

Dear Parents and carers,

We are delighted to announce that The Lime Trees will be working in partnership with Flintham Primary school from the beginning of the September term. We will be launching the wrap around care provision, delivering our Breakfast and After School on the school site. The service will be provided for all the children at the school.

The Lime Trees story is rooted in helping and supporting each individual family. Our aim is to deliver a service that we, as parents, would be proud to use. Putting parents and families first, we realise that flexibility of childcare is essential for meeting the needs of modern family life. We allow parents to manage the care of their children around their schedule and not the other way around.

We have close partnerships with the Equals Trust and we currently operate at 5 settings within their schools delivering an outstanding service at every point. Due to this we have grown to become one of the largest childcare providers in Nottinghamshire meeting the needs of local communities across 24 sites. By going the extra mile, The Lime Trees have received 'Outstanding' grades from Ofsted and have been recognised as having "developed outstanding relationships with the school. The highly effective two-way exchange of information ensures all the children's needs are fully identified and met".

We provide a flexible service where you can book the sessions that work best for you on our online booking system located on our website www.thelimetrees.co.uk. The booking system will be open from July 1st. Please note you will not be able to book your place until this date. To get you started you will need to register your child/children by clicking on this [Link](#) or clicking the 'Book Here' button on our website. Here you will be asked to complete all your details and select the sessions you require, whether it be regular or adhoc places. We have attached the detailed parent guides walking you through every step, along with some questions and answers. Our online booking system improves that flexibility even further, allowing parents to book, manage and pay for their sessions 24hrs a day. Further information about the club will follow in May.

If you require any additional support during the booking process, or are unable register online, please contact us on 01159 313 562 during office hours or you can email us at hello@thelimetrees.co.uk. From September we will have appointed a dedicated account manager to handle any questions you may have.

We strive to upkeep our outstanding levels of service whilst being one of the most affordable childcare providers in Nottinghamshire. Our Nurseries, pre-schools, breakfast, after school and holiday clubs are there to support the children and provide them a safe space where they can grow flourish and develop as individuals. Combined with fantastic, varied activities to spark children's curiosity and engagement, children love their time in our clubs.

We are currently reviewing the prices which will be in line with charges offered by the school service. Parents will be able to use childcare vouchers and the governments Tax Free Childcare scheme.

During their time at our Breakfast or After School Club, children will be provided with a healthy snack to feed their body and mind. Our meals are always low salt and vegetarian, with a wide variety of options for the children to choose from.

Our dedicated staff work in partnership with parents and schools to meet the needs of each child within our care and support their well-being. Using a play-based approach, we can further support the development of your children whilst they are having fun in our clubs. Our team plan in a wide variety of activities that include cultural events, celebration, crafts, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math), games and sports.

Further detailed information about our club will follow in May and we look forward to working with our new families at Flintham Primary School.

Yours Faithfully

Gareth Degenhart