**Safeguarding Children**

* 1. **Children’s rights and entitlements**

**EYFS key themes and commitments**

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| **A Unique Child** | **Positive Relationships** | **Enabling Environments** | **Learning and Development** |
| 1.2 Inclusive practice | 2.1 Respecting each other | 3.2 Supporting every child | 4.4 Personal, social and emotional development |

**Policy Statement**

* Our setting promotes children’s rights to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by creating an environment that encourages children to develop a positive self-image, which includes their heritage arising from their colour and ethnicity, their languages spoken at home, their religious beliefs, cultural traditions and home background.
* We promote children’s rights to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by encouraging children to develop a sense of autonomy and independence.
* We promote children’s rights to be *strong, resilient and listened to* by enabling children to have the self-confidence and the vocabulary to resist inappropriate approaches.
* We help children to establish and sustain satisfying relationships within their families, with peers, and with other adults.
* We work with parents/carers to build their understanding of, and commitment to, the principles of safeguarding all our children.