

General Safeguarding and Welfare Requirement: Safety and Suitability of Premises, Environment and Equipment

Providers must have a no-smoking policy, and must prevent smoking in a room, or outside play area, when children are present or about to be present

Come and Play Preschool



Registered Charity No. 1022409

8.7 No Smoking

Policy statement

We comply with health and safety regulations and the Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage in making our setting a no-smoking environment - both indoors and outdoors.

Procedures

- All staff, parents and volunteers are made aware of our no smoking policy.
- No smoking signs are displayed prominently.
- The no smoking policy is stated in information for parents and staff.
- Staff who smoke or use e-cigarettes are not do so during working hours, unless on a scheduled break and off the premises.
- Staff who smoke or use e-cigarettes during working hours and travelling to and from work must not do so whilst wearing a setting uniform or must at least cover the uniform.
- E-cigarettes are not permitted to be used on the premises
- Staff who smoke or use e-cigarettes during their scheduled breaks go far away from the premises.
- Staff who smoke or use e-cigarettes during their break make every effort to reduce the effects of odour and passive smoking for children and colleagues
- Staff are made aware that failure to adhere to this policy and procedures may result in disciplinary action.

This policy was adopted on

12/10/2021

Date to be reviewed

Spring 2023

Signed by committee chairperson

Signed by preschool leader