

**General Safeguarding and Welfare Requirement: Safety and Suitability of Premises, Environment and Equipment**

Providers must have a no-smoking policy, and must prevent smoking in a room, or outside play area, when children are present or about to be present



**Yateley Community Pre-School**  
Registered Charity No. 298231

**8.6 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 indoors and outdoors.

**Procedures**

- All staff, parents and volunteers are made aware of our No-smoking Policy.
- No-smoking signs are displayed.
- The No-smoking Policy is stated in 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)
- The Smoke-free (Signs) Regulations (2012)

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| This policy was adopted by                        | Yateley Community Pre-school | <i>(name of provider)</i> |
| On  | 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2018   | <i>(date)</i>             |
| Date to be reviewed                               | Yearly                       | <i>(date)</i>             |
| Signed on behalf of the provider                  | _____                        |                           |
| Name of signatory                                 | Current Chair                |                           |
| Role of signatory (e.g. chair, director or owner) | Chair                        |                           |