Little Trinity Ltd

Risk Assessment Policy & Procedures

Little Trinity Nursery believes that the health and safety of children is of paramount importance. We make our setting a safe and healthy place for children, parents, staff and volunteers by assessing and minimising the hazards and risks to enable children to thrive in the environment.

Risk Assessment

- Identification of risk: Where is it and what is it?
- Who is at risk: Children, parents, staff etc?
- Level of risk: High, medium, low?
- Control measures to reduce/eliminate risk: What we need to do, or ensure others will do in order to reduce that risk?

Manager to Monitor and Review

Procedures

- Our risk assessments are carried out by the Manager and room staff.
- Our risk assessment process covers adults and children and includes:
 - 1. Checking for and noting everyday hazards both indoors and outdoors, covering all spaces used weekly by the setting, to include activities.
 - 2. Assessing the level of risk and who might be affected.
 - 3. Developing an action plan that specifies the action required, the time scales, the person responsible and any funding required.

Risk Assessments are carried out:

- Annually for everyday routines, classroom maintenance and weekly activities
- Termly for larger repairs/maintenance of equipment
- Daily checks for equipment/areas being used.
- As and when required for outings and specific activities that carry more risk.