

What we would like children to achieve from being involved in the Hive?



To enjoy new experiences with adults and children



To make relationships and feel positive about themselves



To learn to share, negotiate and take turns with each other



To be able to accept praise and be supportive of each other



To learn new skills through play experiences



To feel safe, happy, secure and confident in The Hive

If you would like more information about The Hive, please contact:

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Questions you may have about The Hive?

Q: What is The Hive?

A: The Hive is a unique room that allows children to work in a small group for part of the week (from 2 to 4 mornings a week). It provides a safe, predictable and structured environment which helps children to be more focused on their learning.

Staff model positive relationships and there is an emphasis on the development of language and communication skills.

Q: Which adults are responsible for The Hive?

A: Mrs Marsh is responsible for the day-to-day planning and organisation of The Hive and is fortunate to work alongside three experienced teaching assistants; Miss Norton, Miss Dobson and Mrs Haynes, who have all been trained by Nurture Network UK.

Q: What can a child expect from a typical session in The Hive?

A: Your child will engage in a range of learning tasks that will incorporate a focus on developing social skills, language development and promoting trust and self-esteem building with staff. Emotional check-in will form part of each day as well as a short daily circle time.

An important part of the session will be 'breakfast time', where the children are encouraged to take turns and listen to each other.

Incorporated in this time will be a learning topic so English and maths skills are still developed but through play-based learning.

Q: How much time will my child spend in The Hive?

A: Children will spend up to 4 mornings in The Hive but are still a member of their usual class. This will be reviewed every 6 weeks

A meeting between parents and staff is arranged at the end of each half-term, where you are given the opportunity to discuss the best way to support your child.

The Hive door is always open. If you would like to find out more about the support we are giving your child or take a look around The Hive, then please do not hesitate to contact us. We will be more than happy to help.

