

At Tiny Tasters we want to capture the special moments you have with us and give you a lasting memory of the fun you had with your child in their early years. Our session leaders are in the privileged position to seize those moments and share them with yourselves, family and friends on social media and our website.

However, we are also significantly aware of child protection and safeguarding issues when taking photos or filming. We understand that the potential for misuse of images can be reduced when organisations are aware of the potential risks and dangers and accept our responsibility to put appropriate measures in place.

The following guidance has been taken from the NSPCC and is used as the foundations of the 'Tiny Tasters Photography Policy'.

- Children's names will not be used in photograph captions. If a child is named, we will avoid using the photograph.
- Our parental permission form will be used to obtain consent for a child to be photographed and videoed. A record of this consent will be kept.
- Images of children will only be used when wearing suitable clothing to reduce the risk of inappropriate use.
- Personal information, such as the name of a child, age, address, parent's name etc. will not be used.
- Professional photographers and/or the press who are invited to an event will be informed of our expectations of them in relation to child protection. Separate consent will be gained in this instance.
- Children will be supervised by an adult at all times when photographed.
- This policy will be sent to all adults upon booking and is available to view on the website.
- Adults responsible for the children are asked not to share photos of other's children on social media or by any other form.
- Images or video recordings of children will be kept securely. Hard copies of images will be kept in a locked drawer and electronic images should be in a protected folder with restricted access. Images will not be stored on unencrypted portable equipment such as laptops, memory sticks and mobile phones.