school's **designated area** who have a **sibling** at the school or Preschool.
7. Priority will next be given to all other children who live in the school's **designated area**.
8. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** of the school's designated area with a **sibling** at the school.
9. Priority will next be given to children who live **outside** the school's designated area who are three years old and **eligible for two-year-old funding and Early Years Pupil Premium and/or Disability Access Funding** (from April 2024).
10. Priority will next be given to the children of **members of staff** who have been employed at this school for at least two years or who were recruited within the last two years to fill a vacancy for which there is a skills shortage.
11. **Other children.**

^[12] These children meet the eligibility criteria for two-year-old funding.

^[13] These children are Looked After by or provided with accommodation in the exercise of its functions (see the Children act 1989 section 22 (1)) by a Local Authority.

^[14] These children meet the eligibility criteria for two-year-old funding and for Early Years Pupil Premium

^[15] Evidence from a medical specialist or social worker must be provided.

^[16] Parents must be encouraged to check their eligibility through the [Citizens Portal](#) before making an application.

16. Waiting lists

- 16.1. Following the allocation of Preschool places the school will retain a waiting list. Waiting lists will be kept in order of the oversubscription criteria. Places on lists will not be prioritised according to how long a child's name has been on that list or by the age of the child or by whether the sessions are funded or bought. It is possible that a child's name could go down on a list as well as up.
- 16.2. If a place is only available for a short period of time, i.e., half a term or less, then the school will discuss with the parent whether it would be in the child's best interest to attend the Preschool for such a short period of time before having to find a place at another provider. Continuity and consistency of care is most important in the early years and having lots of transitions can be disruptive for a child.
- 16.3. Parents with children that are not due to start within the next two terms, will be asked to complete a **Note of Interest for a Preschool Place** at Appendix two and told when they should apply.

17. Increasing the hours attended

- 17.1. If there are parents of children that already attend the Preschool who want to either take up additional funded hours and/or buy extra hours a list of those parents will be made, and the oversubscription criteria will be applied to determine who should be given priority for the available session/s.
- 17.2. The Admissions Committee should work their way down this prioritised list until everyone has been offered the sessions available.
- 17.3. If there are unfilled sessions remaining after those in attendance have been given the sessions those sessions will be made offered to children on the prioritised waiting list.

18. Admissions appeals

If a Preschool place is refused, parents can go through the Trust's complaints process which is available via the Complaints policy on our website to express their concerns. The Admissions Committee will review the decision and decide whether the refusal was justified on the grounds that the Preschool is full. Even if it is agreed that the Preschool was full, it will also consider the impact on the child and family and may still award a place at the Preschool if there is both the physical space and sufficient staff available.

19. Transport

No transport is available for Preschool children.

20. Uniform

Children attending Stoke Gabriel Preschool are not expected to wear a uniform.

21. Claiming the Early Years Funding

- 21.1. The Early Years Funding can be taken at more than one provider; parents cannot use providers on more than two sites in one day. The provider claims the funding on your behalf based on the sessions that have been booked.
- 21.2. It is important that both the school and parent can see what time is funded and what time is being bought.
- 21.3. Parents must not claim more than the 570 or 1140-hour entitlement, checks are carried out to ensure that over claims are not made.

22. Changes to attendance

- 22.1. Changes to the times when a child is attending will generally only be agreed to take effect from the start of a term. The oversubscription criteria will be applied to both a) and b) below to determine within each group which children should be given priority for the unfilled places.
- a) Parents whose children already attend the Preschool to **increase or change the times their child attends**.
- b) **New applications** from parents whose children do not yet attend the Preschool and are on the prioritised waiting List.
- 22.2. It is expected that parents will ensure that their child attends at the times agreed so that children can establish a good routine and be ready to start school.

23. Induction and transition arrangements

To support successful induction, we encourage parents to come in for settling in sessions. We will work with parents and their child as to how many settling sessions are required. If a child transfers from another setting, we will contact them for their records. Within the first few weeks, we will allocate a key worker and encourage parents to set up their tapestry accounts.

24. Contacts and further information

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APPENDIX ONE

Child's details	
Forename(s):	Surname/Family name:
Name your child prefers to be known by:	Child's Date of Birth: Certificate seen? YES / NO
Gender (M or F):	Religion:
Home address: <i>(This must be the address where the child is normally resident)</i> Postcode:	
Ethnic origin:	What languages are spoken at home? Is English the main language spoken at home?
Does your child have special educational needs or have a disability? YES / NO If yes, please give brief information (we will contact you for more details)	
Will your child be attending any other Preschool or Preschool whilst at Stoke Gabriel Primary and Preschool YES / NO (If yes, please provide details)	
Throughout your child's time at our Preschool their key worker will be	

Parent/ carer details		
	Parent/ carer 1	Parent/ carer 2
Title		
Forename (s)		
Surname		
Relationship to child		
Home address (if different from child's) Postcode:		
Telephone number (home)		
Telephone number (mobile)		
Telephone number (work)		

Email address		
Does this person have parental responsibility?	YES / NO	YES / NO
Who will usually be bringing/collecting your child? <i>Any changes should be notified to the Preschool staff before the start of the session and all persons collecting Preschool children must be aged 16 or over.</i>		
Emergency contact and medical		
Emergency contact details in case those named above cannot be contacted.	Name:	Name:
	Address: Telephone: Relationship to child:	Address: Telephone: Relationship to child:
Doctors detail	Surgery address:	Telephone:
Does your child have any involvement with outside professional agencies e.g. speech and language therapist, social worker, paediatrician? YES / NO – if yes please give details		
Do you give permission for your child to be taken to the doctor or hospital in an emergency? YES / NO (parents would be contacted as soon as possible)		
Do you consent to staff of Stoke Gabriel Preschool and Primary School administering first aid to your child in the event of an accident/incident? YES/NO		
Does your child have any dietary requirements? (Please give details)		
Two year old progress check – children aged 24-36 months If your child is aged between 24-36 months, has a two year old progress check already been completed? YES / NO If not, as per the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage we will complete a progress check on your child between the ages of 24-36 months. We will ask you to be involved in completing the check and will discuss it with you.		
Your child's health		
<u>Has your child been vaccinated against the following:</u>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Two months old - Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio and haemophilus influenza type b (Hib). Pneumococcal infection. Yes/No (delete) Date: ▪ Three months old - Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio and haemophilus influenza type b (Hib). Meningitis C (meningococcal group C). Yes/No (delete) Date: ▪ Four months old - Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio and haemophilus influenza type b (Hib). Meningitis C (meningococcal group C). Pneumococcal infection. Yes/No (delete) Date: 		

- 12 months old- Haemophilus influenza type b (Hib) and meningitis C.

Yes/No (delete) Date:

- 13 months old - Measles, mumps and rubella (German measles). Pneumococcal infection

Yes/No (delete) Date:

- Two and Three years - Flu vaccine (annual)

Yes/No (delete) Date:

- Three years and four months or soon after- Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough) and polio. Measles, mumps and rubella.

Yes/No (delete) Date:

Does your child have any health issues?

YES/NO *If yes please give details*

Does your child take any long term prescribed medications?

YES/NO *If yes please give details*

Prescribed medications must be labelled with a prescription label and handed into the school office at the start of each session. You will be required to complete a consent form for the administration of the medication.

Permission and consent

Intimate care and toileting

Is your child toilet trained? **Yes / No**

Is your child confident using the toilet alone? **Yes / No**

We encourage the children to be reasonably independent in using the toilet though we understand that accidents do happen. We therefore ask that every child is equipped with a full spare set of clothes to change into. If children cannot manage the toilet alone they will be helped in accordance with our Intimate Care Policy. All staff and volunteers are fully DBS checked.

I give my consent for the staff of Stoke Gabriel Preschool and Primary School to help the child named above with their personal care needs.

I do not give my consent for the staff of Stoke Gabriel Preschool and Primary School to help the child named above with their personal care needs, and therefore an individual plan will be put in place to accommodate this request.

Signed:

Date:

Trips and visits

As part of the early learning curriculum, the Preschool aged children will often visit the local area to support children's knowledge and understanding and provide real life experiences. For your child to take part in such activities, we require written permission from their parent or carer. All outings will be assessed to identify risks and measures put in place to

ensure children, staff and other adults are safe during their time away from the Preschool. Adult to child ratios will also comply with current regulations. Parents will be notified of trips that require any form of transport.

I give my consent for the child named above to be taken off the Preschool premises for various outings as described above.

I do not give my consent for the child named above to be taken off the Preschool premises for various outings as described above.

Signed:

Date:

Suncream

As our weather is unpredictable please remember to apply sun cream on your children before their Preschool session when necessary as we always have outdoor play. We are aware that at hand washing time even waterproof sun cream can be removed from hands, arms and faces and we are happy to re-apply cream to those areas as necessary. If you would like us to do so please provide cream (marked with child's name) in their bags and indicate your agreement by completing and signing the permission slip below.

I give my consent for the child named above to have sun cream applied by staff at Stoke Gabriel Primary School and Preschool.

I do not give my consent for the child named above to have sun cream applied by staff at Stoke Gabriel Preschool and Primary School

Signed:

Date:

Photo

We take photographs, video recordings and recordings of the pupils in our Preschool. This could include displaying or using the images on project boards, Tapestry group observations, school newsletters, our website, in school projects or taking pictures of pupils for historical purposes such as class photos. There are times when our school is visited by the media who will take photographs or video footage of a visiting dignitary or a high profile event. Pupils will often appear in these images, which may be published in local or national newspapers, or television programmes. We would be grateful if you could read the following, sign and date the form and return it to school as soon as possible to ensure we comply with your wishes. We realise that there may be occasions when parents/guardians would prefer their child's picture not to be used in any publications whether it is for legitimate educational use or for promotional purposes. If you have any concerns about your child's image being published or displayed, please inform us below.

Conditions of Use - Please find below our conditions for using your child's image(s)

- We will only use the minimum amount of personal information about your child in any publication i.e. your child's first name and will never reveal personal email addresses, home telephone numbers, home addresses or surnames.
- We will not use your child's image(s) for any purpose if it would prejudice the interests of your child.
- We will only use images of pupils who are suitably dressed e.g. in a school uniform or track suit.
- We will not use your child's image(s) for any reason other than that /those stated, unless we have a legal obligation/legal power or have received further consent from you.
- We will keep your child's image(s) and personal information secure. I have read and understood the Conditions of Use and understand that I can withdraw my consent in writing at any time.

I give my consent to my child's image and first name being used for any school purposes, e.g. class displays, prospectus, school face book page, school twitter account, local media, school website and correspondence with other schools

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Signed:

Date:

Additional information

Equipment
 It is helpful if the children can bring a bag to school daily in which they can carry books, letters and artwork.
 We regularly go on welly walks so it is helpful if you can leave a spare pair in school, we are also outside a lot so warm/waterproof coats are required every day.

Tapestry
 Using a piece of educational software called ‘Tapestry’ every Reception and Preschool child at Stoke Gabriel has their own individual e-learning journal. Tapestry online learning journeys allow you to view your child’s observations and photographs from their time in Preschool or Reception, almost as they happen.
 By logging on with a secure username and password you will be able to access your child’s learning Journey. Parents are only able to view their own child’s journal. Tapestry allows you to add observations and photographs of your own as well as comments on observations we have made in school. We are keen to hear about learning moments from home and about how your child feels about their learning in school.
 Because children play in close proximity with their friends some photographs of your child may appear on their friend’s online learning journey.

Staff
 Each child joining the setting will have a key person appointed to them. It will be the key person’s responsibility to ensure that your child receives the best possible attention whilst in our care and to ensure that their records are kept up-to date. Your child’s key person will change as your child progresses through the setting. You will be notified of these changes. Your child’s key person is your first point of contact for anything you wish to discuss about your child. Please keep us informed if there are any family circumstances that may affect your child during the year e.g. the birth of a baby, recent move or loss of a close relative.

Session requirements

	Morning only (9 am- 12 pm)	Afternoon only (12:30- 3:30 pm)	All day (9-3:30 pm)
Monday			
Tuesday			
Wednesday			
Thursday			
Friday			

Note of Interest for a Preschool Place

Please complete this form if your child is not yet old enough for you to make a nursery application.

We will send the Registration Form via email when you need to apply.

Please check on the [Citizens Portal](#) to see if you are eligible for two-year-old funding and a nursery free school meal.¹ Also, [check your eligibility](#) for funding if you are working as this will be needed when completing the application form.

Childs Details
First name:
Last name:
Date of birth:

Siblings Name/s (brothers and sisters who come to this school)
First name:
Last name:
Date of birth:

First name:
Last name:
Date of birth:

First name:
Last name:
Date of birth:

¹ If your circumstances change you must recheck your eligibility.

Parent/Guardians Details	
First name:	
Last name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	
Relationship to the child:	

Privacy and Data Protection

Your personal data is being used by us because you have showed an interest in applying for a place in our school Preschool when your child is old enough. We undertake to ensure your personal data will only be used in accordance with our privacy notice which can be accessed via the school website. Please confirm that you give your consent to the School using your personal data as outlined in our privacy notice, by signing below.

Applicant's signature:	
Date:	

You have the right to withdraw your consent at any time. Should you wish to withdraw consent, please contact the school administrator on 01803 782469 or adminstokegabriel@thelink.academy If you wish to exercise any of your rights under the General Data Protection Regulation, please contact the schools Data Protection Officer, Susan Stansfield, at DPO@thelink.academy