



Daily Timetable

Time	Activity
8.30am	Welcome time for AM 15-hour provision
9.00am	Welcome for 30-hour provision
8.30-11.10am	Child Initiated Learning
11.10-11.30am	Small group and story session
11.30am	Home time for AM 15-hour provision
11.30 - 12.30pm	30-hour provision lunch hour
12.30pm	Welcome time for PM 15-hour provision
12.30-2.40pm	Child Initiated Learning
2.40-3.00pm	30-hour provision small group time
3.00pm	Home time for AM 30-hour provision
3.10-3.30pm	Small group and story time
3.30pm	Home time for PM 15-hour provision

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Fruit and Milk

- During snack time the children are offered water and a fruit snack, they can also have milk if this has been ordered
- The children's water bottles are located in the children's class and the children can choose to have a drink at any time during the day
- Milk will be available to all children who have been registered with 'Dairy Link UK'. If you wish your child to have milk in school, please register them following the link that will be sent to you - all milk for Nursery children is free
- Please make sure we are aware of any allergies



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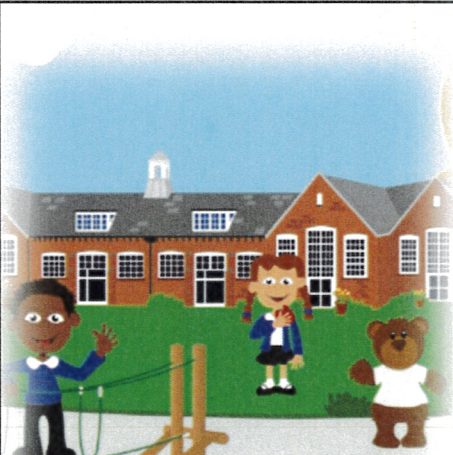


Child Initiated Learning

- The Early Years Foundation Stage requires a balance of child initiated and adult supported play-based activities, encouraging them to explore their own interests
- We follow a 'Planning in the Moment' approach to capture their interests and extend their learning 'in the moment'
- Our Child Initiated Learning session gives them time and space to develop their own ideas. It is also a time when adults can build on the children's learning. This is when adults and children plan in the moment, which supports a deeper level of learning.



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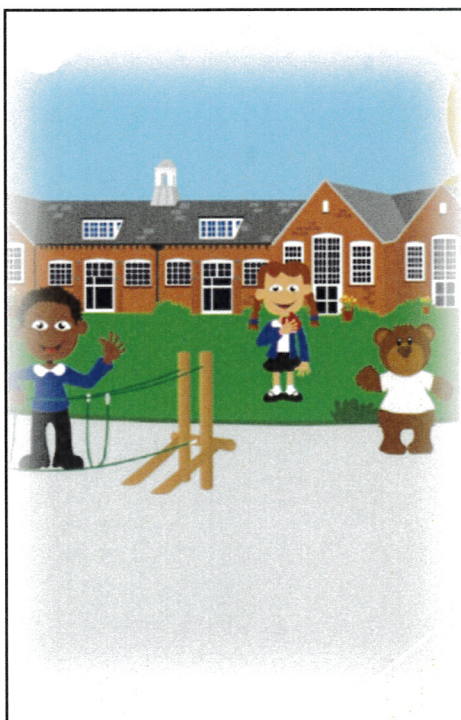


Forestry School Sessions

- The children will take part in regular Forest School Sessions, where they will learn about the natural world and how to care for each other and the environment




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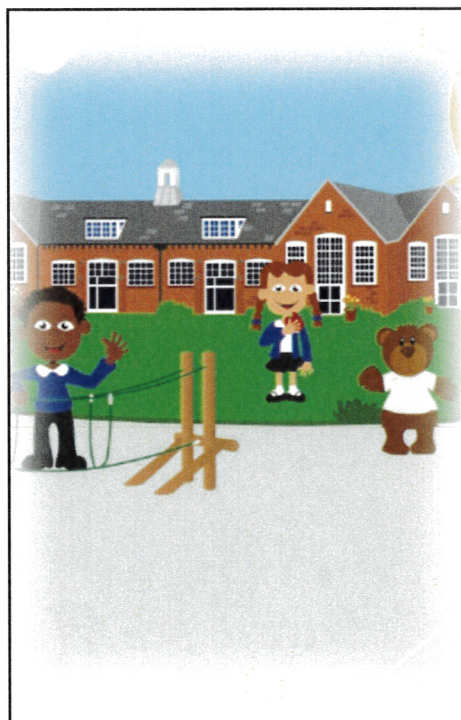


The Importance of Play

- Play underpins all development and learning for young children. Most children play spontaneously, although some may need adult support, and it is through play that they develop intellectually, creatively, physically, socially and emotionally



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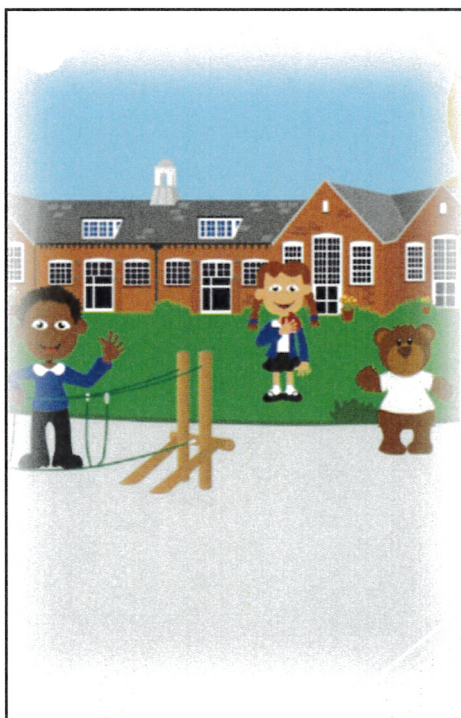


Communicating

- In Nursery, we encourage children to communicate with each other politely
- Children who feel free to express their ideas and their feelings develop strategies to cope with new, challenging or stressful situations



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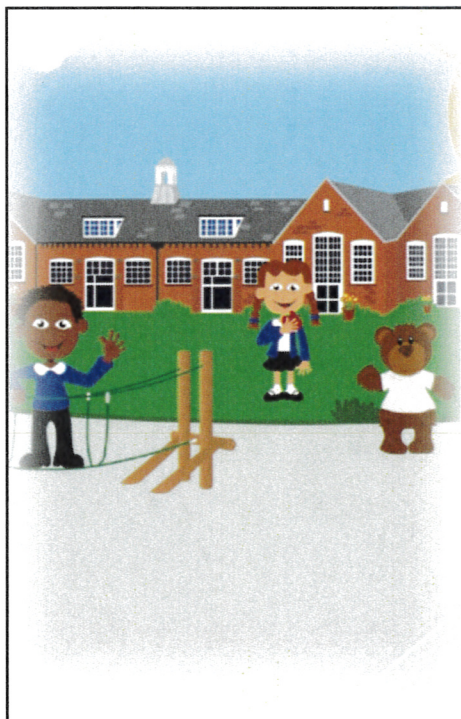


Caring for Each Other

- The children will learn to care for others, living things and the environment



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Respecting Each Other

- The children learn boundaries and expectations within a variety of situations



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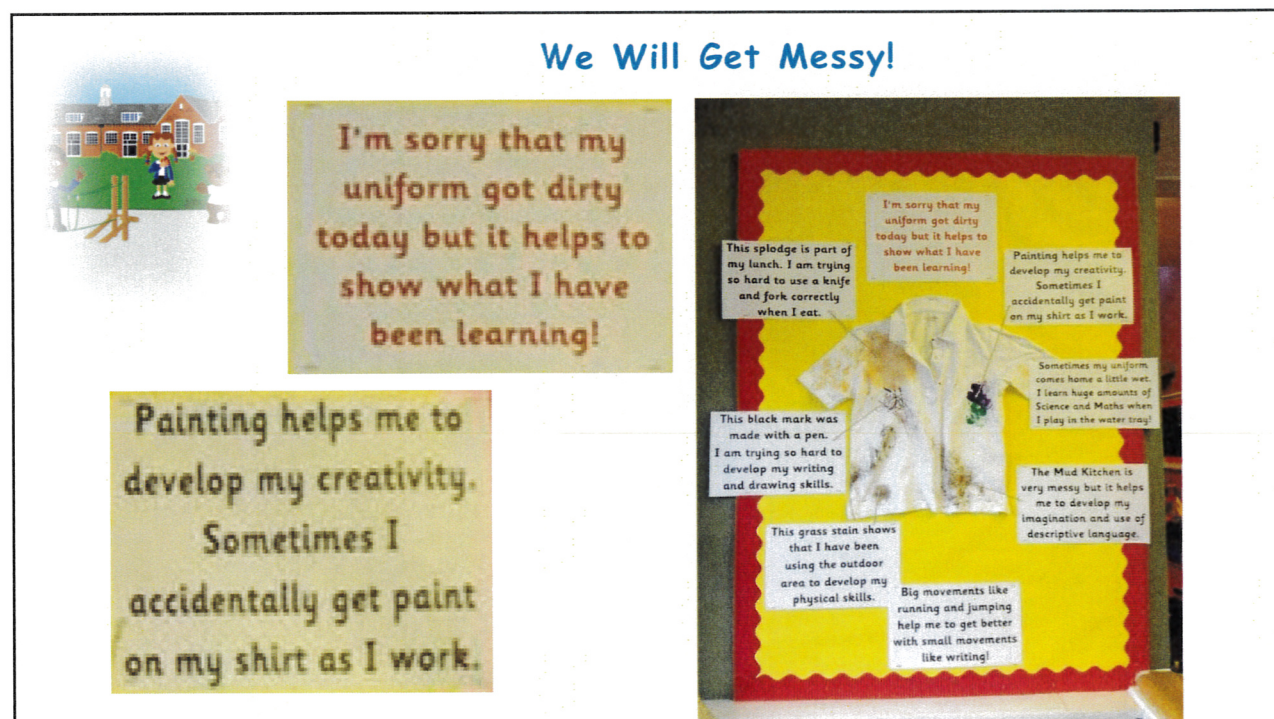
Having Fun!

- Nursery is a time to share experiences with others and make lasting memories



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We Will Get Messy!



I'm sorry that my uniform got dirty today but it helps to show what I have been learning!

Painting helps me to develop my creativity. Sometimes I accidentally get paint on my shirt as I work.

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This splodge is part of my lunch. I am trying so hard to use a knife and fork correctly when I eat.

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Sometimes my uniform comes home a little wet. I learn huge amounts of Science and Maths when I play in the water tray!

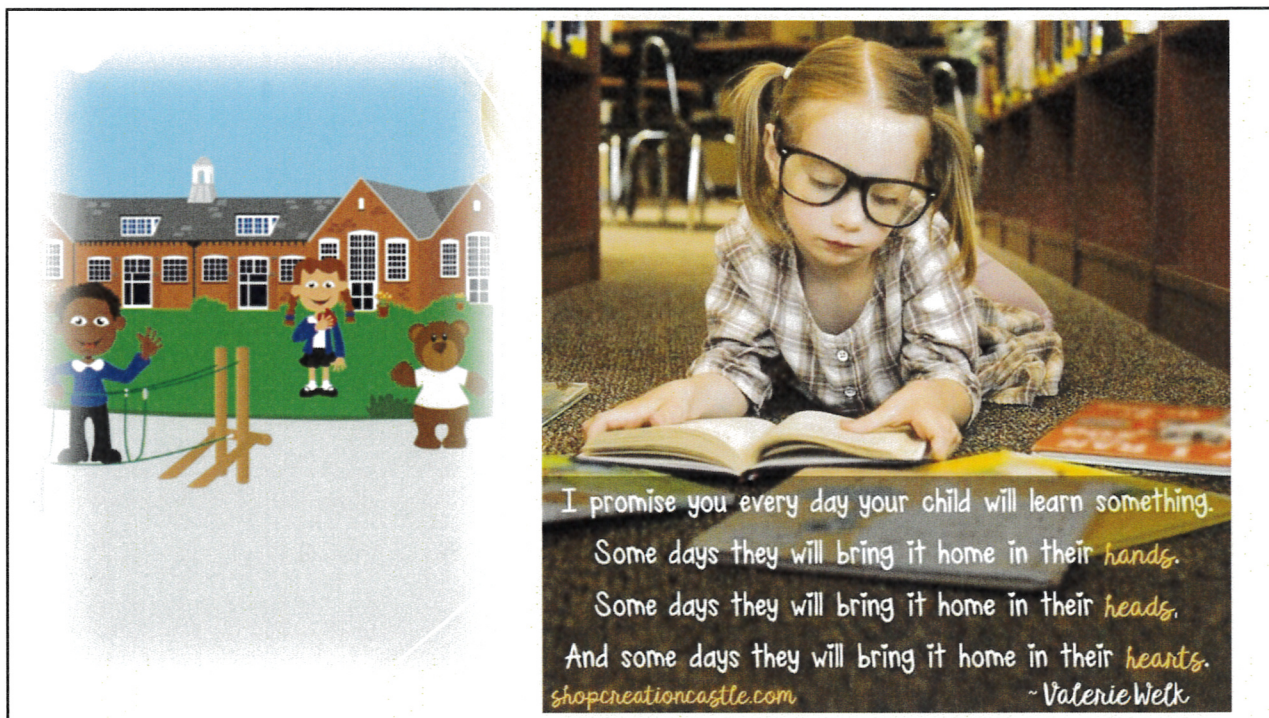
The Mud Kitchen is very messy but it helps me to develop my imagination and use of descriptive language.

This black mark was made with a pen. I am trying so hard to develop my writing and drawing skills.

This grass stain shows that I have been using the outdoor area to develop my physical skills.

Big movements like running and jumping help me to get better with small movements like writing!

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Keeping in Touch

- All the staff in Nursery look forward to working with your children and also with you
- If you have any worries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us by email and we will reply to you as soon as possible either by email or phone

nursery@letchmore.herts.sch.uk

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Helping Parents

- We are always extremely grateful to any parent who is able to give up some of their free time to help in Nursery
- Helping in school will involve preparing resources or working with a small group of children
- Any parent able to help in school please come and have a chat with the class teacher
- You can also support the school by becoming involved with our PTA.....

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The PTA

- The PTA (Parent Teacher Association) supports the school by raising funds for equipment and resources that enhance the children's school experience
- The PTA is a registered charity, so all funds we raise directly benefit the children at the school
- The PTA Committee is a group of volunteers who organise all the fundraising events and activities
- The Friends of the PTA is a group of volunteers who support the committee in spreading the word and helping out at events

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Examples of PTA activities...



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How it Makes a Difference...



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Email us:
pta@letchmore.herts.sch.uk

How You Can Get Involved in the PTA

- Volunteer your time - Become a PTA Committee member or join our *Friends of the PTA* WhatsApp group of ad-hoc volunteers
- Join PTA events and activities - Please read the weekly PTA updates in the school newsletter and take part in the fundraising activities
- Your contributions help make the children's experience at the school even more wonderful
- All support from you, no matter how small, will add up to make a big difference

Thank you!

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Next Steps

The following checklist along with all the information shared with you this evening will be emailed to you tomorrow and will also be available on our website

Essential Steps	Completed
Have you completed the electronic Pupil Data Collection Form to provide all your registration information?	
If you have been allocated 30 hour provision, have you received your 30 hour code from HMRC?	
Are you aware of your individual start date?	
Have you completed the All About Me form?	
Have you completed the Parent Declaration form?	
Have you purchased uniform, or suitable clothing, book bag, drawstring bag and wellington boots and ensured it is all named?	
Have you purchased and named a suitable water bottle?	
Have you registered your child with Dairy Link UK if you would like them to receive free milk in school?	
If your child is attending for 30 hours, have you purchased a lunch box and/or set up School Grid to order meals?	
If your child will require changing whilst at school, have you provided a named bag with nappies, wipes and nappy sacks?	
Have you ensured that anyone with permission to collect your child is aware of the password you have created?	
Have you spent time discussing this new start with your child and considered walking past the school to show them the building?	
Have you ensured all parents and carers have read this Information Pack and have no further questions?	

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Any Questions?

Thank you all for coming.
We are looking forward to working
closely with you.

Please feel free to visit our
Nursery area and have a look
around our environment.