# General Safeguarding and Welfare Requirement: Safety and Suitability of Premises, Environment and Equipment

Providers must have a no-smoking policy, and must prevent smoking in a room, or outside play area, when children are present or about to be present

## St Alban's Pre School 8.6 No-smoking

### **Policy statement**

We comply with health and safety regulations and the Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage in making [our/my] setting a no-smoking environment - both indoors and outdoors.

#### **Procedures**

- All staff, parents and volunteers are made aware of our No-smoking Policy.
- No-smoking signs are displayed.
- The No-smoking Policy is stated in information for parents.
- We actively encourage no-smoking by having information for parents and staff about where to get help to stop smoking if they are seeking this information.
- Staff who smoke do not do so during working hours, unless on a break and off the premises.
- Staff who smoke during their break make every effort to reduce the effect of the odour and lingering effects of passive smoking for children and colleagues.

#### Legal framework

This policy was adopted by	St Albans Pre School	(name of provider)
On	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2020	(date)
Date to be reviewed	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2021	(date)
Signed on behalf of the provider	Elaine Mercer	_
Name of signatory	Elaine Mercer	
Role of signatory (e.g. chair, director or owner)	Head of Pre School	