



To Children and Parents of Nursery

My Name is Mrs Cullen and I am your new class teacher for 2020/21.

## My Roles and Responsibilities

I am the Nursery class teacher and I am responsible for Parental Engagement and Family Learning.

## About Me

I am married with two children - Che who is 19 and Carina who is 16. I live in Bebington. I lived in London for six years after training as a teacher then moved back to the Wirral in 1993. I got a job at Eastway as a Nursery Teacher and have been here ever since! I am now teaching the children of the pupils I taught in Nursery. Here are a few fun facts about me:

- I love being outdoors and enjoy camping, walking and skiing.
- I love travelling and have been on some adventures such as staying in the Amazon jungle, flying over the Angel Falls, Venezuela in a small plane and salsa dancing in Cuba.
- To keep myself fit I do salsa dancing and I am part of an adult contemporary dance class. (Which includes some ballet moves!)
- I love the theatre and will watch anything from musicals to comedies. I will watch professional and amateur shows. I have watched my son perform many times at The Gladstone Theatre in Port Sunlight as he is a member of local drama societies. I like to visit London to watch shows in the West End.
- My favourite colours are green and brown.
- I am a vegetarian.
- Before teaching I worked on a campsite in France looking after children in a children's activity club.

## What you can expect from me

I am firm but fair. I am quiet spoken and am understanding of those children who need encouragement to talk or need a little bit of extra time to answer questions. I will encourage the children to be as independent as possible, making sure they have a go first but will always be there to help. I encourage children to be nice to each other by sharing, taking turns and speaking about how we feel if we are upset. I expect the children to listen to me when I am talking and when we are playing and I have a special toy who helps us with our listening. I am looking forward to an exciting year.