



La Maternelle Family Childcare – Sandbach

Parent Questionnaire Outcomes 2018-2019



Number of Questionnaires Returned: 132

Key: X – Child name

Tell us something that you particularly like about La Maternelle

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The staff are fantastic, X really enjoys her time at nursery. She's always talking about the fun activities. • They are so interested in the progress of my son • Both our kids love coming and really look forward to it so that tells you everything • It's well run, friendly and I think he always has a great time. I think he is supported well, and he has come on leaps and bounds from being here. • Staff know the children well • Range of activities and staff feedback • Caroline and Jodie are great. Great outdoor area in all weathers. Lots of great resources. Friendly staff. Staff seem to know children well. • We love the amazing outdoor space and the independence X has whilst also being closely supported and nurtured. It's a fantastic place with lovely, friendly and knowledgeable staff. • Variety of activities, regular updates via Tapestry • Inclusive and helpful • Its staff and the setting itself are the best part of the nursey • The variety of learning activities that are play focused • All staff are friendly and know my child considering he only attends once a week • X loves outdoor play, stories, playing with friends and heathy meals • I don't worry about her when she is here, lots of activities • How they have helped X 's social skills • Care and attention to the needs of the children • The setting and the practitioners • The staff are all fantastic!! • X loves coming to La Maternelle, he feels very secure and is always happy when picking him up • The range of activities and amount of time outside is fab • Friendly staff. Lots of activities • Attentiveness of staff. Facilities. Flexibility • Very welcoming All the staff are amazing • The staff are brilliant! I love how at home, settled and confident X feels here. You can't ask for more than that. • Staff – a level above most of the nurseries I visited • Friendly approachable. X seems extremely happy and well nurtured. The academic aspect of it • The staff. They show so much love and affection to X. We are filled with confidence that he loves it here. • The stimulating environment and staff are so caring and attentive to children • A range of activities, good communication. Beth knows X really well and provides a caring environment for him. • Lovely staff – X is always talking about nursery! • The outdoor environment is fantastic and having access all day long is perfect for my boy who loves to spend time outside. Staff are fab too! • X was strongly supported in the Star Room when she started particularly on a Thursday when two of her friends do not attend. The staff facilitated X to make other friends and she is now extremely happy on a Thursday as well as her other nursery days. • Excellent surroundings and facilities, friendly staff who work hard to make sure X is happy and learning. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free flow between indoors and outdoors • The interaction between the children and nursery practitioners and the development for the children. • How well the staff get to know the children • Lots of outdoor learning and supported activities. Friendly attentive staff • The communication to parents via online • Lots of outside time • Free flow outside access • Julia, Hayley and Jodie have been amazing. Julia has been so caring and supportive to X. • The staff are really nice and helpful. • Activities and progress for X is great • How things are explained at the end of the day. How staff seem to really care. • X likes all the outdoor play. Strong home links with parents • Staff friendly and welcoming. Range of activities and outdoor area • The different options X gets through the day to play with. • Engagement and support. Everyone wants to help • The staff are all wonderful and recognize each child as an individual • Friendly and welcoming. Good outside space • Outdoor areas and range of activities • Communication • Staff, range of activities, transition to new room • Nurturing environment is stimulating for my son • Cleanliness and lots of varied activities • Information on pick up • Very approachable, X loves it here • The staff and the love and care they put into X • Free access to outside space • Outdoor environment is good • How approachable the staff one and how much X enjoys and thrives • Free flow access to outside • Supportive, encouraging, caring – thank you! • Friendly staff • X really enjoys nursery and I feel comfortable knowing how well she is looked after • Staff very friendly • Very friendly and welcoming • Staff members and the experiences on offer • The support we have had, particularly with the additional needs our child has • Friendly staff – they know my child • Outside/inside space and activities • Environment and individual attention to X • All of the outdoor play • Friendly homely environment • I find the setting to be very professional. Any concerns I have had have always bene dealt with quickly • Friendly and welcoming environment • Since starting at the nursery X has started to really look forward to going and has become more confident. • I love the atmosphere and staff • Individual care and support -Treat the kids as an individual |
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1. My child is happy & enjoys their time at La Maternelle				
Strongly Agree – 76%	Agree – 24%	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't Comment
100% of parents agree that their child is happy and enjoys their time at La Maternelle. This is a fantastic consistent achievement for the La Maternelle team as the children's happiness is at the heart of our ethos. Parents commented on how supportive staff had been in ensuring children were happy on entering the setting.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loves coming, looks forward to nursery days X has settled in very well and appears to really enjoy his time at nursery X runs into nursery each morning and waves as we drive past We are really impressed at his progress here X loves everyday he is at nursery and is very happy X loves nursery and her Key Worker Looks forward each day We struggle to come in the morning but seems settled when I come to pick him up She hates coming but seems happy once here and when I collect her He has struggled with drop off but with support has settled well Loves coming to nursery Very much so X loves it X loves attending nursery It took X a while to accept the change to bigger room but is very happy now X loves attending nursery and always looks forward to the activities 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> X loves nursery X loves his time at nursery Runs in happy each day Just unsettled at drop off but loves his time here Always seems happy Sometimes cries at drop off, helped by Nic X loves nursery! She adores Kharis and Sarah Kharis is fab X seems very happy and settled in the Sunshine Room X loves it here, and when it comes to home time, half the time she doesn't want to leave!! X is very happy and settled with the staff and friends has made. He looks forward to coming to nursery and happily returned after a 12 day holiday. Helping him to settle in brilliantly Staff have been really supportive helping with drop offs She's always happy to be dropped off and is developing lovely relationships with staff X is always excited to come to nursery and loves her time here – thank you! X is always keen to come to nursery and is always excited to start playing 		
Development points – None identified				

2. I feel the staff are friendly, approachable & welcoming.				
Strongly Agree – 86%	Agree – 14%	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't comment
100% of parents agreed that staff were friendly, approachable and welcoming. The majority of positive comments we received were regarding the staff team and the positive impact they have had on both children and parents alike.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excellent. All are interested, knowledgeable, informative and caring/supporting to children Jodie is great, Liz always mentions anything fun that X has done in his day. They are always very friendly and welcoming when I collect All staff have been very friendly and welcoming since X started nursery We love Natalie. She is great with X. We also have found Liz to be excellent. All staff are very attentive and caring towards X and his friends. X loves Caroline especially Natalie is lovely, she has a great relationship with X and he is always so pleased to see her. Kate – Amazing with the children. Jodie - always lots of fun and so caring. All of them are excellent with X Sarah, Shelley and Emma are always especially engaging and friendly Great staff – We love Jess! Everyone is lovely esp. Narelle, Katie, Lauren Kate- She's awesome! Hayley – She has been key factor in X settling in so well. Always makes X welcome and takes time to listen to him. Julia – fab too! Julia has a great relationship with X and always provides lots of feedback demonstrating this 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kate and Lizz are brilliant. Jodie is always playing with the children and Julia has really bonded with X. Julie has been a fantastic support to X. Also, Jodie has given X confidence with nature which is lovely. Natalie really helps settle X when she arrives in the mornings. Natalie is fantastic. Loves Nat Nat Couldn't be happier with the staff in the Rainbow Room X has a great relationship with Kharis All staff are fab we've been with Kharis since the beginning and kids love her. Becky at reception is fab. All very helpful Narelle, Emma, Shelley and Chloe are always lovely, and we really appreciate the thorough handover we get at the end of each day S is one member of staff X is drawn to Very friendly. Always go above and beyond. Can't say enough good things about them all. All! Becky, Jess, Beth in particular – but whoever greets us in the morning/evening is always really welcoming. We all get on very well with Hayley. She understands X very well. Hayley: always a positive approach to matters 		
Development points – None identified				

3. I feel the staff & my child's key person really know my child as an individual and support him/her well.				
Strongly Agree – 86%	Agree – 24%	Disagree –	Strongly disagree	Can't comment –
100% of parents agreed that key people know the child well.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fantastic Julia always has something great to say about X's day. She always makes me feel X is well taken care of X loves the activities and particularly the wonderful outdoor spaces We are always asked how X is in the morning He has complex needs that nursery work really well to support Natalie is really tuned in to X – he really likes her! Caroline is amazing with X so caring and professional Caroline always talks about X and knows what she likes 100% Nat knows him so well! They have a great relationship Natalie has supported X really well with potty training and encouraging him to take his medicine Natalie, Jodie and Caroline are very good Beth has been amazing! It's so lovely to see the bond X has developed with her and she obviously feels safe and confident here. Feedback is always thorough at pick up time with details of her day. Staff understand X, her personality, needs and interests Caroline knows X's likes and dislikes 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Julia has worked hard to get to know X Julia has a lovely bond with X. She knows all his likes and dislikes and he has come on leaps and bounds with her support. Key Person – not all staff are the same Kharis made so much effort to build a relationship with X (which isn't always the easiest thing to do) and because of this they have a real bond. When Nic isn't in the other helpers are good Seth seems to have a good relationship with Kharis, he always says her name when we drive past nursery Shelly is very pleasant and great with X I feel all staff in the room know X really well, which I really appreciate. They all really care and will put in effort. Jess and Katie know her very well. Jess hasn't always been in the same room recently so other staff who don't know her as well they have been with her Beth knows X's likes and dislikes, she knows how to distract him when needed to. Hayley has such a good understanding of X and how to bring out the best in him. He adores her and said the other day "I really like Hayley, and she really likes me" He missed her when she was on holiday 		
Development points – None identified				

4. La Maternelle provides a stimulating & enjoyable environment indoors & outdoors for my child.				
Strongly Agree – 81%	Agree – 19%	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't comment
We are continuously updating the environment both indoors and out to ensure this is kept fresh and interesting. Staff also provide regular planned experiences for children to introduce new skills and experiences. This system is clearly working well with 100% of parents agreeing that the environment is stimulating for children.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> X loves structured lessons and always brings learning home to develop. Love the lots of varied activities. Lots of different stations to use their imagination. We are really impressed with all the activities and outdoor play There is a wide variety of activities and I happy with the structure Seem to do lots of stuff The large outdoor space is wonderful for letting X explore and do role play activities The facilities are clean, pleasant and stimulating for the children Multiple activities always on the go, never a dull moment 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There are so many activities! The setting provides really fun activities Lots of choice and variation The Rainbow Room is wonderful, but I do think X is starting to outgrow it We like that that have access to outside all year round Loves playing X does lots of exciting things at nursery One of the aspects that drew us to the nursery in the first place was the free access to the outdoor area I love how they spend so much time outside. Always inside/outside doing different activities X spends almost all his day outdoors. He absolutely loves the space and resources on offer 		
Development points				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> More outside trips required – sports days etc. <p>The Pre School children have an organised Sports Day.</p> <p>This year we have introduced a second trip for Pre-School children in the Summer Term following the success of the Christmas Pantomime trip last year. We are looking into introducing some further trips around the local area next year including trips to the local park & Forest sessions for children across the setting.</p>				

5. My child's learning & development is well supported at La Maternelle & I am kept well informed about my child's development & progress				
Strongly Agree – 67%	Agree – 32%	Disagree – 1%	Strongly disagree	Can't comment –
We have worked hard over the year to evaluate the system of monitoring children's progress & ensuring parents are kept well informed of their progress. We will be continuing to develop this system. Individual evaluations of children's progress & those of groups e.g. boys, girls, key person groups show that children make good & outstanding progress in their learning & development. In situations where children may require further support this has been targeted quickly for early intervention.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> X has progressed leaps and bounds here and the team works really hard to support his development. Lots of lovely activities are arranged for X to learn through play Lots of lovely activities. Very impressed there are French lessons We love Tapestry Several updates on daily occurrences 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are kept well informed of X's progress Always good feedback Child plan put in place which is great Lots of feedback given Thorough tracking systems, detailed reports Great additional activities such as French add to his experience 		
Development points				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tapestry could be a little bit more detailed maybe Wasn't sure when to expect assessments/updates Tapestry is well updated with activities. However, we don't really get updates on how he progresses individually with the progress indicators <p>We have been reviewing our observation and assessment system over the course of the academic year, to reduce practitioners time spent on paperwork/ipads in order to ensure they spend the majority of their time carrying out quality interactions with children. This in turn improves the quality of education & opportunities for teaching & learning.</p> <p>We have also throughout the year been researching a new system to document the children's Learning and Development. We have now finalised this and will shortly be communicating this to parents, so all parents know what to expect throughout the year in regard to assessments and observations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feedback sheets are very food based rather than learning/activities based <p>We work towards ensuring key people communicate about activities. We are currently in the process of moving over to this new system. The new system will consolidate the Learning and Development and also daily information for children into one system. We are hoping this will be a more concise system for parents to access everything in one place.</p>				

6. Regarding Tapestry – I find the online learning journey & weekly updates useful & informative				
Strongly Agree – 57%	Agree – 36%	Disagree – 1%	Strongly disagree – 1%	Can't comment – 5%
Parents comment positively about the ability to regularly view the photographs & videos of what their child has been doing at La Maternelle. Parents communicate how useful the updates were for reassurance & as an insight into their time at La Maternelle. They also communicated they were an invaluable source of information & brought a lot of happiness to parents & extended family members.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I love being able to see the photos My wife uses tapestry Tapestry is an excellent resource. We are looking at the pictures and updates Yes – very helpful to access info in our own time. Love the photo and comments about her day – always happy to have more! Don't really use it I love seeing pictures of X engaging in activities An extension of nursery provides ideas for home. A good summary of what happens during the day. We really enjoy looking at all the activities that take place at nursery 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I don't really look at it but when I do its nice Enjoy the content I enjoy looking at updates on Tapestry I love receiving Tapestry pictures when I'm at work, its really reassuring Love all the pictures Lots of pictures uploaded regularly Love Tapestry! It is good to know what they have been doing The Tapestry updates are great Definitely. Always lots of information I love seeing what X has been up to 		
Development points				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have to keep resetting my password. Not always able to log on But could be more linked to his development/age Would like more Rarely get them Photos could be approved quicker Can be a little difficult to access sometimes No next steps or explanations as to what they are learning <p>Please see response to question 5</p>				

7. La Maternelle has good arrangements for children starting nursery, moving between rooms and starting school				
Strongly Agree – 62%	Agree – 27%	Disagree –	Strongly disagree	Can't comment – 11%
Many parents commented on how effective and successful transitions between rooms had been. We aim to make these as smooth as possible for children, ensuring children are supported individually with the process and this is done gradually. We have positive links with local schools which ensure Pre-School children are supported as much as possible when it comes time to transition to school, this is reflected in the positive comments about the school transition process.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher links, structured time, develops a strong sense of learning he continues at home Transition days and bag are great idea X's transition from Rainbow to Star Room was seamless She was settled in well I loved X's transition bag when he moved to the Star Room Nice transition from each room 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is great and well supported Slow integration was good The transition has been really good for X I like the steady transitions Like the links with Elworth Hall Excellent liaison with a local school. Outstanding knowledge of the schooling system 		
Development point – None identified				

8. My child is supported to lead a healthy lifestyle at La Maternelle				
Strongly Agree – 63%	Agree – 36%	Disagree – 1%	Strongly disagree	Can't comment –
<p>We continue to be committed to ensuring that children lead a healthy lifestyle. 99% of parents agree that children lead a healthy lifestyle at La Maternelle. Parents commented positively on the food & how much children enjoyed the meals at La Maternelle. We changed the menus during the year & we are really pleased with the feedback from the questionnaires & from our observations of the children eating & enjoying their meals & snacks. We have started to make changes to the puddings offered to reduce the sugar content based on parent feedback & will continue to do this over the course of the next year. We plan to continue to further develop & ensure the nutrition of the meals & snacks offered to the children meets their needs to the highest possible level, whilst also ensuring they continue to enjoy & eat well at La Maternelle. Outdoor time continues to be a priority for children & this continues to be something parents comment positively about in feedback.</p>				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great food choices Lots of outdoor play Food seems healthy Although I was disappointed when the food was changed recently X seems to eat reasonably well here. He loves the snacks X's attitude to food has totally changed since starting here last September. He rarely ate, however now finishes his meals and understands food gives him energy. He has tried so many new foods too! Food choices are varied and healthy and X gets lots and lots of exercise and outdoor play 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> X usually has second portions X enjoys his meals at nursery Always impressed by the variety of the menu. More fruit snacks would be brilliant X spends a lot of time outdoors and is very active whilst at nursery Healthy and varied food options sun cream, hats 		
Development points				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dairy free meals are often the same, tomato pasta so seem less balanced Not sure all food choice are healthy and introduction of premade frozen food does not support this I'd just ask that X is encouraged to drink water throughout the day as I think he struggles with the water bottle here a bit – often coming home thirsty A little disappointed with the change in food arrangements from food prepared and cooked onsite to offsite <p>We plan to continue to further develop & ensure the nutrition of the meals & snacks offered to the children meets their needs to the highest possible level, whilst also ensuring they continue to enjoy & eat well at La Maternelle. The introduction of Appetito has been successful & we plan to continue to use these meals, complemented by the other sides, teas & snacks prepared onsite. All information regarding Appetito promotes that the meals offered are healthy & meet the nutritional needs of the children. They are enjoyable & children continue to eat them extremely well.</p>				

9. La Maternelle is well led & managed				
Strongly Agree – 73%	Agree – 26%	Disagree – 1%	Strongly disagree	Can't comment –
<p>Parents communicate positively about the management team. This core team has remained consistent since the opening of the Nursery in March 2017. This is Becky, Vicki, Sian, Peter, Will & Claire.</p> <p>The continued development of the workforce is the main priority of the management team. This year has seen the further development of this team with the addition of Assistant Managers Hayley & Narelle to support Becky in the Setting Manager Role.</p> <p>We are committed to the delivery of high-quality practice as reflected in our Outstanding Ofsted outcome in December.</p> <p>We have introduced & carried out a wide range of training over the course of the year to support the continued development of the staff at all different levels of responsibility.</p>				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Really like Becky and Peter is also helpful Staff are really professional and approachable Becky is wonderful and always addresses any concerns/areas I feel really comfortable with Becky and can approach her about anything I really like the extracurricular activities such as trips and sports day 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Becky is always on hand for any concerns or problems Becky is always present and leading by example The management (Becky) is fantastic! She's really caring, kind and knowledgeable Always get back to me quickly 		
Development points				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Don't know enough to go SA but publishing of policies would be good <p>All key policies are included in the welcome pack for parents when they register their child. Should anyone wish to receive this again please ask the Setting Manager. Policies are available in all areas of the setting for parents to access.</p>				

10. Overall, I am happy with the care and support my child gets at La Maternelle				
Strongly Agree – 80%	Agree – 20%	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't comment
<p>100% of parents continue to feedback that they are happy with the support & care they receive for their child.</p>				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have been extremely happy with the support and care X has received Definitely we like it so much our 2nd child is starting in September Over the moon – daughter is confident and happy 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are so pleased we chose this nursery. His care has been fantastic Couldn't be happier with the care and support Although I wish X would have moved up sooner as I know some children from her room have 		
Development points – None identified				

11. I would recommend La Maternelle to another parent or carer				
Strongly Agree – 82%	Agree – 17%	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't comment – 1%
We continue to receive new members to La Maternelle based on recommendations and this reputation is invaluable to us. Thank you to everyone for being so supportive.				
Parent Quotes				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most definitely • Without hesitation • Absolutely! • I have and will continue to • Already have done • Already have! 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I have and will continue to do so • I always recommend the nursery to other parents • Definitely would recommend. Great nursery with great key people. • I regularly do! • I have done 		

La Maternelle might be even better if...	
Suggestions/comments that will be fed into Setting Evaluation	
<p><u>Sessions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be open about what incurs a late fee. <p>A late fee is applied if a parent fails to collect a child by 6pm on a frequent basis. This fee is to act as a deterrent to support staff wellbeing to finish their shift on time. This is detailed in the welcome pack that all parents receive.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More availability at short notice for full days especially in the holidays • They did Term Time only contracts • Term time 30 hours childcare • Could have school hours e.g. 9-3 for younger child when eldest goes to school • There could be more flexibility in policy to support individual children (swapping sessions) <p>Due to availability we are only able to offer full days or half days on a permanent basis. Logistically swaps are not able to be offered due to staffing levels & organisation to ensure high quality care each day.</p> <p><u>Staff</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There were photos and names of the staff on the door or in the room. There are lots of staff that I don't know. <p>Staff teams are displayed in each room & in the entrance hall.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team turnover wasn't so high – however in the 3 ½ years it seems to have got much better and is much more consistent for the children • More consistent staff in rooms. <p>Consistency in staffing is a priority & something we endeavor to achieve. For matters out of our control staffing may need to be adjusted but decisions are made to minimize the impact upon children & families.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If staff were supported better. <p>Staff are extremely well supported as reflected in our Ofsted report. We will continue to develop this however staff feedback tells us staff are happy with the support they receive.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When key staff are off on holiday or sick it appears that cover staff do not have an overview of what is happening. I would recommend a briefing/handover in these instances. <p>Staff are kept up to date with all relevant information. There are systems in place for communicating key matters.</p>	<p><u>Teaching and Learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tapestry hit and miss sometimes lots of pictures other weeks none • Even more pictures would be great! • Key info on communication <p>Please see responses to question 5</p> <p><u>Other</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you were more environmentally friendly, stop using single use bags to send clothes home and disposable wet wipes. <p>We have added this to our setting development plan.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More trips/experiences offer. • Take children out into local community park. • Integrate local community trips out • More outside trips – sports day etc. • High vis jackets required when walking next to a road <p>We have included this in our setting development plan.</p> <p><u>Food</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food selection could be better • More fresh food – cooked on site • Maybe less cake/biscuit puddings • Sometimes if X doesn't like a particular meal, she won't eat anything • Sugar was banned from menus (good luck!) <p>Please see responses from question 8</p>

Any further comments	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lovely nursery, lovely staff • X has loved his time here, progressing from the baby room onwards. We have been so happy with everything here • Thank you to Nic for her hard work • This questionnaire could be emailed • Thank you for providing a safe place for X it's been great watching him thrive in the new room. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thank you for everything! • X really enjoys coming and all the staff are great • Overall very happy with the care that X receives here • Happy about everything

Setting Evaluation & Development

We are continually enthusiastic & proactive to ensure that we continue to develop La Maternelle. Therefore, we use this information from parents alongside information from the views of the children, staff & management team to feed into our 'Self Evaluation' & then set targets to continue to develop the setting & practices over the next academic year. A separate e mail was sent in May to share with parents the developments within the setting.

At present see below some of our priorities for development during this academic year (2019.2020)
The full setting development plan is currently being brought together, incorporating the voice of children, parents & the team & will be displayed in the entrance hall.

Move over to EY log & Man system

To further embed the in the moment planning system

Greater focus on 'Curriculum', being clear what we want children to learn & ensure that children are gaining appropriate skills & knowledge

Develop the organisation & quality of assessment system based on reflection of how evolved over 2018.19 to continue to develop this further

Evolution of Behaviour Management system

Special Educational Needs - To fine tune this system & paperwork to ensure best support possible given to children & families

Investigate the use of Makaton within the setting to support individual children

Ofsted changes for Sept 2019 – ensure fulfilling these & adjusting to the new outcomes/headings

Cultural Capital – supporting P knowledge of cultural capital & how we already implement this as part of the daily routines

Reading – continue to highlight the importance of this & the research that indicates the positive impact of this upon future development of children

School Liaison – continue to build on & expand upon relations with schools feed into.

Staff well-being & motivation, continued work on ensuring well motivated

To continue to work to offer children the best support possible in their emotional health & Well-Child well being

Sustainability – to explore further ways to support setting & children/staff to be as sustainable as possible

Sleep Policy – to ensure fully embedded into practice in all rooms as necessary

Implement Forest School Session

Sibling day – introduce a sibling day so brother/sisters can visit. Based on the success of grandparent & parent stay & play sessions

Introduce Nursery T shirt for children to wear in Star Room should parents wish

Nutrition - To ensure most effective nutrition in menu – engage with a professional nutritionist to look over menus for children to have support/info to parents to support menu planning.

To make full use of community facilities & opportunities to access community or resources the local community has to offer

To uphold Millie's Mark & ensure the highest possible levels of managing health & safety within the setting & education for parents & children