

## **Early Years Pupil Premium**

The Early Years Pupil Premium (EYPP) is additional funding that is allocated to nurseries to support children from low-income families. This includes families of look-after children, families whose children are eligible for free school meals and children from service families.

The allocation for 2016-17 is £302 per eligible child.

This year this funding has been allocated to support the provision of Forest School within the setting.

Forest School is a six week, high impact intervention which has been shown to enhance progress and achievement across all areas of the curriculum.

Where a child is not yet ready to take part in Forest School the funding contributes to 1:1 support to enable the child to take part in other stimulating activities such as performing at the Globe theatre.

### **Impact of the Early Years Pupil Premium 2015 – 16**

During the year 2015 – 16 6 children were entitled to EYPP. The funding contributed to the salaries of 1:1 support assistants to provide training to support them in meeting the specific needs of individual children and diminishing the differences for them. The funding also contributed to a series of music workshops in preparation for our Carnival.

Children in receipt of the EYPP (without SEND) achieved 0.3 below their age related expectations, which is 0.3 below the most able group.