

Little Treasures Parent Pack

Welcome to Little Treasures Day Nursery!!!!

We hope you find this Parent Pack useful in deciding child care for you little one. Little Treasures is a purpose built day nursery which was built in 2017. The nursery has been designed to promote a happy, educational and safe environment for all children. We have included brief summary and general information on the nursery.

If you have any further questions, please give management a call!! 02841763714

Care Rooms	Age of Child
Baby	0-Walking
Wobbler	Walking -2 years
Toddler	2-3 years
Pre - School	3 – 5 years
Breakfast Club & After School Club	5– 12 years

Price List: (Fees are paid weekly)

£32 per full day
£20 per morning session
£16 per afternoon session
£150 per child attending the full 5 days
Discount for Pre School Kids attending

Payment:

We accept cash, cheque, card & direct debit.
We also expect Childcare Vouchers!

Our nursery is Registered for 69 Children through Southern Health Trust.

NURSERY AIM

- To treat all children equally and with respect while providing a safe, stimulating and enjoyable environment free from abuse and full of fun.
- To provide a wide variety of play activities through which children develop a range of skills, in connection to their needs and interest, to promote their holistic development.
- To help and encourage all children to develop a positive self-esteem and confidence through play.
- To provide all children with a large amount of outside play every day as the outdoors and fresh air is particularly beneficial for their holistic development and well being.
- To ensure a team of highly trained and professional staff who have knowledge of each individual child's physical, social, emotional, language and intellectual skills and understand how to promote their development.
- To develop and maintain a positive relationship between management/ staff and parents. Parents will be kept informed of their child's development and other news concerning the nursery.
- Confidentiality is ensured at all times

CARE ROOMS

BABY ROOM

Our baby room is cosy and inviting for your little one. The windows are positioned low in the building to allow you baby to crawl over and have a peep outside. The room has its own nappy changing facility and sleep room. The toys are all at the level of the children to allow them to explore all day. We have created a small daily routine within the room, to ensure the babies have access to outdoors every day and creative play, such as splashing in the water, shaving foam, bubbles and messy painting. Our Nursery cook will provide homemade meals throughout the day and we are able to blend any meals for little ones weaning. Bottles are made up as and when needed from Food Hygiene Trained Staff. All our toys are wiped daily after use with Anti Bacterial wipes and Milton used weekly to help keep those little bugs away!! You can leave a bag of nappies and wipes in and we can let you know when we need more. Your baby's bed sheet and blanket will be washed weekly or when needed.

WOBBLER ROOM

This room is our exciting room!! Your little one will just be on their feet and keen to explore. We have lots of activities in this room, structured throughout the day. From building blocks, table top activities, books and home corner to water play, painting, and using crayons to name a few. The children will have access to the garden area daily to explore the outdoor sand pit and play house. On good weather days we have prams to take the children off site for a walk. Our nursery cook will make homemade meals throughout the day, ensuring the food is cut into smaller pieces for those little hands!! Toys are cleaned daily with antibacterial wipes and weekly with Milton. Within the room we have nappy changing facilities, sleep room with cots for the children. Blankets and cot sheets will be washed weekly or when needed.

TODDLER ROOM

Our Toddler room is our very busy room! The children have toys all at their level and windows are low for the children to peep out. The room has a toilet, nappy changing and toilet training area, along with a sleep room with small beds. Our routine in this room is structured around the children, to ensure quiet time, messy play, outdoors and group play. The staff will be encouraging the children throughout the day to help promote Social Skills such as recognising their coat, helping to tidy up and encourage self feeding during meal times. The children will experience messy play, story time and group games. On planned days children will have the opportunity to help with baking buns and making homemade pizza. Toys are cleaned daily and Milton used weekly. Bed sheets will be washed weekly or when needed.

PRE SCHOOL ROOM

In this room, we have low windows and toilets within the care room. The room is structured to encourage your little one to get ready for school. Staff will plan daily routines to cover all areas of the curriculum. The child's toys are at their level and just like the other rooms and cleaned daily and Milton used weekly. The children will have access to drawing, painting, water, sand, jigsaws and our outdoor play area will be used daily. Our cook will prepare all the homemade meals and we assist with the children to help them prepare their snack by choosing their own fruit, pouring of milk/ water and using cutlery. On great weather days, we can take the children off site to the local parks and library using our child friendly walking straps. School run drop off and pick up service is available.

BREAKFAST CLUB & AFTERSCHOOL ROOM

Whether you only need your child left to school or collected we will ensure they have a great time. Our aim in this room is to be a cool club was your older children, can relax after a hard day at school with fun and games. In the morning the children will be able to get breakfast before school and enjoy the planned activities set out. After school we will assist in written homework (15 minutes for younger children, 25 minutes for older). We encourage all parents to check their Childs homework and reading is completed each evening. The children will help prepare their own snack throughout the day from fruit kebabs, homemade pizzas to pasta. The children will be able to use our outdoor play area every day. Activities in this room range from small world play like dinosaurs to jigsaws, building blocks, board games and messy play. Toilets are available within the care room

OUTDOOR PLAY AREA

The nursery has worked hard in promoting a stimulating and safe outdoor area for all aged children. Outdoor play area has 4 areas. The first area is a garden, where children can play on the grass, dig in the sand tray and help care for our plants and vegetables.

The second area is our purpose built climbing frame and swings. The children will be able to play freely here with close supervision from staff.

Our third area, is on all weather flooring, where children can use the bikes, cars, balls and our cute little house.

Our last area is our indoor / outdoor play space. This space is designed for all weathers. This roofed over area ensures children have access to the outdoor area even if it's raining. The area has soft flooring to ensure the younger babies are still able to go outside and have a crawl about.

CATERING

Here at Little Treasures, we make all food on site. We have a nursery cook who is Food Hygiene Trained, to help prepare all meals and snacks. Along with the Environmental Health Office, we follow close guidelines' set out in our HACCP Folder, to prepare, cook, store food and serve the food. All food used will be healthy and nutritional for the children. If your child has any food allergies or dislikes, please inform us upon enrolment so we can cater for the child. A monthly menu will be emailed to our parents and we have plenty of alternatives if your child would like something else. The menu will be catered for all ages of children from 12 years to babies weaning.

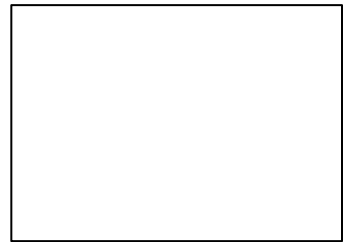
Example Homemade Menu:

Am Snacks - Fresh Fruit, Toast, Weetabix, Porridge ect

Lunch – Irish stew, Pasta Bolognese, Soup, Fish, Mince, Chicken Goujons, Chicken Dinner ect

PM Snacks – Pizza, Custard, Vegetables & Dip, Beans & Toast, Garlic Bread, Fruit Smoothie, sandwiches, Yoghurt etc.

All menus are provided to parents



WHAT DOES MY CHILD NEED IN NURSERY?

BABY ROOM	Change of clothes, nappies and wipes, bottles, baby milk, bibs, cot sheet & blanket
WOBLER ROOM	Change of clothes, nappies, wipes, cot sheet & blanket
TODDLER ROOM	Change of clothes, extra clothes for toilet training, bed sheet & blanket
PRE SCHOOL ROOM	Change of clothes
AFTER SCHOOL ROOM	Change of clothes if they want to get changed after school