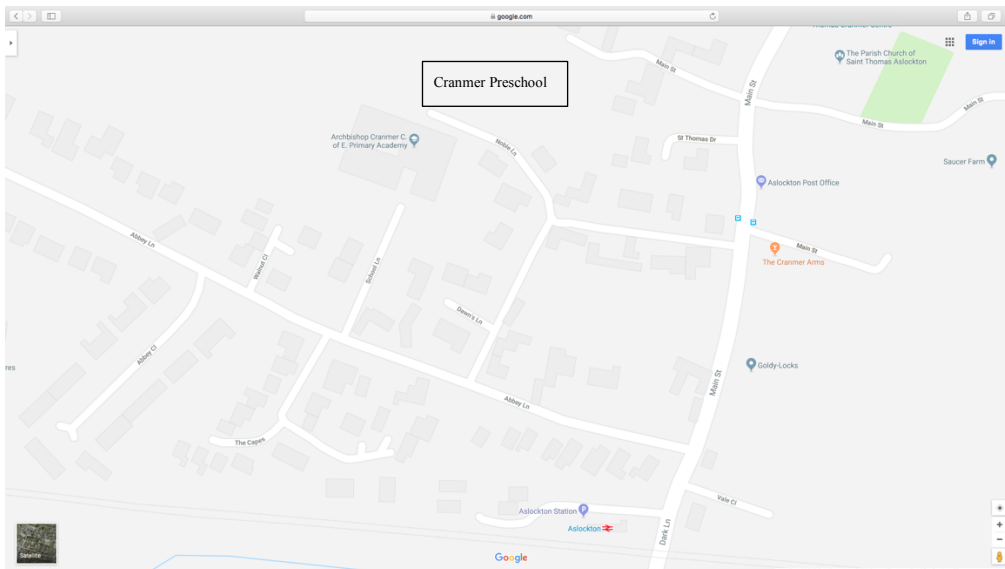


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Our History

Cranmer Preschool was established in 1968 at Scarrington Village Hall by Rev Geoffrey Blackmore. We relocated to Archbishop Cranmer Primary school, Aslockton in 1983. In partnership with Archbishop Cranmer primary school, Preschool learning alliance, Nottinghamshire Early Years Development and Childcare Partnership, Nottinghamshire County Council and Sure Start, in 2005, we adapted our room and playground to provide a safe, secure and enabling environment, which is all on one level, for two to five year olds, we are an inclusive setting and welcome all children. Cranmer preschool is managed by a voluntary parent committee as a charity serving our local community.

Our Ethos

At Cranmer Preschool we believe every child should receive high quality care and education, in a stimulating environment, to support their holistic development and future learning and education.

We achieve this by learning through play, providing highly experienced and knowledgeable staff, stimulating environment, challenging activities that will ensure all children in our care reach their full potential.

Our Aims

- * To deliver outstanding affordable childcare and education for our local community.
- * To work closely with parents and caregivers in partnership to meet the needs of each individual child.
- * To provide high quality care and education for all children at Cranmer preschool, so each child realises their full potential.
- * To provide a learning environment that nurtures the holistic child. Learning through open ended play to ensure every child develops mentally, physically and socially.
- * To add to the life and well-being of our local community.
- * To develop independent, confident and capable children who are ready for their next stage of education.
- * To build knowledgeable quality members of a team of practitioners.
- * To provide a balance of child initiated and practitioner led, carefully structured, activities and experiences based on individual developmental needs to foster their well-being, self esteem and personal development.
- * To offer children and their families a service that promotes equality and values diversity.

Our Principles

As an organisation for young children we have always worked with a strong set of values that place children and their families at the core of our practice.

- * Every child is a unique individual.
- * All children have skills and abilities that need to be brought out and built upon.
- * The starting point of a child's development is what they can already do.
- * Children have the right to develop physically, socially, emotionally, morally and intellectually to reach their full potential.
- * Children learn best through play and first hand experiences using their five senses, with the support of highly qualified and experienced practitioners.
- * Learning is holistic.
- * At Cranmer preschool parents as partners are involved in every level to shape the service that we offer.
- * We believe that all our members have the right to expect outstanding practice and all feel valued and respected as individuals.
- * We strive for continual improvement in our practice, we recognise that everyone has a crucial role to play in our reflective practice.

How Cranmer preschool intends to achieve our aims and deliver our principles.

- * To work in close partnership with parents and caregivers.
- * Provide a safe and stimulating environment with a happy, friendly and caring atmosphere.
- * Individual care and attention for each child is made possible by a high ratio of practitioners to children, which ensures each child receives an unique learning experience to fulfil their needs and reach their individual outcomes.
- * Maintaining quality practitioners by ensuring expectations are high, this is achieved by implementing a professional development plan led by strong management.

- * Opportunities for parents, caregivers and family members to be directly involved in the education of their child.
- * Working together as a team and valuing all members of the Cranmer preschool team, Children, parents, caregivers, family members, practitioners and committee members.
- * Each child has a key person who ensures each child is happy, secure, forming strong relations and making good progress in all areas of the curriculum.

Term Dates and Session Times

Term	Starts	Finishes
Autumn Term 1	Monday 10 September 2018	Friday 6 October 2018
<i>Autumn Half Term Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 29th October 2018</i>	<i>Friday 2nd November 2018</i>
Autumn Term 2	Tuesday 6 th November 2018	Friday 21 December 2018
<i>Christmas Break</i>	<i>Monday 24 December</i>	<i>Monday 7 January 2019</i>
Spring Term 1	Monday 7 January 2019	Friday 15 February 2019
<i>Spring Half Term Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 18th February 2019</i>	<i>Friday 22 February 2019</i>
Spring Term 2	Tuesday 26 February 2019	Friday 5 April 2019
<i>Easter Break</i>	<i>Monday 8 April 2019</i>	<i>Monday 22 April 2019</i>
Summer Term 1	Tuesday 23 April 2019	Monday 24 May 2019
<i>Summer Half Term Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 27th May 2019</i>	<i>Friday 31st May 2019</i>
Summer Term 2	Monday 3 June 2019	Friday 19 July 2019
<i>Summer Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 22 July 2019</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>

Please note,

Cranmer Preschool is closed on all Bank Holidays, including those in term time.

Cranmer Preschool will be closed for three staff training days, the dates are as follows:

- Monday 5th November 2018
- Monday 25th February 2019
- Friday 28th June 2019

Opening Times

Session	Time	Price
Breakfast Club	7.45 – 9.00	£5.25
Morning	9.00 – 12.00	£12.60
Lunch	12.00 – 13.15	£5.25
Lunch 4+	12.15 – 13.15	£4.20
Afternoon	13.15 – 15.30	£9.45
After School Club	15.30 – 18.00	£10.50

Hot Lunch is an additional £1.90 payable directly to Archbishop Cranmer Primary Academy.

Our Staff

We are proud of our high quality practitioners, who have an excellent balance of qualifications and experience of working with children. With our aim of supplying quality affordable provision we maintain a high ratio of practitioners to children, ensuring individual attention is given to the needs and development of each child.

Position	Name	Level of Qualification	Designated Role
Preschool Manager	Penny Sharpe	Level 7	Safeguarding Lead
			Language Lead
			SEND Lead
			Equality & Diversity Lead
			Behaviour Management
			Health & Safety Lead
			First Aider
			Fire Safety Lead
Preschool Deputy Manager	Laura Flowers	Level 3	Safeguarding Officer
			Healthy Lifestyle & Hygiene Lead
			Language Deputy
Preschool Practitioner	Linda Bradley	Level 6	First Aider
			Mathematical Lead
			Yoga Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Julie Brown	Level 3	First Aider
			Science Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Heather Fox	Level 3	First Aider
			Creative Media Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Angela Hazard	Level 3	First Aider
			Sensory & Manipulative Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Julie Pratt	Level 3	First Aider
			Natural World Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Keeleigh Spence	Trainee – Level 3	Cultural Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Fi Thomson	Trainee – Level 3	Children Wellbeing Lead
Preschool Practitioner	Jacquie Tyler	Level 3	Health & Safety Deputy
			First Aider
			Music Lead
			Makaton Lead
Office Administrator	Louise Hare-Goss	Level 4	First Aider
			Data Protection Officer

All members of our team have an individual training and development plan which is discussed at their annual appraisal and monitored during their supervision.

Cranmer Preschool Committee

We welcome all parents to join our Parent committee.

Name	Role
Emily Castiaux	Committee Chair
Nicola Barnard	Committee Treasurer
Katie Short	Committee Secretary
Laura Wallbank	Voluntary Fundraising Member
Penny Sauers	Voluntary Fundraising Member
Katie Rayner	Voluntary Fundraising Member