

Appendix 2: St Paul's Walden Nursery

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Version	Issue Date	Changes
1.0	NA	First Draft (BE)

Reference	6009			
Name of Organisation	St Paul's Walden Nursery			
Organisation Type	Early years childcare			
Ward	Hitchwood, Offa and Hoo			
Project Type	Flooring for classroom			
Green option considered?	No			
NHC Councillor involvement that may constitute a conflict of interest	None known			
Previous financial support within six years	N/A			
Documentation reviewed and approved*	Safeguarding	Yes	Accounts	Yes
	Demonstrates clear governance	Yes		
Total applied for	£2,500	Total project cost	£4,731	
Officer Summary				
<p>St Paul's Walden Nursery is a community run nursery, open 5 days a week for children aged 2 to 5 years old in the local area, with numbers currently standing at around 22 children with more attending in the summer term.</p> <p>The Nursery is open to all and provide a service for the community in and around Whitwell. They are there to enhance the development and education of the children, as well as to support the need within the local area for parents and carers to take on opportunities and return to work.</p> <p>The locality of the nursery means it not only reduces the need for car travel but also supports the local primary school. It ensures that the children in the local area stay within the village, helping the village in keeping the community socially sustainable.</p> <p>The Nursery are hoping to replace the current classroom floor, which is the same flooring as when it opened in 2004. Some areas of the flooring are having to be temporarily taped down to keep the area safe. The funding applied for will be put towards replacing the whole of the classroom flooring that is used daily at the nursery.</p> <p>To help raise the funding needed to replace the flooring the nursery held a comedy night which raised £1,193. They have also approached the Henry Smith Fund for funding towards the costs.</p>				

*Funding will only be released on receipt and approval of all supporting documentation