



Settling-in

Policy statement

We understand how difficult it can be for parents to leave their child. We will therefore work with you to ensure your child is settled and that you are happy with the care that we provide.

We organise settling-in sessions for the parents and child. This gives you the opportunity to provide us with lots of information about your child, their likes and dislikes, routines, favourite activities, how to comfort them if they become upset and how they have reacted when left before. It gives us the opportunity to start to build a relationship with you and your child and to understand both your needs and wishes.

We are happy for you to stay until you feel your child is settled. Some children take longer than others to settle and some settle quickly and then become distressed a few weeks into the placement.

We will work with you to support your child through this transition period and make it as easy as possible. It is important that you and your child are relaxed and happy in our setting and with the care we provide.

All our Policies & Procedures are crafted to ensure the highest possible standards at our setting and will be reviewed every 3 years or sooner, if necessary, in light of specific events or relevant statutory changes.

