

Classroom and Learning Environment

	What will the learning environment be like?	How will children integrate within a class?
Formal	<p>Personalised and adapted curriculum at a formal level.</p> <p>Learning will secure the five principles of engagement.</p> <p>Both the curriculum and learning environment will promote and support emotional self-regulation.</p> <p>Both the curriculum and learning environment will promote and support sensory self-regulation.</p> <p>Teaching will promote independence, autonomy and intrinsic motivation</p>	<p>Children will register in their 'home' class and spend the majority of time there.</p> <p>Children to have check in opportunities at allocated times during the day/week.</p> <p>Children will be timetabled to attend the Nest for specific interventions / therapies to support their level of engagement and attainment within their normal classroom environment.</p> <p>Whilst the following are guidelines in place, we will carry out careful assessments of children's need to ensure that they can fully integrate into a classroom environment. This may therefore look different from child to child.</p>
Semi-Formal +	<p>Personalised and adapted curriculum at a formal level.</p> <p>Learning will embed the five principles of engagement.</p> <p>Learning will take place in small, targeted groups.</p> <p>Both the curriculum and learning environment will promote and support regulation (emotional and sensory).</p> <p>The classroom environment is designed to develop and encourage a range of skillsets and embed the five principles of engagement.</p>	
Semi-Formal	<p>Independence will be promoted through the completion of regular tasks (such as cleaning up, preparing breakfast).</p> <p>Learners will be supported to become independent including; eating, drinking and toileting.</p> <p>Use of a Total Communication approach.</p> <p>Learners will be supported to become intentional communicators.</p>	
Pre-Formal +	<p>The five principles of engagement will be used to provide a broad and balanced curriculum via. a sensory based approach.</p> <p>Learning will develop and promote the five principles of engagement.</p> <p>Learning will take place in small, targeted groups.</p>	
Pre-Formal	<p>Areas within the classroom to support independent regulation strategies.</p> <p>Teaching will promote independent self-care including eating, drinking and toileting.</p> <p>Learning will include a range of communication strategies and the use of a Total Communication approach.</p>	



