**8.6 Animals in the setting**

**Policy statement**

We do not have pets at Stepping Stones, during the COVID-19 outbreak we will not allow any visiting animals or outings to farms etc.

**Legal framework**

* The Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations (1999)

**Further guidance**

* Health and Safety Regulation…A Short Guide(HSE 2003)

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| This policy was adopted by | Stepping Stones Pre-school |  |
| On | January 2021 |  |
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| Signed on behalf of the management committee |  |
| Name of signatory | Carly Jeanneret |
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