



13<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Across the Treetops Learning Community, we promote a total communication environment, encouraging all staff and pupils to use sign language.

Signing is used by staff and children to help with their understanding of language as well as supporting speech.

We will be offering all parents and carers the opportunity to come along and join us for a workshop “An Introduction to Phase 1, Signalong” on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023 between 10.00-14.00

The course is free of charge but we do recommend that you purchase a handbook at a cost of £26.00. These will be available to purchase in the new School Gateway App. Simply click on Payments on your home page and scroll down until you find the item.

We will provide tea and coffee but please provide your own lunch.

If you would like to attend this course, please email [therapyteam@treetops.thurrock.sch.uk](mailto:therapyteam@treetops.thurrock.sch.uk).

We look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely

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