Thorpe Willoughby Childcare Centre

No Smoking /Vaping Policy

Children's health and wellbeing is of the utmost importance for the children in our care. Smoking has proved to be a health risk and therefore in accordance with childcare legislation, the setting operates a strict "No Smoking Policy" within its buildings and grounds. It is illegal to smoke in enclosed places (effective in Scotland and Wales and England.)

Parents are respectfully required to abstain from smoking/Vaping whilst on the premises.

This rule also applies to staff, students, carers and visitors etc.

Staff accompanying children outside the setting are not permitted to smoke/Vape e.g. whilst on an outing. It is essential that staff are positive role models to children and promote a healthy lifestyle.

Staff must not smoke near the location of the setting, if they need to smoke/Vape it must be away from the nursery building and out of view from service users.

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