

Speech and Language Therapy at Maltby Lilly Hall Academy

Dear Parent(s) and Carer(s)

Maltby Lilly Hall Academy has a Speech and Language Therapist, Emmie Gelder, visiting school every afternoon on a Wednesday. These visits will help children who have difficulties with their talking and communication. This may involve some or all of the following: screening assessments with all children to identify any areas of difficulty; working with certain children in small groups; working with entire classes of children to support their developing communication skills; working with certain children on a 1:1 basis.

If you do **not** want the Speech and Language Therapist to see your child, please complete and return the opt-out slip to school. This means that your child will **not** be seen for any Speech Therapy assessment or input at school. **Please respond by Wednesday 25th September 2019.**

If you are happy for the Speech and Language Therapist to see your child, **you do not need to do anything**. The Speech and Language Therapist will be in touch with you if your child needs further help from Speech Therapy. This may be in the form of a phone call or a report sent home with your child to keep you informed.

If you would like any further information, please contact me using the details below. I look forward to getting to know the community at Maltby Lilly Hall over the coming term.

Yours sincerely,

Emmie Gelder - Speech and Language Therapist

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I **do not** want the Speech and Language Therapist to see my child at school.

Name of child: _____

Name of parent/carers: _____

Date: _____

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