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Parent Information Booklet

Contact Us

Sunnyside Community Playgroup

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An Introduction to Sunnyside

Our team aims to provide a caring and nurturing learning environment for your child by offering a variety of activities for your them to choose from, including construction toys, dress up & role play, drawing, craft, playdough, puzzles, musical instruments & a themed home corner.

We are also lucky enough to have two outdoor areas available to us - our "all weather" courtyard area allows your child to play with scooters, bikes, slides, water, sand and much more. Whilst our allotment area will give your child an opportunity to explore the outdoors & nature, using the garden equipment & mud kitchen to dig, plant and grow vegetables and herbs (& get messy- a spare set of clothes is advised!)



The activities on offer are changed and adapted at each session to give a wide variety of learning experiences whilst following the Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum. This includes child -led and planned adult -led small group activities, as well as carpet time to encourage their communication and language skills.

Your child's dedicated Key Person will work with you to ensure they are happy, settled and safe and will be observing & recording their development in a learning journal that will be yours to keep when they move on from Sunnyside (this will include precious pictures and examples of their time at Sunnyside!)

Snack Time

After washing their hands and finding their own snack card, the children will be offered a morning snack which can include; breadsticks, crackers, rice cakes, a variety of fruit & vegetables (blueberries, banana, orange, carrot, apple, dried fruit) with some milk or water.

The Sunnyside Team

The Sunnyside team bring a wealth of talent and experience, are all DBS (Disclosure and barring Service) checked and attend regular courses to stay up to date with safeguarding and first aid training.

Our Team includes:

Hilary Drew, Manager (Level 4 Childcare) SENCO & DSO

Vicky Millward, Deputy Manager (Level 3 Childcare)

Kerry Campbell, Pre-School Worker (Level 3 Childcare)

Paula Foran, Pre-School Worker (Level 3 childcare)

Jeanette Callaghan, Pre-School Assistant

Shirley Davis, Early Years Consultant (Cert of Education)

Heather Culmer, Administrator (Level 3 Childcare)

General Information

Opening Times:

Tuesday- Friday (Term Time Only) 8.55am-12pm.

We also offer a lunch club 12-12.45pm (12-12.30pm on Friday's) which is available to children once settled at Sunnyside.

Fee's and Funding:

Session Fee: £15 per session (+ 60p optional contribution towards snack, sundries etc.)

Lunch Club Fee: £5 per session / £4 Friday lunch club session

Funding: Sunnyside offers the full 15 hours funded place for children over 3 years old. We also offer places for 2 year old funding (eligibility criteria can be check on Hertsdirect.gov.uk)

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us on the details overleaf.

Thank you for your interest in Sunnyside!