



# Deanery CE Primary School



Little Hollies Nursery  
Open Sessions





# How to choose a Nursery

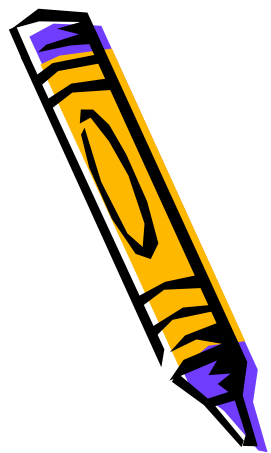
- Word of mouth reputation, including children's enjoyment and safety.
- The warmth of adult/child interactions
- Staff child ratios
- Good staff retention indicating continuity of care
- Facilities and equipment with a good range of activities
- Staff qualifications



# Nursery Open Sessions

## About our Nursery

- 52 place part-time purpose-built Nursery
- Part of our school, its policies and procedures.
- Run as an Early Years Unit with Reception
- Plan with Reception staff



# Our Staff

- 1 teacher and at least 3 NVQ Level 3 equivalent teaching assistants.
- 1:13 ratio in 3 groups with a 'Key Worker'.
- Managed by an Early Years practitioner Mrs Cullen (Deputy Head Teacher)



# Nursery Curriculum

We follow the Early Years Foundation Curriculum (Sept. 2012)

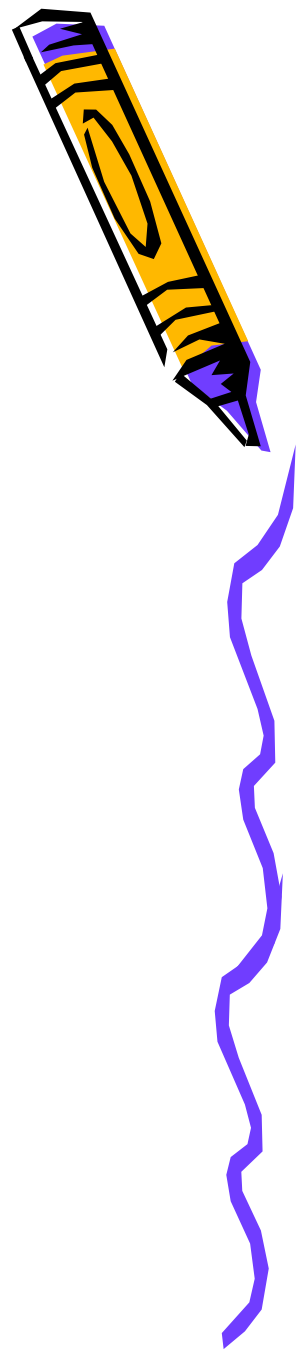
- 7 areas of learning:

## Prime Areas:

1. Personal, Social and Emotional Development
2. Communication and Language
3. Physical Development

## Specific Areas:

4. Literacy
5. Mathematics
6. Understanding of the World
7. Expressive Arts and Design



# Outdoor Activities

All Prime & Specific Areas of Learning are taught outside.

The following areas are used to enhance the curriculum outside:

- Pond area
- Climbing and exploring apparatus
- Bikes and trikes
- Garden area



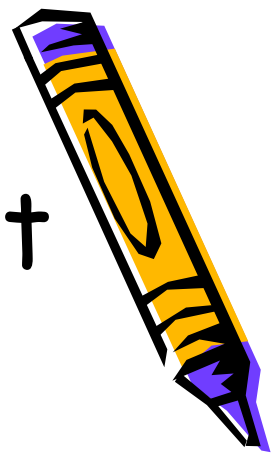
# Foundation Stage Assessment

All children are assessed in accordance with development matters leading to Early Learning Goals

- Start of Nursery
- End of Nursery

Nursery assessment is sent to the Reception Teacher at each child's school

- progress tracked each half-term by staff.
- Consultation Evenings to report progress October and February.
- End of year report - July



# Induction

- Open Sessions - presentation 2021
- Application to our Nursery (Nursery Criteria) - further application necessary for Reception 2021 (Reception Criteria)
- Closing date for application **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March**
- Offering of places **by 1<sup>st</sup> May**
- Nursery Parent Induction Evening-Notified in offer letter (June)
- Home Visits in September
- Staggered sessions September (either Monday and Wednesday or Tuesday and Thursday)





# Session Times and Extended School Care



Morning session 9.00-12 midday

Additional sessions may be paid for through  
our *Extended Services Care*.

7.30-9.00am

12.00-3.30pm

3.30-5.00pm

5.00-6.00pm

(Sessions include breakfast/dinner/afternoon tea)

Fees still to be agreed for September 2021.

Registration forms will be sent with offer letters.



# What our parents say

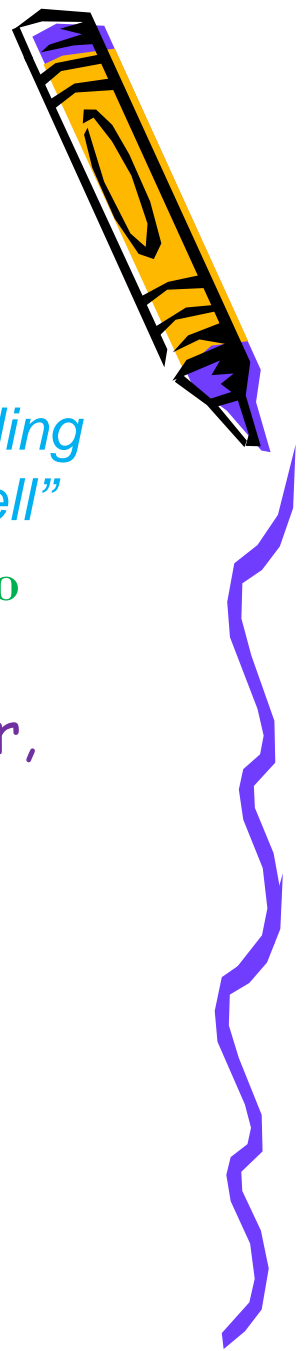
*"Our daughter is really enjoying Nursery, she enjoys telling us about her day. She has settled into Nursery really well"*

*"We have seen real progress in his learning, he now wants to write and talk about letters"*

*"Thank you for taking such good care of our daughter, she feels happy and safe here and always has fun"*

*"My son always comes home with a smile on his face"*

*"My daughter has made some nice friends and has a lovely bond with her Teacher"*



Please click on the link to  
see some photos from a  
day at Nursery

<https://youtu.be/5Or-9cmo78E>

