



Newall Green Primary School

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Dear Parent,

You will no doubt have been moved by the scenes of families fleeing Afghanistan in recent weeks.

You will also most likely be aware that families who managed to escape their home country were helped to travel to the UK – and some have been housed in hotels in Greater Manchester.

Manchester – along with other areas - has been asked by the Department of Education (DfE) to support these families and provide education in the short term for the children who have had to leave their homes.

As a caring school we believe it is important that we play our part in supporting these young people who have gone through an incredibly distressing few months – and an upheaval that I hope none of us will ever have to experience.

As such we will be welcoming some new children to the school from Monday 29th November and we hope we can give these young people a great experience whilst they are here with us.

We won't yet know how long the new pupils will be with us as the national process for resettling families means they could yet be placed in any part of the UK – but we want to make sure all the new children get a warm welcome as they settle into their new surroundings.

This will no doubt be a very nerve-wracking time for these young people and we ask for your support to make this period of their lives as positive as possible.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the school.

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Rudd

Headteacher

