

Baby Sitting Policy

Policy Statement

This policy has been implemented to provide clarification regarding private babysitting arrangements between staff and parents/carers.

EYFS key themes and commitments

A Unique Child	Positive Relationships	Enabling Environments	Learning and Development
1.3 Keeping safe	2.1 Respecting each other 2.2 Parents as partners	3.4 The wider context	4.4 Personal, social and emotional development

Characteristics of Effective Learning

Playing and Exploring Engagement	Active Learning Motivation	Creating and Thinking Critically - Thinking
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Procedures

- Rudgwick Pre-school will not be responsible for any private babysitting arrangements or agreements made between staff members and parents or committee members.
- The Supervisor or Chairperson must be advised if a private arrangement has been made between a staff member and a person associated with the pre-school.
 - Out of hours babysitting arrangements must not interfere with a staff members' employment at the Pre-school.
- Confidentiality by staff with regard to other staff, children and families of the Pre-school must be adhered to and respected at all times.
- Rudgwick Pre-school will not be held responsible for any health and safety or other issues that may arise from these private arrangements.
- No member of staff will take a child away from the setting for the purpose of babysitting unless they are a named person on the child's records.

This policy was adopted at a meeting of

Rudgwick Pre-school

Held on

16th November 2023

Date to be reviewed

16th November 2025

Signed on behalf of the management
committee

Name of signatory

William Baldwin

Role of signatory

Chairperson