

Suitable premises

3.3 Keeping children safe around doors

Statement of intent

At School House Nurseries we aim to make the nursery a safe and secure place for children and to make everyone aware of health and safety issues to minimise any hazards that children face.

Procedures

- All staff will take precautions to prevent children's fingers from being trapped in doors.
- Children are taught how to open and close a door and are made aware of door safety. This includes not touching, or putting their fingers near, any door hinges.
- Children must be supervised when they come in and out of the outdoor areas, with an adult standing by the external doors.
- Staff must check that children haven't got their fingers near door hinges before any door is closed or opened.
- Children in the toilets to be supervised by an adult, who remind the children about door safety.

This policy was updated and reviewed in:

Reviewed date	Name	Signature
September 2015	Stuart Watt	
May 2016	Stuart Watt	
August 2016	Stuart Watt	
September 2016	Stuart Watt	
April 2017	Stuart Watt	
April 2018	Lindy Baldwin	
August 2018	Lindy Baldwin	
April 2019	Lindy Baldwin	
May 2019	Stuart Watt	





January 2020	Stuart Watt	
January 2021	Stuart Watt	
January 2022	Stuart Watt	
March 2023	Stuart Watt	

