

**1. Introduction**

1.1 Apart from the inevitable distress to all concerned, the Clubs could experience very serious problems if allegations were made that a child fell ill owing to food contamination, allergies not being managed or lack of proper hygiene etc.

**2. Aims**

2.1 The Clubs will always ensure that clean drinking water is continuously available.

2.2 The Clubs will provide fresh food daily. The Clubs will ensure that the food is appropriate and mealtimes are carefully supervised.

2.3 The Clubs will ensure that all food is stored and prepared by Playworkers who have a Level 2 Food Hygiene Certificate.

2.4 The Clubs will make sure that all areas look clean and are clean. The kitchen and the toilets are particularly important and the toilets will be checked regularly. (School will be made aware if they require cleaning)

2.5 The Clubs will provide clean cups, bowls and plates suitable for the age of the children and make sure that they are cleared away and washed promptly.

2.6 The Clubs will encourage children to wash & dry their hands before meals and after going to the toilet or touching animals.

2.7 The Clubs will keep rubbish out of the children's way.

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