



Safety and Suitability of Premises, Environment and Equipment

3h.5 Extreme Temperatures in the Nursery

Policy Statement

Due to health and safety regulations, and to ensure the safety of the children and staff attending Auden Place Community Nursery, there may be times during extreme temperatures when we will have to close the nursery.

Procedures

Cold Conditions

We may need to close the nursery if the temperature inside the building falls below 16°C (61°F). This could be due to weather conditions and/or failed heating.

Hot Conditions

We may need close the nursery if the temperature inside the building reaches a constant 30°C (86°F) or higher.

We will always try to give notice the day before, but certain circumstances are out of our control and there may be times that we will need to contact parents/carers or emergency contacts to collect the children.

In such circumstances, the Management Committee will make a decision based on all the facts at the time on whether or not fee refunds will be issued.