



Health & Safety

As registered Childcare provisions the health and safety of your child is important to us. T&D have written risk assessments for our settings. Which we review on an annual basis and make any changes if necessary. We also do daily visual risk assessments. Our risk assessments are available for you to look at should you wish to.

Our vehicle(s) are kept in a good working order with up to date MOT, tax and insurance. We also ensure that child seats are adequate and fitted properly. All T&D staff hold a Full UK driving licence.

We have a written plan in place in case we need to evacuate the premises due to fire or another emergency. We practice fire drills with all the children. We keep emergency contact details accessible at all times and request that you help us to keep these up to date.

All T&D Childcare staff have attended a paediatric first aid course on and update this every 3 years. We keep our first aid kits appropriately stocked.

All accidents/incidents are properly recorded and shared with the parent/carer.

No one is permitted to smoke in our settings. We will not take the children into smoky environments and will avoid places that permit smoking wherever possible.

We will not allow anyone under the influence of alcohol or drugs to come into contact with children whilst in our care, including ourselves. We will ensure that if any T&D Staff members are on any medication, we will have it confirmed either with a pharmacist or a doctor that it will not affect their ability to care for children.

Healthy Eating:-

We encourage the children to eat healthily and to understand why this is important. We provide good quality meals, snacks and drinks on a daily basis. Equally, We are happy to cook/serve food provided by parents/carers. If you provide food for your child, please follow healthy eating guidelines.

We encourage the children to try foods that they may not have tried before and to make healthy food choices. We also engage the children in the choosing, purchasing and preparation of food.

Parents/carers of small babies are asked to provide pureed baby food and/or formula, which can be made as needed, or breast milk bottles, which will be correctly refrigerated until they are required.

Children are offered water or milk with their meals or snacks. Fresh drinking water is available at all times.

On special occasions e.g. birthday celebrations, the children may be offered party food with permission from parents/carers.

We are happy to discuss menus with parents/carers and cater for children with food allergies/special diets and cultural/religious requirements.

The Childminders at T&D all have a current food hygiene certificate and will continue to update this as recommended. This ensures we have a full understanding of the safe preparation and storage of food.



We are registered with Environmental Health and follow the guidelines in the Safer Food, Better Business Pack.