



Parents can really get involved at Tigers with parents' activities, social events and active Dads' Group

Partnering with parents

At Tigers we work in harmony with our children's parents, promoting understanding and ensuring each child feels secure and relaxed.

Our key staff are always on hand at drop-off and pick-up times to talk to parents about their child's day.

Displays of creative work brighten every room and parents are encouraged to look at their child's development planning and daily activity folder. Our open door policy means that any concerns can be discussed and resolved without delay.

Managing excellence

The management team at Tigers has a wealth of experience and a true passion for nursery care.

Founder and owner, Alison Huntley opened the original Tigers nursery in 1994 and has gathered a dedicated, talented team of childcare professionals to help her manage the growing family of Tigers Day Nurseries.



How many hidden tigers can you find?


How many trees can you find?


How many clouds can you see?


Tigers is a special place – welcoming, friendly and fun with a professionalism that is second to none.

For a glimpse of what we have to offer, you can view the Tigers video on our website, but please come and visit us so you can experience the relaxed and happy atmosphere first-hand and meet our exceptional team.

Just give us a call on 01635 528857 to arrange a time that suits you.

We look forward to welcoming you to Tigers.



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Welcome to Tigers

Tigers is a happy, safe and fun-filled day nursery set in beautiful countryside close to the A4 at Thatcham in Berkshire.

Children from three months to five years enjoy the quality care of highly trained staff and exceptional facilities both indoors and out that set Tigers above the rest.



With our spacious outdoor facilities, possibilities are endless – den building, mud kitchens, climbing, planting, football, running and exploring.



Settling in

Each child is given individual care and attention and as much time as they need to settle in and feel secure and confident.

We offer an informal home visit before starting Tigers so we can get to know you and your child in familiar surroundings.

Then from day one your child will be welcomed by a familiar face and, rest assured, in no time they'll be looking forward to another day at Tigers!

Quality care from expert staff

Our nursery staff are dedicated, caring professionals devoted to providing quality care for every child.

We have time to understand the needs of each individual child and to help them achieve their full potential, with plenty of love and support along the way.

If your child has special needs Tigers can offer specialist support or one-to-one care.

A senior nursery nurse leads each team of highly trained childcare professionals and all are encouraged to continue training at our on-site Training Centre to stay abreast of new ideas and share best practice.



Learning through play

Play is how children learn and is vital to their physical, emotional and cognitive development.

At Tigers each child is treated as an individual and given the opportunity to explore, experiment and learn at their own pace within a stimulating, safe environment, always supported by our caring staff.

Tigers has plenty of outdoor space with play houses, growing gardens, safety surfaces, ride-on toys, messy play areas and a huge wild garden so our children get lots of fresh air and exercise.

We also offer dance, drama, French lessons, music and football, balancing child-led play with more structured activities in accordance with Early Years Foundation Stage guidelines.

Our older children develop their knowledge of numbers, phonics and letter formation and we gently nurture the independence they need for primary school.



Our children love Tigers' sensory bubble room with its vision tunnel, fibre optics, bubble tubes, UV lights and lots more.



Keeping safe, feeling secure

Your child's safety is paramount at Tigers. With stringent safety measures and practices in place throughout our site and highly trained staff – all qualified first aiders, your child is in safe hands.

Access to each room and play area is strictly controlled and monitored and care is taken to remove any risks from the nursery environment with safety glass throughout the building, finger guards on all doors used by children and stair grips and hand rails fitted at child height.

We have regular fire practices and electrical appliance tests. Emergency lighting and smoke detectors are fitted throughout.



All our staff are subject to rigorous and regular safeguarding checks and many have been with us for several years. Tigers has a designated Health and Safety Officer.



Eating healthily

A healthy, balanced diet is vital for a child's mental and physical development and Tigers offers a varied menu of nutritious, freshly-prepared meals, cooked in our own kitchen.

A mid-morning snack, two-course lunch and a light tea are served daily and we are happy to cater for special diets.

Mealtimes are happy, social gatherings with lots of chatter around the tables.

We follow babies' home feeding times to minimise disruption to their routine.

