



Freshfield Nursery School

Communication Methods with Parents – January 2024

Please see below the list of apps we use to communicate with parents. We hope this helps explain the need for school to have different apps for specific uses.

Iris Parentmail App

Used for

- Sending text messages and emails to parents. This includes all starter and induction information and reminders that have been requested by parents.
- Emails with health information from the local authority.
- Payments to school for extended hours, school fund, fundraising.
- Online forms for safeguarding and induction information.
- Absence requests forms for parents to request time off for holidays.
- Surveys.
- Absence communications from parents to school.
- Newsletters to parents.

Tapestry

• Two way communication between school and parents regarding your child's learning and play which features photographs, text and videos.

Medical Tracker

• An immediate system that informs parents by email of any accidents/injuries or medical information in relation to their child at Nursery.

SIMS Parent app Lite

• This app enables parents to see their child's main registration details held by school on our Sims system. Parents can check these details and if they wish to amend any information, they can do so directly on this app. This system automatically sends a message to school to let us know. This parent/school communication system ensures all pupil information records are accurate at any given time. This system is GDPR compliant.

Emails/Phone

 Please contact school at any time via email <u>admin@freshfield.stockport.sch.uk</u> or 0161 442 6944