



## **SEYCo Parent Handbook Acknowledgement**

### **Acknowledgement of Review**

I hereby acknowledge that I/we have read and understand the policies and procedures stated within this SEYCo Nursery School, Inc Parent handbook and agree to abide by the policies and procedures.

### **Confidentiality Statement and Agreement**

I acknowledge that I/we have also read and understand the Confidentiality Statement:

*Being a part of the classroom setting at SEYCo allows you an insight into the personal lives of our students and their families. We realize that young children have not yet developed a sense of judgment about the information that can be shared about their families or information that properly stays within the family. Very often young children are the source of much gossip and conversation about the private lives of their families. Therefore, teachers and caregivers unwittingly become the recipients of shared confidences. It is critical that any confidence is not repeated to other teachers, friends or families.*

*SEYCo stresses the importance of protecting the rights and privacies of our children, their families and our teachers. The practice of maintaining the confidentiality of verbal information and written records is a fundamental policy of our school. This practice is in alignment with one of the primary ethical principles of professional behavior in early childhood settings. The identity of the child and his/her family should be revealed only in cases of professional necessity, such as child abuse or neglect, developmental records, or special family circumstances. If you acquire information as a helping parent that you deem to be neglectful or abusive, you are asked to contact the Director of Education or the President of the Board of Directors.*

I agree to respect the confidentiality of verbal and written reports of the children, families and teachers within my child's classroom, the nursery school and in my non-work environment.

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