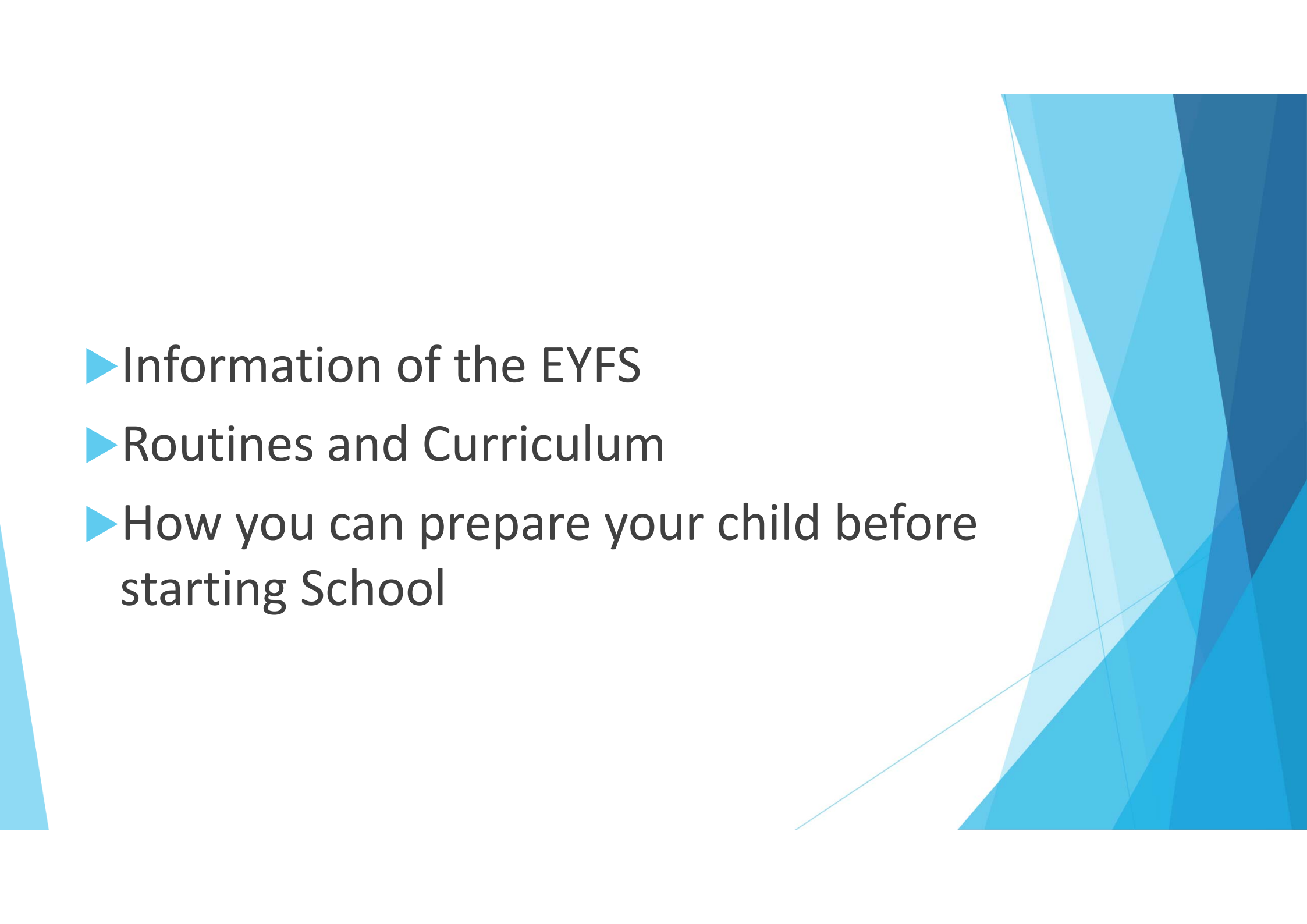


Welcome to St Pancras Catholic Primary School

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November 2022

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- ▶ Information of the EYFS
 - ▶ Routines and Curriculum
 - ▶ How you can prepare your child before starting School



Early Years Foundation Stage (Reception): Rainbows

Within the EYFS, there are **7 areas of learning and development**

3 prime areas, which are essential for children's healthy development and future learning:

- Communication and Language
- Physical development
- Personal, Social and Emotional development





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4 specific areas, to strengthen, build upon and apply learning:

- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the World
- Expressive arts and design

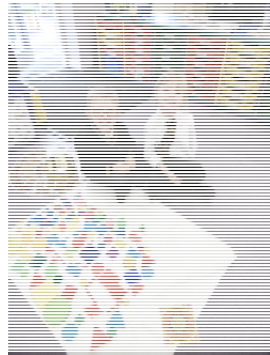




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Characteristics of effective learning:

- Playing and exploring (have a go)
- Active learning (keep trying)
- Creating and thinking critically (making links and problem solve)



- Practical, play based, purposeful activities
- A mixture of adult focused and child initiated tasks
- Indoor and outdoor environments to reflect 7 areas
- Topic based focus, providing new experiences

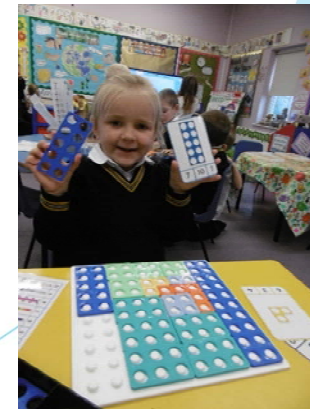




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***Structured lessons to have directed teaching time during the day
followed up by small group work***

- Daily Maths sessions using White Rose programme
- Daily Communication, Language & Literacy (phonics)
- RE (following The Way, The Truth and The Life and Come and See Catholic scheme)
- Weekly PE lesson (focus on gross and fine motor skills)





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Key person:

- Each child is allocated a named member of the Rainbows team
- To help the children settle, build relationships and for staff to develop knowledge of each child's needs

Learning journeys & observations:

- Record achievements, learning and next steps
- Online observation platform using Tapestry
- Parental contributions and information from home encouraged!

Speech and Language support

- Language Link- offering speech and language support where needed. Focus of understanding of use of language.



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Ways to help your child before they start school

- Talk about going to school, including saying goodbye, wearing a uniform, staying for lunch, playtime etc.
- Encourage their independence with dressing and using the toilet.
- Focusing on nursery activities, such as listening to stories, singing nursery rhymes and number songs and using a variety of language as they are playing.
- Open mornings Monday 21st and 28th November to see us in practice!



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After places have been allocated

- Meeting in May with further information
- Contact with local nurseries to visit all the children and their current key workers
- ‘Listen Play and Sing’ informal weekly groups during 2nd Summer half-term
- 1 full day induction in July 2023



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Questions?

**We welcome you to come and visit our
classroom!**

