

Crèche

at Upton Vale

Our Crèche is available during Sunday morning services for babies and toddlers up to 2½.

It is a safe place for children to play and be cared for whilst parents enjoy the service

All of our volunteers have been CRB (criminal records bureau) checked and have completed the 'Safe to grow' child safeguarding course.

If you would like to know more about crèche please contact Nai Adams on 01803 400403
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What do we provide?

We aim to provide a safe place for children to play and be cared for whilst parents stay in the service. We structure the morning so that the children get to play with a variety of toys and equipment, with a short break in the middle for a snack and a drink.

When you first come to Crèche please collect a key fob with a number on it in case we need to contact you, your number will be discreetly displayed on the screen in the service. We are happy to look after your children who may be a little upset when parents leave, but we will always alert you if we feel they are in the least bit distressed.

Coffee is available each Sunday. We are happy that you help yourself to a drink, but please be mindful of health and safety and keep hot drinks away from the children.

How can you help as a parent?

- You will initially be given a simple form to complete with some essential information, such as allergies or food/drink preferences. If there are any changes please ask to update your form.
- Leave your child as quickly as you can.
- Please do not linger in the doorway to talk, as this can cause stress to some of the children who associate the door with people going.
- Leave any special toy or comfort they may need.
- Please label drinks, toy/comforter and bags.
- Please keep your key fob with your number in a safe place. We cannot release a child to anyone other than the parent that brought them, unless they have your key fob.
- If you feel the need to stay with or breast feed your baby, may we ask that you use the lounge next door to crèche where you can see the service on the TV provided.

