

Appendix 2:

Summer Playscheme Objectives:

The objectives of the summer playscheme are as follows:

1. **Promote Inclusivity:** Ensure that the playscheme is open and welcoming to children of all backgrounds, abilities, and needs, fostering an inclusive and diverse environment.
2. **Enhance Child Development:** Create opportunities for children to develop essential life skills, social competencies, and self-confidence through engaging activities and interactions.
3. **Provide Safe and Supervised Play:** Offer a secure and well-supervised setting where children can enjoy recreational activities while ensuring their safety and well-being at all times.
4. **Support Physical Activity:** Encourage physical activity and healthy lifestyles among children by organizing games, sports, and outdoor adventures.
5. **Foster Creativity and Imagination:** Stimulate children's creativity and imagination through arts, crafts, and imaginative play, allowing them to express themselves freely.
6. **Cultivate Social Bonds:** Facilitate the formation of friendships and positive relationships among children by promoting teamwork and cooperation in various activities.
7. **Promote Cymraeg:** Offer opportunities in a fun and informal way, enabling children to use their Welsh skills during the summer break.
8. **Respect Cultural Diversity:** Recognize and celebrate the cultural diversity of participants by incorporating activities and experiences that reflect various backgrounds and traditions.
9. **Ensure Accessibility:** Make the playscheme accessible to all families, including those with financial constraints, by offering affordable options and financial assistance when needed.
10. **Engage with Communities:** Collaborate with local communities, Town and Community Councils, and partner organizations to create a sense of belonging and support for the playscheme.
11. **Evaluate and Improve:** Continuously assess and improve the quality of the playscheme by gathering feedback from children, parents, and stakeholders, and making necessary adjustments.
12. **Comply with Regulations:** Operate in accordance with relevant regulations, guidelines, and the Local Authority's Play Sufficiency Action Plan to maintain a high standard of service.

13. **Promote Sustainability:** Incorporate environmentally friendly practices into the playscheme to raise awareness about sustainability and care for the environment.

These objectives collectively aim to provide a fulfilling and enriching summer experience for children while contributing positively to their personal growth and well-being.