

Sun Policy

Bunnahone Bunnies Cross Community Playgroup will make every effort to ensure that both staff and children are able to enjoy the sun safely by taking the following steps:

- All children will join in small group activities to help them understand and become aware of the dangers of being in the sun.
- Children will spend more time playing outside before 11am and less time later in the day when the garden is in full sun. Activities will be set up in the shade of the building and under parasols wherever possible.
- Together in partnership with parents we will actively encourage children to wear a hat, cover their shoulders and wear enclosed shoes during periods of hot weather; we have a few spare hats for children who have forgotten theirs.
- Fresh drinking water is available at all times.
- Bunnahone Bunnies do not allow children to play outside in strong sunlight without sunscreen protection. All parents are therefore required to apply sunscreen when appropriate before leaving their child at playschool.
- Written permission will be sought from the parents for staff members to apply suncream provided by the parents