

Appendix 2. Barkway Preschool

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| Version | Issue Date | Changes |
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| 1.0 | | First Draft (BE) |

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| Reference | 6058 | | |
| Name of Organisation | Barkway Preschool | | |
| Organisation Type | Registered Charity | | |
| Ward | Ermine | | |
| Project Type | Sports equipment and iPads. | | |
| Green option considered? | N/A | | |
| NHC Councillor involvement that may constitute a conflict of interest | None known | | |
| Previous financial support within six years | None | | |
| Documentation reviewed and approved* | Safeguarding | Yes | Accounts |
| | Demonstrates clear governance | Yes | |
| Total applied for | £1,218 | Total project cost | £1,218 |
| Officer Summary | | | |
| <p>Barkway Preschool provide early years education and childcare for children aged 2-5. They are requesting funding for sports equipment, sweeping brushes and iPads.</p> <p>PE equipment and brushes</p> <p>The Preschool has an external provider for PE lessons. The children are really enjoying the PE sessions, but the PE teacher takes away the equipment after each session, so the children cannot extend their learning experiences.</p> <p>If the Preschool had their own sports equipment, it would further help support and develop the children's gross motor skills and team building.</p> <p>The children at the Preschool enjoy helping with tasks, the brushes would allow them to help safely with cleaning the outside area.</p> <p>Two iPads</p> <p>The Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) requires preschool staff to track children's development. Currently, the preschool use the Tapestry app to build up the children's learning journals, using 2 donated old iPads to record development and take pictures of key learning moments. As the number of staff and children has increased this year, key moments are lost while a staff member is waiting for a tablet to become available.</p> <p>The group are requesting funding to purchase two additional iPads.</p> <p>Alternative devices have been considered; however staff are used to using iPads, and as devices need to be interchanged between 14 staff members, familiarity and continuity is important.</p> <p>The Preschool are currently raising funds and using reserves to refurbish the spaces they use so are unable to put any funds towards these items.</p> | | | |

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