Admissions

At Little Adventurers we care for children between the ages of 3 months and 5 years.

The numbers and ages of children admitted to the nursery comply with the legal space requirements set out in the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS). When considering admissions we are mindful of staff: child ratios and the facilities available at the nursery.

All families are invited to look round the nursery prior to deciding to join. They are also provided with a comprehensive nursery prospectus.

Availability changes every day, so visiting the setting to look round does not secure a place and parents should not assume that if they delay in registering, that the same availability stands. No place is confirmed until a completed registration form and registration fee is received from the parent. Once these are received, the child's place will be confirmed in writing.

Nearer to the child's start date, settling in visits will be arranged, providing the child with support to transition into nursery. These will be arranged for times convenient to both parties.

We operate a waiting list and places are offered on an availability basis.

We operate an Inclusion and equality policy and ensure that all children have access to nursery places and services irrespective of their gender, race, disability, religion or belief or sexual orientation of parents.

Prior to a child attending nursery, parents must complete and sign a contract and registration form. These forms provide the nursery with personal details relating to the child. For example, name, date of birth, address, emergency contact details, parental responsibilities, dietary requirements, collection arrangements, fees and sessions, contact details for parents, doctor's contact details, health visitor contact details, allergies, parental consent and vaccinations etc.

Providers eligible to provide government funded places for early education

A comprehensive guide to fees and funding is supplied to parents. Children in receipt of government funded are admitted to nursery following the same procedures as laid out above.

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