

Parent Quotes re. Re-Opening

"Teddy has been so happy returning to his friends and teachers at FRS. He missed them hugely over the last few months and is delighted to be back. Teddy is moving on to Primary School from September so it was really important for us that he could have these final few weeks to say goodbye to FRS and prepare for big school!"

The Harris Family

"We were a little anxious as to how Benjamin would settle back into the changes at nursery after such a long time at home. However, the staff have been amazing in their understanding, sensitivity and creativity in welcoming him back. He has been so happy and excited to be back and he has been asking to go to nursery during weekends now! We are very grateful for all that you do for the children."

The Raskin Family

"I must admit that the days leading up to Olivia going back to nursery I was slightly anxious - as most of us were. However, as soon as we arrived at FRS I felt completely at ease. All the staff greeted us with warmth and attention, as they always do! I'm so impressed by the logistics and the set up that's been put in place to ensure everyone's safety, however at the same time ensuring it's still an inviting, creative and playful atmosphere for the children. Olivia loves being back with her friends and teachers. She has not expressed any concerns or worries about the new set up and it's been great for the whole family to be back into a routine and "new" normality. Thank you to all of the staff at FRS helping us through these extraordinary circumstances."

The Goldschmidt Family

"Alex has loved the Kindergarten reopening. However, it was never truly 'closed' as the whole team worked so hard to continue the communication, activities and fun virtually. It was hugely appreciated to have regular and frequent contact with the FRS Kindergarten team at such an uncertain time. We were particularly impressed and grateful for the clear and concise explanation provided about how the kindergarten would function on a day to day basis once the children returned. From the huge amount of thought and organisation that had obviously gone into every aspect of the plans, we knew Alex would be well looked after.

Now Alex is back in the building and he could not be happier. Any anxiety he, and we, had quickly disappeared as soon as he was welcomed with a huge smile by his teachers. We are incredibly grateful to the whole team for all their hard work, thought and effort throughout this. We feel very lucky to be part of such an incredible community."

The Goldman Family

“The kindergarten at FRS has managed the return to our new normal with joy, pragmatism and sensitivity. Of my 3 children, it was my youngest who struggled most with lockdown. He is absolutely delighted to be back and is happy and thriving. He will be well prepared to start school in September. We are all so glad to be here. “

The Nathan Family

“Despite the physical changes that FRS have had to put in place due to government guidelines, the Kindergarten continues to be the most warm and welcoming environment. My child has been extremely happy and can now continue his journey in thriving at FRS Kindergarten.”

The David Family

“Grace has been so happy to come back to kindergarten, she settled immediately into the new set up and her teachers have been wonderful in making her feel happy and settled in a slightly different environment. Thank you!”

The Taylor Family

“Being reunited with her pals and wonderful teachers Grace is back to her old self again, we couldn't be happier. Seeing her greet her friends and teachers that first day was both wonderful and very emotional. One step closer to normality!”

The Goldstone Family

“I wanted to write and say how wonderful it is having Felix back with you and what an amazing job you've all done to get everything 'Covid-ready' whilst still providing the kids with an amazing and exciting and fun experience.

Felix is loving being with his friends, and Aimee. I feel that, despite the precarious situation in which we find ourselves, Felix is being looked after and all the children and staff's safety is being closely considered. “

The Christie Family

"Being welcomed back to FRS Kindergarten has meant the world to my son. He is able to engage and learn with his peers as well as the fantastic staff who he had sorely missed and adapted instantly to the new set up. Well done to all of the Kindergarten team for making the setting feel like a home from home once again and for delivering such a consistently welcoming and stimulating environment to the children despite the limitations you're working with".

The Feldman Family

"We were a bit nervous about sending our toddler back to nursery - would it be safe? Would it be so 'different' that he'd be scared? Would it make him anxious? But Emma's emails ahead of re-opening made it clear that the team had thoroughly researched and considered every aspect to keep our children safe, and when nursery re-opened our son bounded in with a big smile on his face. He's loving his time at nursery, despite the new limitations. We were really impressed how the site has been divided up in a "fun" way - construction-style tape accompanied by construction toys means the new lay-out looks creative, not restrictive, and lots of outdoor and water play has been really popular with the kids as well as in line with Covid19 guidance. Despite being masked, which scared our son initially, the security guys are as smiley and helpful as ever too. Thank you so much to Emma, Maya, Aimee, Martina, Jolanta and all the team for making the best of a very difficult situation."

The Lesser Family