**ON ENTRY PROFILE**

As your child starts preschool with us, we’d be grateful if you could please take some time to complete this profile. This will help us get a better picture of your child’s needs/interests and make the settling in process easier. Please remember all children develop at different rates and have different strengths, and we don’t expect your child to do everything that’s listed here.

Have you ever been to another setting ? Can you leave your parents/carers with support ?

What activities do you like to do at home? Can you play on your own or do you like to have adults by your side ?

Do you have any favourite books or toys? Do you have something special like a comforter that you like to have if you are feeling upset ?

How do you react to new situations and meeting new adults and children? Are you quite shy at first or are you very confident in unfamiliar situations ?

What makes you happy/sad/excited/upset?

Do you enjoy praise and encouragement?

Can you feed yourself independently and can you drink from an open cup ?

Do you like to be imdependent such as putting your own coat on ?

Are you in nappies? Can you tell an adult when your nappy needs changing?

If they you are toilet trained will you ask to go to the toilet. Can you wipe your own nose ?

Can you wash and dry your hands?

Do you enjoy games and puzzles, can you use a tablet are you interested in playing with the TV remote, DVD Player etc ?

Are you starting to learn about numbers, such as playing number games and singing number rhymes? Do you recognise numbers or have a favourite number ?

Are you able to enable to move freely with pleasure and confidence and in a range of different ways such as walking, running, jumping and hopping ? Do you like to play outdoors ?

Do you enjoy drawing painting and sticking? Can you tell us all bout your drawings ?

Do you like to get messy (gloop, foam, mud etc)

Do you enjoy songs/rhymes/dancing? What is your favourite song ?

Do you enjoy books/stories? Can you sit and listen to a story ? Can you retell your favourite story ?

What language do you speak at home?

Can you tell us all about your family are you confident to speak to new adults and peers ?

Do you show an interest in looking at the letters in your name ie B is for Ben ?

Do you like to pretend when you play ? ie “I’m the Gruffalo in th deep dark wood …”

Do you have any pets, can you name them ?

Do you like to look at colours and shapes in the environmnet ? Can you name any ?

Do you know how old you are?

**Additional information:**

Is there anything else you feel we should know about your child? Please include anything they have done that has made you really proud and happy, and anything you feel they excelled at. Do you have any areas of concern about your child ie language, physical and personal and social development ?