



Busy Bees @ LPS – Philosophy

We value all children in our care and aim to provide a secure environment which is stimulating, motivating and challenging. Our enabling environment will allow children to develop a positive, enquiring and caring attitude towards learning about each other and the environment.

The care of the children is the responsibility of all the staff, whatever their role. The intention being that Busy Bees @ LPS is a safe and friendly environment in which staff and parents can work together to promote the child's learning and development. Our enabling environment will allow children to develop a positive, enquiring and mind through extending their natural curiosity and interest. Children will participate in first hand experiences and activities that will help each and every child to gain knowledge, develop concepts, acquire a wide range of skills and meet their potential. Each child is valued as being 'Unique' and will be given time and space to learn and develop with enjoyment and expression. We are committed to the four principles of the Early Years Foundation Stage which are:

- Every child is a competent learner from birth who can be resilient, capable, confident and self-assured.
- Children learn to be strong and independent from a base of loving and secure relationships with parents and/or a key person.
- The environment plays a key role in supporting and extending children's development and learning.
- Children develop and learn in different ways and at different rates and all areas of Learning and Development are equally important and inter-connected.

Busy Bees @ LPS are committed to promoting equality and all families will be treated equally regardless of their age, gender, background, culture, religion and or ethnicity.

Busy Bees @ LPS is part of the wider community. We share and contribute to many aspects of the community including working with Ledbury in Bloom and Ledbury Allotment Association.

When children leave us, we envisage that they will have experienced a happy, fulfilling time at Busy Bees and will be on their way to becoming confident, self-directed learners.