

## Children's Children's Centres SunSmart Policy

We at Cartwheels would like your children to enjoy being outdoors as much as possible, to enable us to do this we have put in place a few guidelines.

### EDUCATION

- P All children will be involved in discussions on SunSmart.
- P All children will be encouraged to draw or paint SunSmart pictures.
- P Parents will be sent a letter explaining about SunSmart and we will be requesting their support.
- P Staff will have in house training on the SunSmart programme in April.

### PROTECTION

#### Shade:

- P We have a large tree in the garden that affords a great shaded area.
- P We have a canopy area, which gives an area to set out tables for activities.
- P There is a shaded area at one side of the building where we can have sand and water play.

#### Timetabling:

- P Children will be taken out throughout the day but they will be closely supervised and all safety measures will be in place.

#### Clothing:

- P Children will be encouraged to wear sun hats and protective clothing.
- P We will keep a supply of extra hats to be used by the children.

#### Sunscreen:

- P Parents will be encouraged to provide a labelled bottle for their own child, as some children are allergic to certain brands.
- P We will have a supply of factor 20 for children to use.
- P Staff will ensure that any child who is going outdoors must have adequate sun lotion applied and reapplied when necessary.