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Sandy Lane Nursery and Forest School
 "Nurturing curiosity and inspiring imagination"

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Leading Parent Partnership Award

Celebrating our Parent and Carer Partnership

Dear Parents/Carers

At Sandy Lane Nursery we are extremely proud of the strong and effective relationships we have with you. We want to continue to develop this partnership and over the next year we will be working towards a nationally recognised Leading Parent Partnership Award.

To achieve this award we need your help. Over the year your involvement in school activities and feedback will help us to demonstrate and celebrate the things we do well. **It is also an opportunity to work together to improve some aspects of our work with parents and carers you may identify.** As partners in your child's learning journey at our school you will be invited to lots of events, sharing experiences with your child in nursery and learning more about how you can continue to support their learning at home. **We rely on your attendance and feedback to help us improve**

The Leading Parent Partnership Award will help us achieve these long-term benefits:

- contribute to improved pupil attendance, punctuality, behaviour and progress
- increase parent participation and involvement
- enhance parents' support in their children's learning
- improve communication between home and school.

Involving yourself in your child's education is an exciting challenge, with excellent benefits for your child, for you, for the school and for the local community. Research shows that **parental engagement in children's learning has many positive benefits including raising children's achievements, helping them to learn and remember more.**

If you would like **more information or would like to become involved please come along to our next Friends of Sandy Lane parent and carer group**, details of which are on the newsletter and displayed around school. **I am also available for a chat at the door when you drop off or collect your child so please ask then if you want more information.**

Yours sincerely,
 Marcia

Marcia
 Head teacher

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