



No Smoking Policy.

Statement of intent.

Little Acorns @ Our Lady and St Oswald's Pre-School recognises and respects all the health advantages of a smoke free environment, for both children and adults.

On 1st July 2007, the Government introduced a new law to make all public places and workplaces in England smoke free. A smoke free country ensures a healthier environment, so everyone can socialise and work free from passive smoke.

Smoking is scientifically proven to be detrimental to the health and well being of any person who either smoke or inhales second hand smoke (passive smoke).

- No one is permitted to smoke at any time on Pre-School premises.
- No smoking signs are to be displayed.
- New staff and students are made aware during their induction that the Pre-School is a non smoking environment.
- If any member of staff or students wishes to smoke they are asked to do this during their breaks or lunchtime away from the Pre-School building and grounds.
- Anyone smoking on the premises will be asked to extinguish their cigarette.
- Any staff found smoking with in Pre-School grounds will be subject to disciplinary procedures.
- Parents/Carers will be made aware of the No Smoking Policy.
- The setting will provide information for anyone wishing to have support in ceasing smoking.
- If a member of staff smokes they must wash their hands before they begin contact with the children.
- Pre-School will keep a regular check of all premises to ensure that they are clear of smoking related rubbish.

This policy was adopted at a meeting of Little Acorns @ Our Lady & St Oswald's Pre-School held on (Date) 27.6.16

Signed on behalf of management committee Jude

Role of signatory COMMITTEE MEMBER

Term to be reviewed SUMMER TERM 2017