

SETTLING IN PERIOD

We believe that, where possible, having a gradual settling in period for each child is beneficial to the child, their parents / carers and to the setting.

This enables everyone involved with the child to work together ensuring a happy settling in to nursery life.

The first day should initially be limited to a 1-2 hours visit where the child, their parent / carer and the key worker get to know each other and for the relevant forms to be filled for the child.

The time spent is extended gradually depending on how the child is coping with the separation. Each child is different and some children take longer to settle than others.

The child can stay for lunch and then for their full hours whilst the Parent / Carer is on the premises.

We appreciate that this may be difficult, especially for working Parent. We will do our best to settle each child as quickly as possible, whilst providing a secure environment.