

Newstead Road Pre-School – Self-appraisal

Name of staff member: Sarah Crow

Position: Temporary Pre-School Assistant

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

This form should be completed before your appraisal meeting and will be used to direct and inform our discussion. It is intended to help you:

- identify areas of your job description in which you have done well
- identify areas with which you feel less satisfied
- identify areas where your performance could be improved
- support you in developing your own skills, knowledge and expertise

Below are the main points from your job description. Beside each one, please indicate whether you think you have achieved what is required. Space is provided in case you wish to add a comment or flag something for discussion.

You may find it helpful to refer to your job description and our *The role of the key person and settling-in* policy, which sets out your responsibilities as a key-person. Both documents are attached.

Task from job description	Do you think you have achieved what is required?	Comments
Work as a key person as part of the pre-school team.		
Provide safe, high quality education and care for young children which meets the individual needs of children attending the setting.		
Assist with the planning of the curriculum using the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) curriculum for guidance.		
Set up for the daily programme and to clean and tidy away at the end of the session.		
Ensure each child's needs are recognised and met.		
Work in partnership with parents/carers and other family members.		
Advise the Pre-school Manager of any concerns (for example over children, parents or the safety of equipment), preserving confidentiality as necessary.		

Task from job description	Do you think you have achieved what is required?	Comments
Teach children, offering an appropriate level of support and stimulating play experiences to encourage children's progress in all areas of development.		
Ensure that children are kept safe and that you understand when to follow child protection procedures.		
Support meal times within the setting.		
Observe and accurately report on children's knowledge, understanding and skills.		
Actively participate at team meetings, supervision meetings and appraisal meetings.		
Attend training courses as required and take responsibility for your development.		
Keep completely confidential any information, acquired as part of the job, regarding children, their families or other staff.		
Be aware of and adhere to all the setting's operational policies and procedures, including (but not limited to) health and safety, fire precautions, dropping off and collection of children, food safety, equal opportunities, safeguarding and cleanliness of the setting.		
Ensure that adequate records are kept and updated regularly, taking responsibility for the individual record file of each child in your key-worker group.		
Promote the nursery to current parents and potential customers.		
Attend activities outside normal working hours as required including staff meetings, parent/carer meetings, special events and training.		
Punctuality, patience, reliability and trustworthiness.		

What aspects of your work have you enjoyed most and why?

What do you do best?

What do you consider your major achievements since your last appraisal?

What have been your major learning points since your last appraisal?

What have you enjoyed least and why?

What recommendations do you have to address the aspects you have enjoyed least?

What steps have you taken to develop your skills knowledge and expertise?

What further steps would you like to take?

Do you feel your job description accurately reflects your role? If not, how could it be improved?

How do you see the pre-school developing in the future?

Do you have any concerns regarding the health and safety of the setting?

Is there anything else you would like to discuss?