



Policies and Procedures

Sun Protection Policy

Little Fishes Pre-School (Brackley) understands the importance of protecting young children from the harm that unprotected exposure to the sun can cause. The following are the ways we will minimise any risk.

- Parents and carers will be asked to apply appropriate sun cream (8 hr protection if possible) to their child before attending any sessions at LFPS (morning or afternoon). There will be an expectation that this has happened.
- Staff can apply sun cream to any children who stay all day at LFPS. This will be applied after lunch.
- Parents will be made aware that sun cream for 8 hour protection is available and this would be preferable.
- Any cream that needs to be applied to a child must be handed to preschool staff, clearly labelled with the child's name. This will be kept by preschool in a place out of reach of the children.
- Sun cream must not be kept in a child's bag.
- Children should bring a sun hat to preschool each day and wear loose fitting, cool clothing that cover arms and legs.
- Staff will monitor how long children are outside and exposed to the sun bringing children inside or providing shade as necessary.
- Drinking water will be available for the children.

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Signed on behalf of the Pre-School Trustees.....

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