

# WE ARE PLEASED TO WELCOME YOUR CHILD

## Our Aims

To create a happy and secure environment.

To be aware of and respect the needs of others and act accordingly.

To encourage and develop independence, concentration and self discipline.

To appreciate the natural beauty of the environment.

To develop whole body co-ordination.

To encourage listening, reasoning, linguistic and mathematical skills.

To encourage and develop curiosity and imagination.

To encourage an awareness and appreciation of the arts through music, drama, art, story, rhymes and poetry.

To prepare for a smooth entry into full time school.

To recognise the value of children's play in learning and provide opportunities for it.

## How You Can Help Your Child

Talk about nursery and try to come to any Parents Consultations.

Make sure your child can manage to go to the toilet alone, wash his/her hands and dress and undress without much help.

Please help your child by buying shoes they can easily take off and put on.

Read lots of stories to your child and encourage him/her to learn and enjoy nursery rhymes. If children enjoy stories they will be eager to learn to read later on.

Once a week library books will be changed and brought home in a plastic wallet. Your child will have chosen the book so we ask you to make time to read it and talk about it.

Encourage your child to count aloud by counting steps, buttons, knives, forks etc.

Encourage your child not to 'hit back' after a squabble.

## How You Can Help Us

Please provide a named bag to leave on your child's cloakroom peg. In this bag put a change of clothing (in case of accidents), a change of shoes for wet weather. Please name all clothes and shoes.

Remove all jewellery before your child comes to nursery. Only stud earrings are permitted and these MUST be removed for P.E.

Let us know if your child is unhappy for some 'home' reason – maybe granny is ill or a pet has died.

Be prompt in bringing and collecting your child.

Let us know if someone else will be collecting your child.

Do not give your child any food or sweets to bring to nursery. We will provide milk and a fresh fruit snack every day.



## Questions You May Ask

**Q Should my child wear uniform.**

A We would prefer children to wear uniform.

**Q. My child is upset at being left. What should I do?**

A. Do not linger. Promise to pick them up later and then either wait in the office, or go home and ring us. Don't sit at home and worry.

**Q. How will I know of events in school?**

A. You will get newsletters at least twice a term with details of events and which ones you are invited to.

**Q. My child is ill, what should I do?**

A. Let us know why your child is absent on Day 1. If your child is sick or has had diarrhoea he/she should not return until a clear 24 hours has passed.

**Q. What should I do if we go on holiday?**

A. Complete a holiday form available from the office before you go.

**Q. I would like to talk to the teacher. How do I arrange it?**

A. Speak to the teacher and she will either see you straightaway or make a time that suits you both.

**Mrs Cianciola**

**Miss Watts**

# Welcome To Clements Nursery



**Teacher  
Nursery Nurse**

**Mrs Cianciola  
Miss Watts**

**Headteacher  
Deputy Head**

**Miss Powell  
Miss Trampnow**

**Admin Officer**

**Mrs Kiernan**

### Times of Sessions

Morning: 9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Afternoon: 12:45 – 3:15 p.m.

