Little Treasures Nursery Tooth brushing Policy

Aims and Objectives

To ensure children establish a regular tooth brushing routine.

Responsibility

It is the responsibility of all members of staff to ensure children regularly brush their teeth especially after lunchtime.

All parents should sign up to North Lanarkshire Council consent form to register their child and this form is stored in the Toothbrush Folder in a locked cupboard.

Procedure

- The children will be taught by the Oral Health Educator and staff to identify their toothbrush by colour and animal symbol and brush their teeth well.
- Daily supervision of teeth brushing by a member of the nursery team.
- Above points will be reinforced by monthly visits from the Oral Health Educator.

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