

Our nursery activities are child led – this means that we talk to the children & watch what they enjoy doing. From this, we set up activities for them to do during the session. This is the best way to keep your children entertained because if they are interested, they’ll be happy to join in.

‘Rhythms of the day’ – our Nursery timetable.

Continuous provision	Group time	Snack time	Outdoor play	Tidy up time	Nursery rhymes
Children choose what to play with (sand, water, blocks, playdough, drawing/painting/junk modelling, figures and playsets.) We play alongside the children during this time & they definitely stay longer at an activity.	We read a few pages of a story and carry out an activity. Please look at the website to find out which book we are reading and choose an activity to complete. (See the weekly plan for the activities.)	Wash hands first. Let your child help you prepare a snack (wash fruit, supervise chopping with a child safe knife, count biscuits onto plate, etc)	Wrap up warm and play outside! We will update the website with ideas for outdoor play.	Our children are so helpful! Give them a dustpan & brush/ damp cloth & towel and ask for their help with cleaning up. Turn tidy up time into a game – who can tidy up the toys the quickest? Put a song on and see if you can tidy up before the song finishes.	Nursery rhymes are such an engaging activity. There are lots of videos online but our children LOVE singing with us! It doesn’t matter about being the best singer – it’s all about the fun! Use nursery rhyme cards or even props to choose which songs to sing.