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## **Bahá'í Council for England**

### **Bahá'í Council for England's contact details**

DEAR FRIENDS,

We are writing to inform you that Mrs Suzanne Gerstner has been appointed to the post of Administrative Aide to the Bahá'í Council for England. The Council warmly welcomes Suzanne in her new post.

The Council's Office has now been transferred to its new location in Berkshire. The office hours are Monday–Friday 9:00–14:00. There is an answering-machine for out of office hours. We would be grateful if all enquiries for the attention of the Bahá'í Council for England, including correspondence, emails and telephone calls, could be directed to the Council's official postal (see printed edition) and email address and not to the Council secretary's home and personal email address.

With this communication we would like to once again thank all those who applied for the post of the Administrative Aide. The selection process was very difficult due to the level of dedication and calibre of the applicants.

With loving greetings,

Bahá'í Council for England

Please note contact details →

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### **'Tarbiyat' school for children**

28th September, 2003

DEAR FRIENDS,

We are delighted to be able to share with you some very exciting news regarding the establishment of the new Bahá'í Persian language "Tarbiyat" school, for children in Barnet. The aim of the school will primarily be the teaching of the Persian language to students, but this will be within a Bahá'í context. As you may already be aware, the Universal House of Justice, in its letter of 154 BE, urges Bahá'ís of Iranian background both to engage in the spiritual education of their children, and to teach them the Persian language. The school will be open to children from Bahá'í and non-Bahá'í backgrounds.

It is anticipated that the school will eventually be self-financing, with income being generated by subscriptions from parents of pupils. To ensure the highest standards are maintained, and that this endeavour is sustainable, class sizes will be strictly limited. The school still has some places available and is regularly held on Saturdays from 1.30 pm to 4.30 pm.

Although costs have not been fully calculated yet, it is estimated that initially they will be of the order of £45 per pupil per term, with discounts for siblings. It should also be noted that the school is open to all and welcomes participation of non-Bahá'í Persian friends

The appointed director of the school is Mrs Nazari and the school will remain under the jurisdiction of the Bahá'í Council for England. The Persian Task Force asks that you share this news with all potentially interested parents. For further details and/or to show an interest in registering, please contact Mrs Majidi of the Persian Task Force on 01494 763129.

With loving Bahá'í greetings,

Persian Task Force of the Bahá'í Council for England

