



THE OPEN-PLAN ENVIRONMENT

THE OVER 2'S

The room consists of bright and colourful areas set up according to the 'Continuous Provision' E.Y.F.S Curriculum Guidelines. The children are encouraged to learn through their play as they experience and explore the wide variety of resources and suitable activities planned by the Key Persons. These cover the 7 areas of learning:

The 3 Prime Areas

- Personal, Social and Emotional
- Physical Development
- Communication and Language

The Specific Areas

- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the World
- Expressive Arts and Designs

Our outdoor environment is an extension to our indoor space where the children have great opportunity to free flow in all weathers. Our Sensory garden which is situated at the back of the nursery is our developing work-in-progress, which in time will have digging areas, growing patches, picnic areas and much more.

From this we aim for our children to flourish and become happy, independent and imaginative young people.

THE UNDER 2'S

The baby area is a homely, warm and secure environment also set up into areas for the babies to explore the different senses and to develop their physical skills such as crawling, standing and taking their first steps. All captured on camera and through written observations from the Key Persons. We have a sleep room with 3 cots and nappy changing facilities. The babies are offered malleable play such as:

- gloop
- paint
- jelly
- dough

We target the 3 prime areas of learning for the children's development.

The 3 Prime Areas

- Personal, Social and Emotional
- Physical Development
- Communication and Language

The babies will also have the great outdoor experiences and occasionally will be taken out for walks around the local area.