



Fenwick Early Childhood Centre  
Newsletter  
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Our reply to the Survey.

We are delighted with the responses to the survey. We appreciate there are some areas of our service that Parents and Carers may not be aware of and these surveys are beneficial in informing our practice.

- Fresh water is available throughout the day and children are encouraged to remain hydrated. Children are encouraged to be independent and serve themselves whenever they wish a drink during the day.
- Children's safety and emotional security and wellbeing are supported through sensitive arrangements for sleep routines. Staff understand the importance of sleep for children's overall development. Routines are reflective of individual children's needs and family wishes and promote good habits around sleep. As part of the Personal Planning process staff discuss your child's needs with you. At any time if you wish to discuss your child's sleep patterns with a member of staff, please feel free to do so.
- Where children require medication, this is delivered in a safe and sensitive manner. Staff support children's understanding of their need to take medication ensuring increased confidence and independence in the management of their condition. We ask Parents/Carers to provide the first dose of medication and keep detailed records to ensure no mistakes are made. Medication is monitored on a monthly basis.
- Relevant staff work proactively with children, families, and other professionals to identify appropriate next steps and strategies based on individual needs and prior learning. This information is used consistently and effectively by all to ensure positive outcomes. Staff are knowledgeable about the potential impact on children of adverse childhood experiences and can implement supports to build children and family resilience where needed. For example, Speech and Language Therapy.

All of our staff would like to wish you a Happy Christmas and New Year when it comes.

