



*We consider every child to be a star.
It is our job to make them shine!*



Little Comets Nursery

Little Comets is a nurturing nursery for children aged 3 and 4, led by a qualified teacher and supported by a highly experienced and well-qualified staff team. We provide a rich learning environment with both indoor and outdoor provision, offering a balance of adult-led experiences and child-centred activities that encourage curiosity, confidence and independence.

Children at Little Comets enjoy engaging learning opportunities throughout the day, with access to our outdoor spaces as well as carefully planned activities inside. Places are available for both full-day and half-day sessions, subject to receipt of a government childcare code.

We also offer access to school lunches and brunch, ensuring children are well-fuelled for a busy day of learning and play.

For further information or to enquire about a place, please contact our Office Manager at s.smith105@cestria.durham.sch.uk.

Home/School Liaison

Once your child is settled at school we will welcome parents into school for various events such as meetings, concerts, sports and fundraising events. We love to hear about what you have been doing with your children, you can send examples and pictures directly to their class teacher via Dojo. Your child will receive home learning every half term once they have settled in.

School Dinner

School dinners for Nursery children are charged at a rate of £3.08 per day. You may provide your child with a packed lunch. We follow a healthy and nut free policy for a packed lunch-please see the website for further details.

Intimate Care

We have an intimate care policy which is available via our school website. If your child has any difficulties with toileting and/or is not using the toilet please speak to a member of staff. We do have changing facilities in our unit.



Class Dojo

Dojo is an app that can be downloaded to your Phone or device. Teachers send messages, photographs, videos and rewards to celebrate the lovely work and activities that your child takes part in, as well as informing you of any events/activities that have taken place. Further information will be sent out once your child has started school.

Website

Our school website is www.cestria.durham.sch.uk. It holds a whole host of information about the school from diary dates to ways to support your children with their learning.

Dress Code

Our uniform comprises of:

- School navy blue sweatshirt/hoodie
- White polo top (with or without school badge)
- Grey/black PLAIN AND UNBRANDED leggings or
- Navy PLAIN AND UNBRANDED joggers or
- Grey/black school trousers or
- Grey/black school dress/pinafore or
- Grey/black school skirt
- Grey/white PLAIN socks or tights

Footwear must be grey/black with no obvious branding. Trainers can be worn but must be grey/black with no obvious branding.

- ❖ There is the option to wear a blue checked blue dress in the summer term or school grey shorts NOT cycling shorts

If you are having difficulty sourcing a uniform in line with our policy we have a selection of donated items which we will be happy for you to use.

*You can purchase our badged uniform from:

- ✓ [Primary Schools | The School Outfit & Little Gems](#)

IMPORTANT

- Please can all uniform be NAMED
- Children need to bring in a NAMED water bottle, filled, every day
- Children can wear a pair of small stud earrings ONLY-these must be covered/taken out for PE days

Please be aware that clothing in Nursery will get messy due to the nature of the children's learning.