



Ladybirds Preschool No Smoking or Vaping Policy (Revised 4th December 2024)

Working in conjunction with the Early Years Foundation Stage Statutory Framework (EYFS).

Quality and Consistency.

A Secure Foundation.

Partnership Working.

Equality of Opportunity.

Unique Child Positive Partnerships Enabling Environment Learning and Developing

Introduction

At Ladybirds Preschool 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 or Vaping Policy.

We display no-smoking or Vaping signs.

The No-smoking and No Vaping Policy is stated in our information for parents.

Smoking includes all forms of tobacco, vapes and illegal substances.

Parents are asked not to smoke or vape in the play area outside while waiting for the setting to open.

We actively encourage no-smoking or vaping by having information for parents and staff about where to get help to stop smoking or vaping if they are seeking this information.

Staff who smoke or vape do not do so during working hours.

Staff who smoke or vape while off the premises 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)

The Smoke-free (Signs) Regulations (2012)

Other Related Policies & Procedures

The following policies provide additional information regarding the safeguarding and welfare of the children in our care:

- *Children's Rights & Entitlement Policy*
- *Committee Policy*
- *Complaints*
- *Daily Running Policy*
- *Diversity & Equality Policy*
- *Employment & Staffing Policy*
- *Environmental Policy*
- *Fire Safety & Emergency Evacuation Policy*
- *First Aid Policy*
- *GDPR Policy*
- *Grievance Policy*
- *Health & Safety Policy*
- *Managing Children/Staff Allergies Policy*
- *Organisation Policy*
- *Outdoor Play Policy*
- *Outings & Visits Policy*
- *Parent Involvement Policy*
- *Parents, Alcohol & Drugs Policy*
- *Photography & Video Policy*
- *Risk Assessment Policy*
- *Safeguarding Policy*
- *Security Policy*
- *Staff Alcohol & Drugs Policy*
- *Staff Behaviour Policy*
- *Staffing & Volunteers Policy*
- *Student Placement Policy*
- *Suitable Persons Policy*

- *Whistleblowing Policy*
- *Working in Partnership Policy*

This policy will be monitored and evaluated at committee meetings. It will be reviewed bi-annually and unless new legislation or an incident occurs which requires an immediate review of this policy

December 2024

Review Date: December 2026

This Notice was adopted by the committee on 13/12/2024

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