



Trustee Report 2024

We had 10 children on the register at the beginning of the academic year September 2024 with 11 children on the register in July 2025 at the end of the academic year.

We had 1 E.A.L children on the register. (English as an additional language) and 1 child on the SEN register (Special Educational Needs).

We had a total of 9 permanent members of staff, with Sarah Owen and Lauren Humphries leaving us in November and Vicky & Alan Jones leaving in December. We had two regular cover staff and one regular volunteer.

Due to Vicky leaving in December, Alison took over from Deputy Manager to Manager from January 2025.

In September the Church informed us that once the renovations were finished and finalised, they did not want us to return to use the room, so we needed to look for new premises. We managed to source new premises and confirmed to staff at the beginning of November. We informed Parents in January that we would be moving but did not have a date. All paperwork was submitted, and we moved into our new home at the end of May 2025. As we were no longer at the church, we needed our name to change so Early Years@Natures Nook was born, as our new home is a little nook in the far end of the playground in Lache Primary school grounds, to which we are surrounded by nature, and have a marvellous outdoor area, although we do have our own entrance.

At the end of January, we had our Ofsted inspection, which we were able to publish to our parents and wider community in March.

We did lots of walks, we went to the library and Westminster Park. We went to the local supermarket, for the children to buy the snack, they choose different items, and they used the self-service check outs. Then later in the year we visited Tesco in Chester where they took us to see where all the foods came into store and where it was stored, we also made Fruit Kebabs, we took the children on the bus to incorporate our capital culture.

We did lots of cooking activities.

We celebrated science week and recycling week.

We have celebrated lots of festivals and events during the school year, including Harvest and Saint days. We also celebrated Chinese New Year and Diwali to incorporate other cultures and beliefs.

We invited parents, carers and extended family in for Mother's Day, with a cream tea event. We took part in Children in Need and World book day.

On our very last day in the setting, we invited all parents and carers in for a picnic lunch.

We enjoyed our yearly Christmas sing a long in church with a slight change where we the toddler's group from the church joined us, as well as our annual Easter Bonnet parade.

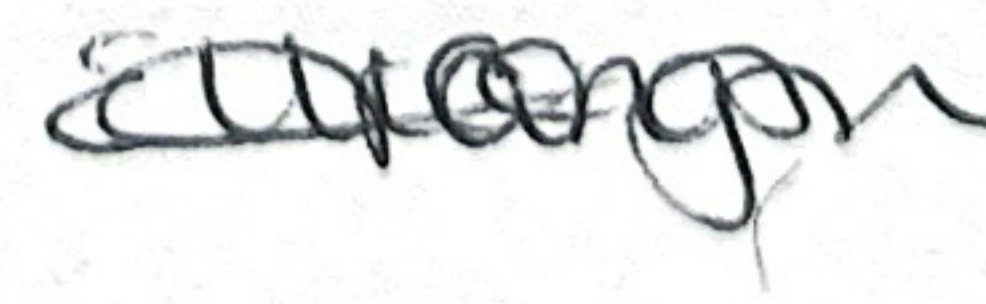
Yearly financial record September 2024 – August 2025

Opening balance £684.44 Closing balance £3,853.52	Expenditure	income
fees		£3653.15
funding		£51,300.60
donations		£1038.20
Sold items		£1600.00
Fundraising		£54.00
wages	£43,400.73	
training	£581.50	
rent	£3928.29	
toy/equipment	£117.39	
consumables	£932.65	
snack	£351.15	
subscriptions	£1041.34	
DBS/update service	£48.00	
Resources	£706.51	
Legalities	£2452.61	
Totals	£53,560.17	£57,637.95

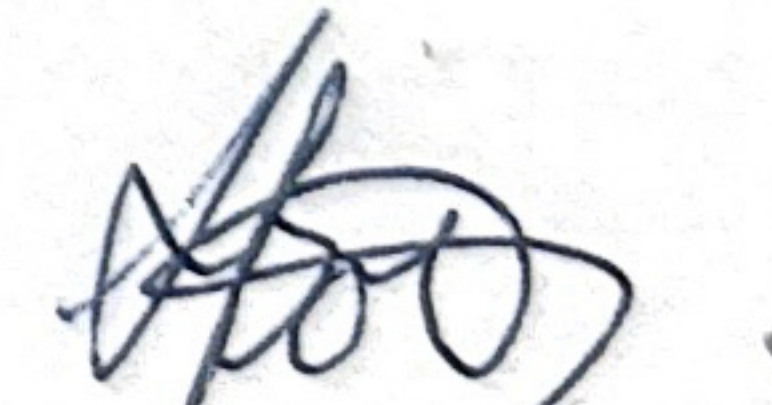
Signed by Treasurer:



Signed by Independent:



Signed by Manager:





CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Early Years@Natures Nook

On accounts for the year
ended

August 2025

Charity no
(if any)

1192797

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above
charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/08/2025

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the
accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011
("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out
under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I
have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission
under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have
come to my attention in connection with the examination (other than that
disclosed below *) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material
respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130
of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements
concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities
(Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement
that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter
considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection
with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in
order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

E. Frangleton

Date:

12.03.2026

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern
(see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and
guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of
any items that the
examiner wishes to
disclose.

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