



Title of Policy: Inclusion of Children and Young People

Effective Date: October 2014

Review Date: November 2017 **Next Review Due:** November 2018

Rationale or background to policy:

Wecan aims to support the development of all children and young people and their achievements in an environment where they feel valued, secure and have a sense of belonging. We intend that our policies, procedures and activities should promote positive attitudes towards disabled people, good relations between disabled and non-disabled people, and an absence of harassment of disabled people.

Policy Statement:

Wecan aims to:

- Welcome all disabled children, and recognise their individual needs and rights.
- Provide support for families of children with disabilities.
- Develop understanding and awareness of disabilities to the wider community and beyond.
- Actively promote equal access to play, learning, leisure and all aspects of life for all people, regardless of their disabilities by having a proactive approach to identifying and removing barriers.