3rd November 2025

## **Nursery Consultation**

Dear Parents/Carers, Staff, Governors, and Members of the Community,

We are writing to inform you about an exciting proposal regarding the expansion of our school to take Nursery age children from September 2026. This initiative aims to increase the sufficiency of Early Years places in the area, where we know there is need and enhance the educational opportunities available to children in our community.

## **Proposal Overview**

We are proposing to extend our current age range to include children aged 3 years old. This will allow us to establish a nursery provision that offers high-quality early years education, ensuring a consistent and nurturing environment for young learners. With the aim of increasing the number of Nursery places from 5, 3 years old, in September 2026 to 15 by September 2027.

## **Benefits of the Proposal**

- Enhanced Learning Opportunities: Our nursery provision will provide children with a strong foundation in early education, fostering their social, emotional, and cognitive development.
- Support for Families: The provision will offer flexible childcare options, supporting working parents and carers in our community.
- Continuity in Education: By aligning the nursery with our school's ethos and curriculum, we can ensure a smooth transition for children as they progress through their educational journey.

## **Consultation Process**

We value your input and invite you to share your thoughts on this proposal. The consultation period will run from Monday 03 November 2025 to Monday 24 November 2025, during which we encourage you to provide feedback. You can do so by:

- Completing the MS Form survey so we can ascertain the level of interest and demand for us to create a provision: <u>Click here</u>
- Emailing your comments to: Enquiries@barrscourtps.org.uk

Following the consultation period, we will carefully review all feedback and make a final decision. Updates will be shared with all stakeholders in due course.

We sincerely appreciate your time and engagement in this process. Together, we can create a nurturing and enriching environment for the youngest members of our community.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Daniel Webster Headteacher