**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 indoor and outdoor.

**Procedures**

Our premises the Village Hall is a non-smoking area.

* All staff, parents and volunteers are made aware of our no-smoking policy.
* We display no-smoking signs.
* The no-smoking policy is stated in our information for parents.
* We actively encourage no-smoking by having information for parents and staff about where to get help to stop smoking if they are seeking this information.
* Staff who smoke do not do so during working hours, unless on a break and off the premises.
* Staff who smoke during their break make every effort to reduce the effect of the odour and lingering effects of passive smoking for children and colleagues.

**Legal framework**

* The Smoke-free (Premises and Enforcement) Regulations 2006
www.opsi.gov.uk/si/si2006/20063368.htm
* The Smoke-free (Signs) Regulations 2012

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