



Fire Safety Policy

Designated Fire Marshalls are: Sonia Wilsher and Tara White

Aim

Our provision is a suitable, clean and safe place for children to be cared for, where they can grow and learn. We meet all statutory requirements about fire safety and fulfil the criteria for meeting the relevant Early Years Foundation Stage Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements.

Objectives

- We recognise that we have a corporate responsibility and a duty of care for those who work in and receive a service from our provision, but individual employees and service users also have a responsibility to ensure their own safety as well as that of others. Risk assessment is the key means through which this is achieved.
- A fire safety risk assessment is carried out by the setting manager.
- An emergency evacuation procedure is in place and displayed on fire exits in the setting.
- Staff are aware of our emergency evacuation procedures and practice fire drills are carried out with the children each half term, on differing days and times
- For children with SEND needs, they are allocated a 1:2:1 to ensure their safety.
- A Fire Log is completed and regularly updated.
- Necessary equipment is in place to promote fire safety.

Further guidance

Fire Safety Risk Assessment: Educational Premises

www.communities.gov.uk/publications/fire/firesafetyrisk6

This policy was adopted by Acorn Playgroup and Pre-school on 01 September 2023

