



Partnership with Parents Policy

Parents are the first and foremost educators of young children. The aim of our pre-school is to support parents in their essential role.

Frenchay Pre-School will:

- Involve parents in shared record keeping about their own child, both formally and informally, ensuring that parents have access to all written records on their own child/children
- Ensure that parents are given information on a regular basis about their child's progress and well-being giving them the opportunity to discuss these areas with pre-school staff
- Ensure that all parents have the opportunity to contribute from their own skills, knowledge and interests to the activities of the group. Suggestions can be made to pre-school staff who can decide if it is appropriate to take up any ideas that are put forward
- Ensure that all new parents are aware of and can contribute to the pre-school's system and policies. Invite parents to join the interview panel when recruiting.
- Encourage parents to play an active part in supporting the group and its activities and invite for Stay & Play mornings and to come in and read to the children
- Make known to all parents the systems for registering queries, complaints or suggestions
- Provide opportunities for parents, to learn about the pre-school curriculum and about young children's learning, in pre-school and at home
- Provide a Christmas Party and a Sports Day each year to encourage all parent/carers and their family members to join in and share lots of fun with us
- Provide lots of flyers, leaflets and information about relevant events/clubs and activities in the local area
- Distribute information given to the pre-school by South Glos Council and other partners we have

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