

Dear Councillors,

At Playgroup we have been working very hard over the last three years on our project for a Newbuild so we can offer full time hours with a wrap around care service to serve the local community.

Here is our "Wish list" if we were to be sited on the Kilmore Site, we appreciate there must be an element of flexibility in achieving everyone's wishes but here is our starting point.

- A direct lease off the Parish Council for a minimum of 15 years (a requirement for the larger funding portals)
- Build size of 170m square of any configuration allowing us space for up to 42 children over 2 years old.
- Outside area of 150m square with potential for a forest school (additional funding for projects such as tree planting etc are available) elsewhere on site working alongside other projects eg a bike track
- Operating hours 8-6pm with potential to hand over children to sports clubs that begin at 6pm
- Additional Parking spaces
- Support from the Parish Council for funding applications

For further information please contact me. We have modular building plans, though we are open to using different building materials e.g brick/timber framed. We have a list of funding portals that we are eligible for (dependent on obtaining planning permission). We also survey results for existing childcare in the village and more. We have so far raised over £32,000 for this project as Playgroup continues to grow from strength to strength, As we prepare to go into the next academic year with full numbers (31 children registered, 26 children daily due to Ofsted restrictions for build size) from the beginning of term with a waiting list in place.