

Sun Cream (Nursery) Policy

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all children are protected from harmful UV exposure during sunny weather while attending nursery. We aim to work in partnership with parents to promote safe sun practices.

2.0 PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES

Parents must apply a high-factor (SPF 30 or above) sun cream to their child before arriving at nursery each day during warm or sunny weather-sun index of 3 and above. Parents who prefer their child to use a specific brand or type of sun cream may provide their own. Any sun cream provided by parents must be clearly labelled with the child's name, be handed to a staff member, not left in Childs bag, be left at the nursery to remain on-site, and be in date and suitable for the child's skin.

3.0 NURSERY RESPONSIBILITIES

- 3.1 Staff will reapply sun cream as needed throughout the day, particularly before extended outdoor play, after water play, or if a child's skin appears at risk of sun exposure.
- 3.2 If parents do not provide their own sun cream, the nursery will use the school-supplied sun cream.
- 3.3 Staff will follow all allergy or skin-sensitivity information shared by parents and encourage additional sun safety measures such as wearing sun hats, playing in shaded areas, and staying hydrated.

4.0 SCHOOL SUPPLIED SUN CREAM

- 4.1 The nursery will provide NIVEA SUN Kids Protect & Sensitive Sun Lotion (200ml) Sunscreen with SPF 50+, Kids Suncream for Sensitive Skin for general use.



4.2 Parents will need to notify the nursery of any potential allergies to this brand.

4.3 Parents must notify the nursery in writing if they do not consent to the use of the nursery sun cream.

5.0 ALLERGIES AND MEDICAL NEEDS

Parents must inform the nursery of any known sun cream allergies or skin conditions. Alternative sun protection methods will be discussed and agreed with parents.