



**Long Hanborough Playgroup**  
Registered Charity 289849

Established in 1984, **Long Hanborough Playgroup** provides a high standard of **pre-school education for children aged between 2 and 5 years old**. We provide **high quality, affordable care** and education in a **small, friendly setting**. We currently have capacity for a **maximum of 18 children per session**. Our Playgroup is **located within the Hanborough Manor Primary School grounds** and enjoys strong links with the school, which in turn facilitates a **smooth transition** for your child into the foundation stage of school. Playgroup can take children for **full or partial day care from 8.45am until 3pm term time only**. We are an approved setting for grant funding for 2 and 4 year olds and eligible 3 year olds. Long Hanborough Playgroup is **committed to safeguarding**. **All staff and volunteers are vetted** to ensure the welfare of the children. Cost: AM or PM session £15/ Full day £25 / Lunch club £2.50.

Ofsted Rating: **GOOD**

"Children thrive and benefit greatly from the individual attention they receive from staff"

Assessment of the Long Hanborough team:

"...is forward thinking, placing children at the heart of what it does"

"...is enthusiastic in its role of supporting children to do well in their learning"

"...build supportive and nurturing relationships with children and their families"



Last month we bid farewell to **Kayleigh Oliver** who left us to spend more time with her family. We wish her all the best for the future.

This month we've been getting **Autumnal** and thinking about hibernation and hedgehogs during our **Forest Rangers** sessions.

Thanks to **Miss Nuttall of Ruth Nuttall School of Dance** for coming in and taking a class with the children. They loved imagining to sew pumpkin seeds and grow up tall! Thank-you to Judy for inviting us to do some Harvest crafts at the **Methodist Church**. Also thanks to Mrs Pearce for inviting us to share the Harvest Festival at **Hanborough Manor**.

**Fundraising and Forthcoming Events:-**

**Cake Sale – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November.** Donations of treats to sell will be gratefully received. You can bake or fake your goodies and drop them in advance at Playgroup or the school office. Thanks very much for your continued support.

**Christmas Cake and Craft – Saturday 1st December.** We are hosting another Cake and Craft Morning to entertain your small folk. We will have lots of lovely cake and drinks for grown ups to enjoy while the kids get stuck into some messy play, crafts and the like for age 2-6 year olds. All children to be accompanied by an adult. Book a place at £3.50 per child advance from Playgroup or by emailing Elly Griffiths (lhplaygroupsecretary@outlook.com). Places are limited so get yours now to avoid disappointment.



**Easyfundraising**

An effortless way to support Playgroup is via 'Easyfundraising'. We can earn donations for free while you do your usual shopping at online retailers such as Argos, John Lewis, Amazon, ASOS and many more. Please use our unique link to register at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hanboroughplaygroup/>

Please take a look at our **website** and Facebook page have all our information and events. 'Like' and 'Follow' us to keep in touch. [www.longhanboroughplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.longhanboroughplaygroup.co.uk)  
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