



SEND Policy

Walsall Childminding Hub

St Matthew's Close, Walsall, England, WS1 3DG, United Kingdom

Policy Review: Annually

Purpose

Walsall Childminding Hub recognises that some children may require additional support to access learning and development opportunities. We are committed to supporting children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

Objectives

- Identify needs at the earliest opportunity.
- Work in partnership with parents and professionals.
- Promote inclusion and participation.
- Support children's individual development and wellbeing.

Procedures

Observations and assessments will be used to identify potential concerns. Where additional needs are identified, discussions will take place with parents and, where appropriate, referrals may be made to relevant agencies. Individual support strategies will be implemented and reviewed regularly. Children will be encouraged to participate in all activities and reasonable adjustments will be made to ensure accessibility. Confidentiality will be maintained at all times.

Partnership Working

We value the expertise of parents and carers and work collaboratively to achieve positive outcomes for children.

Responsibilities

All staff, volunteers and visitors are expected to follow this policy. Concerns, incidents and breaches must be reported promptly and recorded appropriately. Training will be provided where necessary and policies will be reviewed annually to ensure continued compliance with legislation and best practice.

Review

This policy forms part of the operational framework of Walsall Childminding Hub and should be read alongside safeguarding, health and safety and behaviour management procedures.