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Transitional Booklet for Pre-Schoolers



Daily Routine

9.30am Garden 10am Snack

10.15am Circle time

10.30am Small Group time

11am Free play and activities

12noon Lunch time 12.30pm Quiet time

1pm Free play and activities

2.15pm Drink
2.30pm Garden

3.15pm Tea

Free play/group time

General Information

Early Years Foundation Stage Framework

Your child will still have regular observations during play, and if you wish to see your child's unique stories, then please speak with your child's key person, who will be:



Small Group Time

Children will be working in small groups with an adult, doing activities and craft relating to their room topic.

Large Group Time

The children spend time in a large group, participating in PE sessions, singing, music and movement, craft or cooking activities. Once a week "Arsenal Soccer



Schools" come to encourage children to join in physical activities.

Preparation for School

We endeavour to prepare your child for school by getting them to recognise and to try to write their name; getting them to know their colours, shapes and numbers in different ways; as well as learning about the world around them and developing their physical skills. We also encourage independence and try to get your child to put on their own shoes and coat, be helpful around the room and learn to deal with their toileting needs and hygiene.

Outings

We try to include all the children in outings and these will coincide with the room topics. Letters will go out each time an outing is booked. Please note when travelling by college minibus you must provide a car seat.

If you have any queries about any of the above, please see a member of staff in pre-school.