

Current Policy Date: March 2017

Review: Annually

Date of Next Review: March 2018



MISSION STATEMENT

SUMMARY:

To work with parents and carers to help prepare their child to become an independent person, with confidence and an enthusiasm for life-long learning.

AIMS

- We approach this by creating a happy, sharing and caring environment where all children love to come and be excited by learning through play.
- We strive to establish an atmosphere that is secure and reassuring, and that builds on the warmth and the trust of home.
- We encourage and develop positive attitudes – respect for each other’s ideas, taking turns and sharing, so that each child can be accepted as an individual with different needs, skills and interests.
- We are passionate about children having the opportunity to explore the outdoor environment. Being outdoors offers children the freedom to explore, use their senses, and be physically active and exuberant.
- We provide opportunities for all the children to explore their world beyond the security of Nursery, in order to develop links with the local community and beyond.

2, 3, 4 and 5 year old children NEED.....

To Play

- Play is a child’s work and the means whereby he grows

Others

- To provide a safe environment in which children can develop socially and emotionally through their interaction with others.

To Learn

- To develop skills and attitudes and help children acquire a wide range of concepts through first hand experiences both indoors and outdoors.

To Move

- To foster and promote the development of physical skills.

To Be Me

- To provide opportunities for children to develop as individuals.

To Communicate

- To foster and promote all communication skills.