**No Smoking Policy**

This policy has been developed by the Barking Pre-School Committee in order to provide the children within our care with a healthy, safe and comfortable environment.

A no smoking policy is a welfare requirement of the EYFS (Early Years Foundation Stage) welfare required and states that children should have a smoke free environment. All providers are required to meet these requirements.

Whilst the pre-school session is in operation, in all areas of the building and in all outside areas utilised by the pre-school provision, the no smoking policy will apply to parents, staff and visitors.

**Whilst the session is in progress smoking is prohibited.**

The pre-school commitment to Equal Opportunities in regard to a no smoking policy is unaffected when recruiting new members of staff.

Signed: .................................................................... Date: .............................

Chairperson