

Keeping Your Children Safe: New Emergency Equipment at Our Nursery

At Southlands Nurseries, your child's safety and wellbeing are always our top priority. We are proud to share that as a result of parent and family support and fundraising at our Summer Fayre, we have recently added two lifesaving devices to each of our nursery settings:

Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

- Used in the rare event of a cardiac emergency.
- Provides safe, simple instructions for staff to follow.
- Proven to dramatically improve survival rates.

LifeVac Airway Clearance Device

- Designed to help in cases of choking where traditional first aid may not be effective.
- Non-invasive and easy to use.
- Provides an extra layer of safety at mealtimes and during play.

Staff Training

- All staff are trained in paediatric first aid.
- Training includes the correct use of both the AED and LifeVac device.
- Regular refresher sessions ensure staff remain confident and prepared.

Why This Matters

While emergencies are rare, being prepared can save lives. Having these devices on site ensures we are equipped to respond quickly and effectively to protect every child in our care.

Location of Devices: Each nursery has the devices clearly signposted.

In an emergency: Staff will act immediately while contacting emergency services.

Reassurance for Families

By introducing these devices, we want to give families peace of mind knowing that your child is cared for in the safest possible environment.