



Records and Assessment

All staff will note any significant learning moments observed of all children. Key people will collate observations, and in conjunction with their own knowledge and information gathered via long observations, conversations with parents and the secure relationship they have built with the child, they will assess the developmental stage for each area of learning.

Long observations will take place a minimum of three times a year in the format of photographs and commentary. The long observations focus on the child when they are involved in an in depth piece of learning. These observations are emailed to parents. Comments, feedback and observed learning taking place in the family home are welcomed and encouraged.

Staff regularly take photographic evidence of the children learning, these photographs form part of the whole assessment, but also are shared with parents three times a year. When children leave nursery parents will receive all the photographs taken of their children.

Parents will receive a report in the summer term celebrating their child's time at nursery.