

Nursery

We are very proud of our Early Years Foundation Stage. Bowerham Primary and Nursery School provides places for two – four year olds.

The Early Years Foundation Stage (E.Y.F.S.) is the stage of education for children from birth to the end of the Reception year. It is based on the recognition that children learn best through play and active learning.

- In Nursery we use a Key Person system. Each key person has a special responsibility for working with a small number of children. This key person will make sure that within the hustle and bustle of Nursery your child feels special, an individual, cherished and thought about while they are away from home.
- The key worker and other members of the Nursery Team work closely together to observe, assess and plan the next steps in children's learning.
- Each child is assessed as soon as they start Nursery to identify their starting points in each Area of Learning and Development. Each term parents receive a progress report to let them know how much their child has achieved and what their child's next steps are in their learning. Over time parents can see how their child progresses through the Early years Foundation Stage.
- We work hard to give our children a rich learning environment, both indoors and outdoors, to support all areas of learning development.

