



Observation

- Foundation Stage staff use observation to continuously assess the children.
- Each child has a 'Learning Journal' book to record their individual development with examples of what he/she has learnt and achieved.
- Observations and assessments throughout the year will lead to the development of your child's Early Years Profile.
- We have 'Parents Consultation Evenings' in the Autumn and Spring terms to discuss children's progress and to share opportunities to extend learning.
- You will receive a written report on your child's development and the characteristics of effective learning at the end of the Foundation Stage.

Starting Points

The staff at John Hampden take the time to find out about our new children. We visit the children in their setting, ask preschools and nurseries to provide us with detailed information through a 'Transition Book' so that we know how they learn and engage.

