

**SECTION 1**

**General Welfare Requirement: Safeguarding and Promoting Children’s Welfare**

The provider must take necessary steps to safeguard and promote the welfare of children.



**1.1 Safeguarding children: Children’s rights and entitlements**

**Policy statement**

- Tamar Valley Pre-school promote children's right to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by creating an environment in our setting that encourages children to develop a positive self image, which includes their heritage arising from their colour and ethnicity, their languages spoken at home, their religious beliefs, cultural traditions and home background.
- We promote children's right to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by encouraging children to develop a sense of autonomy and independence.
- We promote children's right to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by enabling children to have the self-confidence and the vocabulary to resist inappropriate approaches.
- We help children to establish and sustain satisfying relationships within their families, with peers, and with other adults.
- We work with parents to build their understanding of, and commitment to, the principles of safeguarding all our children.

**EYFS key themes and commitments**

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| 1.2 Inclusive practice | 2.1 Respecting each other | 3.2 Supporting every child | 4.4 Personal, social and emotional development |
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**This policy was adopted by Tamar Valley Pre-school at a meeting held on.....**

Signed on behalf of the committee .....(chairperson)

.....(committee member)