**Q9 Why did you choose to send your child to Jollies?**

I chose to send my child (and his big brother) to Jollies as from the first time we visited we got a positive feel from the place and the team. As a place it feels homely and welcoming and the team there do all they can to ensure that my child’s time at Jollies is happy and stimulating. They are an extension of our family and part of the community.

Because it has passion, soul, creativity and that bit of something different the other nurseries in the area do not offer. There is a homely feel and a real sense of purpose to everything they do at Jollies, rather than a 'clinical', 'tick a box' type of feeling. I know my child is being engaged in opportunities that have helped her to develop into the bright spark we think she is today and I honestly cannot thank all at Jollies for the part they have played.

Your learning struck a chord with us in regards to teaching responsibility through play. We also liked the fact that it was family run and not a franchise as we felt this would be directly reflected into the care and attention put into the nursery.

100% instinct. The children seemed happy and they were having fun and all the staff seemed to be enjoying their jobs. I definitely viewed nurseries with more space which had more room for better sleeping arrangements but Jollies just had a different feel to it. There seemed to be a real passion from the staff and it really seemed like a home from home. I visited Ofsted outstanding nurseries but would not have sent my child there.

We immediately felt a warmth when visiting. We ‘surprised’ them with our initial visit and it didn’t show at all. In fact they gave us more time attention and information than any of the other 3 nurseries we visited. The enthusiasm qualifications and dedication of Tracey and Sian was a big factor as well as the family feel. We saw happy kids, fresh food, friendly staff. To us it was the next best thing to being at home would be. Other nurseries seemed clinical, small and more focused on preparing for inspections that getting it right for the kids and parents. We fell in love with the place and the staff.

Because it was clearly the pride of the owners, not a faceless chain. We chose Jollies because of Tracey essentially. She convinced us she cared and she has proved this.

After viewing other nurseries I felt that Jollies had the warmest environment, my oldest child came to Jollies and it gave her a fantastic start in life, she was so ready to go to school because of all she had learnt at Jollies.