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Manager & Owner

Wee Macks Nursery
71 Constitution Street
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Date

11/09/2025

Our ref

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Dear Patricia

Wee Macks Nursery –Termination of Partnership Agreement with the City of Edinburgh Council.

I am writing to notify you that under your Partnership Agreement with the City of Edinburgh Council to deliver funded early learning and childcare, that your agreement will terminate on **31/12/2025**, in line with the terms outlined in section 13 of the Agreement.

13.2 Termination for Cause

13.2.1 The Council may terminate this Agreement without notice if the Partner Provider:

- commits a material breach of its obligations under this Agreement:

Your agreement with the council is based on the understanding you will meet the requirements of the National Standard for funded Early Learning and Childcare. The Care Inspectorate carried out an inspection at **Wee Macks Nursery** on **31/07/2025** which we await publication, however you have advised that the grades from the previous inspection remain unchanged from **30/05/2024**, of which states the following evaluations:

How good is our care, play and learning?	3 - Adequate
How good is our setting?	4 - Good
How good is our leadership?	3 - Adequate
How good is our staff team?	3 - Adequate

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As three of these evaluations are below Good, the local authority is unable to extend the Service Improvement Period that **Wee Macks Nursery** has been in since April 2023.

Care Inspectorate reports since 27/04/2023

Date	How good is our care, play and learning?	How good is our setting?	How good is our leadership?	How good is our staff team?
27/04/2023	1	1	1	1
31/10/2023	2	3	3	3
30/05/2024	3	4	3	3

Whilst the partnership agreement will end on 31 December 2025 parents of existing funded children will have the option to remain at **Wee Macks Nursery** for the duration of their funded entitlement. We will also fund existing children who will be eligible for funded ELC from January 2026.

If you have any children who will be eligible from January 2026, please provide the following information to georgina.cronin@edinburgh.gov.uk by close of business on Tuesday 9 September 2025:

- Child's Forename and Initial of Surname
- Child's date of birth

If families wish to move to another setting in partnership, we will be able to support them in finding new provision.

We will write to parents/carers of the children who will be due to continue their funded early learning and childcare places at **Wee Macks Nursery** to inform them of this decision. We will also provide you with a copy of this letter which you should give to the families of children who would be eligible to receive funding from January 2026.

We would like to thank you for your partnership with the City of Edinburgh Council over the last few years.

Your sincerely

