

Meet the Team



Gina Taylor - I love working within Early Years and have been at Fairhaven Preschool since 2008. I took over as setting Manager in September 2017, after being the Deputy for 7 years.

I completed my Foundation Degree in Early Years and an ILM Level 5 in Management in 2015. I strive to improve and enhance my own knowledge and skills and apply these into my work at Fairhaven

Preschool to continue to make the preschool a place where children excel whilst having fun and making friends.

We are like a large family unit, and no two days are the same. We witness the tears, tantrums and triumphs. I cannot imagine a job that is more enjoyable and rewarding than watching and supporting these small children develop into assured, confident, dynamic individuals.

Emma Mills - I'm Emma, having Previously Worked as a learning support assistant with adults with learning difficulties and challenging behaviours, I fancied a career change. While supporting my own daughters in their early years I realised the importance and potential in this stage of development in shaping their learning style and personality. I love combining my interests



in art and nature and helping the children to find their own talents. I am very proud of our preschool and the team I work with and so am very excited to be taking on the role of deputy manager next academic year.



Chelsea Jones - I have two children myself and I have been working at Fairhaven Preschool since December 2016. I currently have a Level 2 in Childcare and Education and I am currently studying towards my Level 3. I have gained lots of new experiences already and am looking forward to extending these

further. I am really enjoying working here, every day is different and I'm enjoying working with the children, helping them in their learning and development.

Jayne Debbage – I have lots of experience working with children.

I have 3 children of my own and have held several positions including primary school midday supervisor and Brownie leader, where I have been responsible for children's care, safety and learning. I started with Fairhaven pre-school as an Emergency relief assistant, and am delighted to now be a permanent member of the team. I am currently studying towards my Level 2 Diploma for the Children & Young Person's Workforce.



Gemma Banham – Gemma has a vast experience of working with young children, both within settings and through her own childminding business. She also has Forest Schools experience as well as setting-based knowledge. Gemma is currently studying towards her Foundation Degree in Early Years. She enjoys providing children with the opportunities to explore, learn and develop through their curiosity and natural surroundings.

Natalie Chuter – Natalie has supported preschool over the years as an emergency relief practitioner, alongside her teaching roles. We are pleased that she has chosen to join us on a more permanent basis. Natalie brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to enrich the children's learning.

