

Pre-School Consent Policy

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The Pre-school staff are aware of the lead responsibility which parents maintain regarding their children. It is expected that parents will on sending their child to the provision, be aware of the service offered and the programme which the children will engage in. However, there are occasions which relate to specific matters where staff will ensure that appropriate parental consent is sought regarding matters specific to their child.

Such Matters Include:

<u>Toileting</u> Where intimate care is required staff will have received signed permission to undertake this role. In the event of an unexpected 'accident' Staff will take appropriate action to ensure that the child's welfare is paramount. (See Toileting/Intimate Care Policy)

<u>Video/Photography</u>: Permission is sought from parents to allow their child's images to be recorded either by staff or other adults (such as during performances) and how and where these images can be used. (See Use of Photography, Videoing and *CC*TV Policy)

<u>Off Site Visits:</u> Staff will provide details of all off-site visits and seek permission from parents before undertaking such visits. (See Preschool Outing Policy, Transport Policy and Risk Assessment Policy)

Where permission is not made due to parental concerns the leader/principal will meet with the parent to seek to provide reassurance. However, where parents continue to have concerns procedures will be put in place to maintain the right of the parent.