

4.8 Partnership with Parents Policy

Children benefit from parents and educators working together in partnership to meet the needs of each child. Good communication between parents and educators is essential to enable the best care, learning and development to be provided for every child. We recognise that there are different family units and are inclusive of all parents/carers. We will endeavour to provide information via various methods to meet the needs of all.

Our open door policy means that parents/carers are welcomed at pre-school to share information with keypersons. We have a separate area available for confidential conversations. We welcome parent/carers involvement in the setting whether to assist in sessions or share your own interest or skills with the children. We send out regular questionnaires to encourage parent/carer feedback about our practice.

Every child will be assigned a key person who will build a relationship with parents/carer and your child and ensure that your child's care and learning is tailored to meet their individual needs. The key person will assist your child to become familiar with the setting and routines. They will be available for you to talk with and have regular meetings with you to discuss your child's progress and share your child's learning journey.

Parent consent is sought before any information is shared with other professionals.