



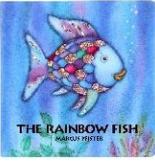
★ Dear Nursery children,

★ I hope you have all had a lovely summer and have had lots of fun. My name is Mrs Wilkinson and I have worked at Oakley Cross for a very long time (14 years). I haven't met a lot of you because I have been working at a different school for the past year while their headteacher has been at home looking after her new baby but I am so excited to be back at Oakley Cross. I have taught lots of your brothers and sisters so I already know a lot of your parents and can't wait to meet you!

★ Mrs Askwith is our Nursery teacher but she has had some sad news and needs to be at home with her family so until she is back, I will be your teacher. I am so excited to be in Nursery and I know that we are going to have lots of fun. Miss Comerford will also be in nursery and I know a lot of you know her already. She is looking forward to seeing the children that she already knows and meeting the new children who are just starting. Miss Comerford has been to London over the summer so I am sure she will have lots of stories to tell us about that.

★ Because I haven't met a lot of you, I will tell you a little bit about myself. I have two little boys called Tate and Reid. Tate is seven next week and Reid is two. They are both full of energy and there is never a dull moment in our house! We have just moved into an old house and it needs lots of work doing to it so over the summer, Mr Wilkinson and I have been very busy stripping wallpaper and knocking out walls. The boys love the house as it has a secret den in the attic that they can hide in. Reid is excited because it has an apple tree in the garden so every time he goes outside, he wants an apple from the tree. Reid loves apples; Tate does not like apples!

★ For some of you, it will be your first time at nursery and for others it will be your first day back after being at home for a long time. Some of you might be excited and some of you might be feeling a bit nervous. It can be a bit scary coming back to nursery after a long time and starting nursery for the very first time. All of your friends in nursery and the grown-ups are there to help you and to make you feel happy and safe and we are going to have so much fun that any worries will soon disappear. I thought knowing a little more about us would help.

<u>Favourite...</u>	<u>Colour</u>	<u>Book</u>	<u>Animal</u>	<u>Area in Nursery</u>
Mrs Wilkinson				Role play area
Miss Comerford				Art area

★ We hope you enjoy the rest of your holiday and can't wait to see your smiling faces!

★ See you soon,

★ Mrs Wilkinson and Miss Comerford

