



Children's Participation/Consultation Policy

Hyde n Seek Nursery supports the view that the children should be treated with dignity and respect at all times and that they should realise their potential.

- * The nursery will provide opportunities for children to express their views, exercise choice and influence the activities and programmes in the nursery.
- * Staff will actively consult children and value their views.
- * Staff will enable children to make informed choices
- * The nursery will provide opportunities for children to learn about healthy lifestyles and relationships, hygiene, diet and personal safety.
- * The nursery will treat all children equally and value the views and choices of all children.
- * Children will be actively encouraged to participate in the evaluation of the nursery's activities.

Procedures

Taking account of the age and stage of each child's development staff will:

- * Ensure that children are aware of the resources and activities available in the nursery
- * Actively encourage children to express their views on the activities, programmes and resources available in the nursery through conversation and other expressive arts.
- * Talk to children about their individual interests and aim to incorporate these into the activities and programmes of the nursery.