**Clothing Policy**

Children enjoy and benefit greatly from playing outside. We have a secure outdoor play area and the children have outdoor playtime most days, unless the weather is unsafe or uncomfortably cold. The children are taken on trips to the park and walks around the community. To make sure your child can join in the fun, please ensure they bring adequate clothing such as in the colder months: a hat, gloves, wellingtons and a winter coat to keep them warm and dry. In summer they will need a hat, sun cream and light wear clothes with a layer they can take off if they become warm. Puddle suits are a good idea as they are waterproof and protect your children’s’ clothes from mud and getting wet.

If your child is currently potty training or there is a chance they could have an accident then please provide a sufficient change of underwear/clothing.

Please pack at least one spare change of clothes in your child’s bag just in case they become wet and muddy from playing outdoors, messy from doing an activity or they spill something at meal times and need changing.

Please do not send your child in expensive clothes. We enjoy lots of creative messy days and do our best to protect clothes with aprons; however, we cannot promise they will come home as clean as they left.

If you have any questions regarding this policy please feel free to ask.