



No Smoking Policy

Children's health and wellbeing is of the utmost importance for the children in our care. Smoking has proved to be a health risk and therefore in accordance with childcare legislation, the nursery operates a strict "No Smoking Policy" within its buildings and grounds. It is illegal to smoke in enclosed places (effective in Scotland and Wales and England.) Parents are respectfully required to abstain from smoking whilst on the premises.

This rule also applies to staff, students, carers and visitors etc. Staff accompanying children outside the nursery are not permitted to smoke e.g. whilst on an outing. Staff must not smoke whilst wearing nursery uniform as it is essential that staff are positive role models to children and promote a healthy lifestyle. Staff must not smoke near the location of the nursery, if they need to smoke it must be away from the nursery building and out of view from service users.