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Dear Parents / Carers,

Exciting news! Our setting has been enrolled to provide daily supervised toothbrushing for children. This innovative programme is brought to us by mydentist Big Smiles and aims to help tackle tooth decay.

Below is a brief outline of what the programme involves but we would love you to come to our Stay and Meet the dental team session on the **24<sup>th</sup> September at 2.30pm** where you can hear all about the programme and its benefits. You will also receive a pack to take home for your child which will include a toothbrush, toothpaste and information leaflet.

What the programme involves:

Your child will be brushing their teeth each day in the classroom, but they should still brush their teeth twice a day at home too!

Children will be supervised during the brushing sessions every day and will be under the guidance of our staff members who have been trained as 'Oral Health Champions'. Each child will receive their own toothbrush, which will be easily identifiable and will be stored in a safe storage system.

Please ensure you let us know of any allergies or health issues your child may have which could mean they are unable to take part in the programme.

To consent for your child to take part in the toothbrushing sessions, please complete the Microsoft Form and we hope you can join us on the **24<sup>th</sup> September**.

If you wish to learn more about how to improve your child's oral health before the session, visit [www.mydentist.co.uk/dental-health/dental-treatment/kids-club](http://www.mydentist.co.uk/dental-health/dental-treatment/kids-club)

Happy toothbrushing!

Yours sincerely,  
Miss Fazakerley



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