**HARVEY ROAD DAY NURSERY LIMITED**

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 **PARENT/CARER INVOLVEMENT POLICY**

EYFS: 1.1, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5 2.5

**Statement of intent:**

Parents/carers are the first and most important educators of their young children. Harvey Road Day Nursery strives to support parent/carers in this essential role.

**Aim:**

We aim to integrate the families’ experience and routines at home with the nursery’s activities.

**Methods:**

**To achieve this we will:**

* consult parents/carers to find out what works best for them.
* ensure parents/carers are given information on a regular basis about their child’s progress and have an opportunity to discuss this with staff.
* ensure that all parents/carers have the opportunity to contribute bringing their own skills, knowledge and interests to the activities of the group.
* parents/carers are made aware of and are invited to contribute to nursery systems, policies and procedures.
* make known to all parents/carers the systems for registering queries, complaints or suggestions.
* provide opportunities for parents/carers to learn about the pre-school curriculum and about young children’s learning, by means of Newsletters, Learn Together Sheets and encourage parents/carers on an individual basis to play an active part in the vision of the Nursery.
* welcome and encourage any contributions from parents/carers.
* ensure an ongoing dialogue with parents to improve our knowledge of the needs of the children and to support their families.

**Contact Numbers:**

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| **This policy was adopted on** | **Signed on behalf of the nursery** | **Date for review** |
| **February 2020** | **Christine Hall – Nursery Manager** | **February 2021** |