Safety checks on toys and equipment

The activities and equipment will be appropriate to the children's abilities and needs.

Equipment should be placed ready for use with sufficient space between pieces/combinations for the children to move safely.

Large climbing equipment will be kept well away from walls.

No equipment will obstruct any doorway, fire exits or pathways.

Suitable safety matting will be placed on the floor when using certain activities/equipment.

All toys and equipment will be checked regularly for sharp edges, corners, splinters and tears etc.

Equipment will be checked to make sure fixings are tight and secure.

Dangerous or broken equipment will be repaired or discarded.

Unwanted toys and equipment will be tidied away.

Children will be supervised at all times.

This policy was adopted at a meeting of Trustees held on ..........................

and was checked and re-affirmed on ..........................

Signed on behalf of The Little Pennies Pre-school

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