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Dear prospective parent,

A warm welcome from all of us at Ashdon Primary School.

You are reading this letter either because you are accessing our admissions materials on our website, or because you have been given one of our leaflets. If it is the latter, then please visit our school website at www.ashdon.essex.sch.uk

On our website homepage you will find lots of information to help you decide whether our school is somewhere you wish to consider for your son/daughter starting in September 2021. This includes:

Our school prospectus – this has lots of information about our school.

A video tour – This is an 8-minute video taking you around the main parts of our school, so you can get a feel for it.

Ex-Year 6 messages – A quick video of 4 of our ex-Year 6 pupils and what they had to say when they left the school in July 2020.

An overview of EYFS – A summary of what the Early Years Foundation Stage looks like in our school.

Prospective parents FAQs – I have tried to think about questions that you may have about our school and the admissions process.

Links to the admissions pages for Essex, Cambridgeshire and Suffolk – whilst most of our families are based in Essex, quite a few live in Cambridgeshire, e.g. Linton, and some live in Suffolk. You will need to apply for a school place with the Local Authority where your home is based, even if the school is in a different county.

Unfortunately, due to the Covid-19 virus, we have decided not to offer either an Open Morning or personalised tours to the school. We do hope that you will find all the information you need from the documentation and videos, to help you decide whether Ashdon is the right school for your child. We are always available to answer questions about either the school or the application process, so do not hesitate to ask.

Finally, please remember the national deadline to submit your application for a primary school place is **Friday 15th January 2021**.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Rance
Headteacher

