



British Values Policy

At Little Cygnets Childcare, we are committed to promoting the fundamental British values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect, and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs. These values are embedded into our daily practice and are reinforced regularly in the following ways:

Democracy:

We ensure that children and parents' voices are heard and valued. Parent questionnaires are regularly distributed, and feedback is carefully considered in our planning and decision-making processes. Children are given the opportunity to make choices and decisions, empowering them to contribute to their own learning and environment.

The Rule of Law:

Our high expectations of behavior are consistently reinforced. Children are taught the value and rationale behind our rules, understanding that they are in place to ensure safety and fairness for everyone. We emphasize personal responsibility and encourage children to be aware of and respect boundaries.

Individual Liberty:

Children are actively encouraged to make choices within a safe and supportive environment. We provide clear boundaries to help children understand how to make decisions responsibly. We educate them on their rights and personal freedoms, ensuring they feel confident in expressing themselves while respecting others.

Mutual Respect:

Respect is a core principle in our behavior policy. We model respectful behavior by fostering an environment of caring, sharing, and listening. Children are guided to understand how their actions and words can affect others, and we encourage empathy and understanding through daily interactions and group activities.

Tolerance of Those of Different Faiths and Beliefs:

We aim to broaden children's understanding of different cultures and beliefs by celebrating a variety of festivals throughout the year. Children are encouraged to engage with diverse traditions by dressing in different cultural attire and sampling foods from other cultures. We actively involve parents and carers in supporting these multicultural events, enriching the children's experiences and fostering a sense of inclusivity.

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