



BATHROOM FACILITIES POLICY

Children requiring assistance in the bathroom will be helped only by a member of staff who has been DBS checked, in accordance with guidelines laid down by OFSTED.

Children requiring nappy changing who are not toilet trained will have their needs attended to as required, by a 'suitable' member of staff using the changing facilities available.

The staff at the preschool are happy to support parents and carers, as they journey through the 'toilet training' process with their child/ren. We are fully aware that this process is often a difficult one to master for a young child, however usually with time and patience, children are quick to learn and soon out of nappies.

Please do not be surprised if your child has more toileting accidents at preschool, during this time. As there is much to distract children at the preschool, so children often leave going to the toilet to the last minute.

The staff team will endeavour to remind children regularly, to go to the toilet. However, we will not accept responsibility for children having toileting accidents. Children's wet or soiled clothes will be changed, if staff members are alerted to the matter and the child made comfortable. Staff will at all times wear disposable protective gloves and aprons whilst attending to a child in need of changing.

It is helpful to staff, that children attending the setting bring in with them each day, at least 1 change of clothes and if required spare nappies, wipes etc.

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This organisation is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

Date for Review:	31 st August 2026
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