

Settling in Policy

We recognise that our setting environment will be different from what children may be used to. We also recognise that each child who attends our setting differ in age, maturity, experiences, family circumstances and temperament.

When a place is accepted we like to arrange for parents/carers to visit with their child or children before they leave them for the first time to allow everyone to become familiar with the premises and people involved in their care. We like to encourage parents/carers to feel free to stay with their children as long as they require to become settled before leaving.

Children are welcome to bring personal belongings from home to help with the transition such as a comforter, favourite toy; this builds a home and childcare link.

We like parents to feel they can check on their child at any time during the day. We will try and avoid contacting you unless there is an emergency, while you're working, however, we may need to speak with you during the settling in period if anything arises with your child we need your assistance with.