

Visitor Policy (Covid Update)

September 2020

Settling in Sessions/Transitions

Unfortunately at this present time parents may not enter the nursery for the purpose of settling in sessions. During the COVID-19 pandemic all handovers will be completed at the gate. All children will need to keep to their drop off and collection times to ensure staff ratios. It is important that social distancing rules are followed. The children will be collected by a member of staff and taken to their room for their session. The parents will not be able to spend time in the childrens class rooms to minimise any risk of infection. We have asked parents if possible to wear face masks on drop off and collection as the staff have close contact when taking the children from parents. We have introduced drop off zones and the use of a one way system.

Visitors

Parents / carers or visitors are currently not permitted to enter the premises unless authorised to do so by the nursery management, this will only be with appropriate PPE.

Visitors to the nursery will not be encouraged unless it involves a safeguarding issue or professional to assess a child's development, which cannot be resolved by telephone. Interviews or meetings will be conducted via video conference. There will be no parent consultations for the time being, this will be done via telephone with the child's key person. There will not be any other mass events such as the Christmas nativity, sports day and summer Fayre.

Nursery Show Around

Prospective parents should make use of the nursery website for information relating to the ethos and organisation of the nursery. There are photos showing the nursery and the activities that take place on our Facebook page. If the parents then decide to take up a place, the nursery team will be able to give you all the information you require. Once enrolled parents have access to our Babysdays system that follows your child's learning and development. Parents can join our private face book group, we have for each class to keep them updated with the class news and activities.

Contractors

Any contractor that is authorised to enter the setting will be required to complete a COVID-19 questionnaire and have their temperature taken. . Anyone refusing to comply with the GOV guidelines will be asked to leave the premises immediately.