



Sandy Lane Nursery and Forest School

Mission Statement

The governors and staff of Sandy Lane Nursery and Forest School are committed to:

“Providing a purposeful and rewarding early learning environment suitable for the needs of all pupils.”

Aims

In support of our mission statement and to become a centre of excellence and innovation in early years of education our aims are:

- To be aware that Sandy Lane Nursery and Forest School may be the first experience of the educational system for both parent and child together and to make that experience a happy and positive one
- To create and provide a welcoming, caring, positive environment for all our children, their families, staff, governors and visitors to the school
- To develop and maintain a partnership with parents and carers to share in the education and well-being of each child
- To provide an attractive and stimulating environment in which learning can take place
- To recognise each child as an individual with his/her own special need and to develop within each child an awareness of others
- To provide a broad, balanced and stimulating curriculum which recognises the value of children’s learning through play
- To encourage enjoyment of learning with a desire to investigate and question
- To foster respect, tolerance and co-operation throughout the school
- To foster and strengthen our links with the community and to work together as a team which includes parents, governors, students, professionals, the LA and volunteers
- To provide opportunities for continuing professional, personal and whole school development through further training of staff and governors
- To support children and parents to ensure a smooth transition to the next school