



Filthy Squirrels Woodland Nursery

Camera and Mobile Phone Policy

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Filthy Squirrels Woodland Nursery have a strict policy regarding the use of mobile phones and cameras, which has been formulated to safeguard children. The policy applies to staff members, parents and other visitors to the setting.

We often take photographs/videos of our children and nursery in action to aid in the recording of children's learning and development, and to be used for promotional purposes. These photographs/videos are all taken using Filthy Squirrels Woodland Nursery iPhones.

The photos are generally used to upload onto the children's online learning journals using Filthy Squirrels Forest School iPhones. No photos will be taken of a child if consent has not been gained from the parents first via Permissions on Baby's Days.

Where permission is given via Baby's Days, these photos may be used to document our time at Filthy Squirrels Woodland Nursery on social media platforms and for marketing purposes. Under no circumstances would photos be used unless express permission is granted.

Filthy Squirrels Woodland Nursery iPhones are for documenting children's learning and development, and safety and communication. These phones shall not be used for any purpose other than emergency calls or communication within the setting. No personal calls will be permitted whilst staff are on duty during nursery operating hours.

Only phones and cameras provided to staff by Filthy Squirrels Forest School can be used throughout the duration of the nursery day. Watches with camera or video functions should not be worn at work.

Parents and Visitors

Parents collecting their children from the indoor sites are required to keep their mobile phones in their bags or pockets and calls must be answered once they have left the setting.

Visitors are not permitted to take photographs whilst children are on site, unless this is a planned photography session where Filthy Squirrels staff are present and parents have given their permission.

