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## Dignity and rights of the child

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Section 9. Management vs Leadership

(Nominated Supervisor, Educational Leader, Room Leaders).



#### **Room Leader**

Aspect	Room Leader's Management Role	Room Leader's Leadership Role
Understanding and	Ensure that all educators are aware of and	Model the principles of dignity, worth, and
Commitment	uphold the principles of dignity, worth, and	children's rights in daily interactions and
	children's rights.	decision-making processes.
Respect for	Implement policies that respect each child's	Foster an inclusive environment where
Individuality	unique identity and background.	each child feels heard, valued, and
		included.
Advocacy for	Ensure that all educators understand and	Advocate for children's rights within the
Rights	advocate for children's rights to safety,	broader community and collaborate with
	education, and self-expression.	families to uphold these rights.
Empathetic	Provide training for educators on empathetic	Demonstrate empathy in interactions with
Engagement	engagement and effective communication	children and encourage educators to
	with children.	adopt a compassionate approach.
Positive Modelling	Establish and maintain standards for positive	Exhibit positive behaviours such as
	behaviour modelling by educators.	honesty, kindness, and respect, and inspire
		educators to follow suit.
Commitment to	Develop and implement programs that	Encourage children to explore their
Growth	support children's intellectual, emotional,	interests and provide opportunities for
	and social development.	their overall growth.
Supportive	Implement systems for providing	Regularly give children positive and
Feedback	constructive feedback to children.	constructive feedback to promote their
		confidence and growth mindset.
Collaborative	Organise activities that promote	Lead by example in creating a community-
Learning	collaborative learning and teamwork among	focused environment that values
	children.	teamwork and cooperation.
Inclusive Practices	Ensure that programs and activities are	Promote and celebrate the diversity of the
	accessible to all children, catering to diverse	classroom, ensuring every child feels
	needs.	included.
Safe Environment	Maintain a safe physical and emotional	Lead initiatives to enhance the safety and
	environment for children.	security of the learning environment.
Continuous	Encourage regular reflection on teaching	Lead reflective practices, identifying areas
Reflection	practices among educators.	for improvement and implementing
		changes to benefit all children.
Regulatory	Ensure compliance with Regulation 155	Educate and inform the team about
Awareness	(Interactions with children) and Law Section	relevant regulations and their importance
	166 (Offence to use inappropriate discipline).	in maintaining children's dignity and rights.

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#### **Educational Leader**

Aspect	Room Leader's Management Role	Room Leader's Leadership Role
Understanding and	Ensure all educators understand the principles	Advocate for these principles within the
Commitment	of dignity, worth, and children's rights.	service and ensure they are embedded in the
		service's philosophy and practices.
Respect for	Develop policies that promote respect for each	Model inclusive practices and create a culture
Individuality	child's unique identity and background.	where all children feel heard, valued, and
•	, , ,	respected.
Advocacy for Rights	Implement procedures that protect children's	Champion children's rights in all aspects of
	rights to safety, education, and self-	the educational program and advocate for
	expression.	these rights in broader community contexts.
Empathetic	Provide professional development on	Demonstrate empathy in all interactions and
Engagement	empathetic engagement and effective	foster a supportive, understanding
	communication.	environment.
Positive Modelling	Establish clear expectations for positive	Lead by example, exhibiting behaviours such
J	behaviour modelling by all staff.	as honesty, kindness, and respect.
Commitment to	Oversee the development of programs that	Inspire a commitment to continuous
Growth	support children's holistic growth.	improvement and learning among both
		educators and children.
Supportive	Implement a feedback system that promotes	Regularly engage with children and
Feedback	constructive communication.	educators, providing feedback that supports
		their development and confidence.
Collaborative	Facilitate collaborative learning opportunities	Foster a community-oriented environment
Learning	within the curriculum.	that values teamwork and cooperative
<b>.</b>		learning.
Inclusive Practices	Ensure inclusivity in all programs and activities,	Promote and celebrate diversity within the
	adapting them to meet diverse needs.	service, ensuring all children feel a sense of
		belonging.
Safe Environment	Maintain and review safety protocols to	Lead initiatives to enhance both physical and
	ensure a secure learning environment.	emotional safety for children.
Continuous	Encourage a culture of regular reflection on	Lead reflective practices, using insights to
Reflection	teaching practices.	drive continuous improvement and
		innovation in educational practices.
Regulatory	Ensure compliance with Regulation 155	Educate the team about these regulations
Awareness	(Interactions with children) and Law Section	and their importance in maintaining the
	166 (Offence to use inappropriate discipline).	dignity and rights of the child.
Engagement with	Develop strategies for effective family	Actively involve families in the educational
Families	engagement and communication.	process, incorporating their feedback and
		respecting their input.
Cultural	Ensure culturally appropriate practices are	Lead efforts to celebrate and incorporate
Responsiveness	integrated into the curriculum.	cultural diversity, fostering an inclusive
•		environment.
Professional	Provide ongoing professional development	Lead by example in continuous learning and
Development	opportunities related to children's rights and	advocate for professional growth within the
In	dignity.	team.
Conflict Resolution	Implement strategies for anticipating and	Guide educators in resolving conflicts in a
	managing conflicts.	way that maintains the dignity and rights of
		all children involved.
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## **Nominated Supervisor**

Aspect	Room Leader's Management Role	Room Leader's Leadership Role
Understanding and	Ensure that all staff are trained in and	Advocate for and model these principles in all
Commitment	understand the principles of dignity, worth,	aspects of the service's operations and
	and children's rights.	interactions.
Respect for	Implement policies that respect and celebrate	Foster a culture that values diversity &
Individuality	each child's unique identity and background.	ensures all children feel respected &included.
Advocacy for Rights	Ensure compliance with all regulations that	Champion children's rights within the service
	protect children's rights, including safety and	and in interactions with external
	education.	stakeholders.
Empathetic	Provide resources and training for staff on	Lead by example, demonstrating empathy
Engagement	empathetic engagement and effective	and understanding in all interactions with
	communication with children.	children and families.
Positive Modelling	Establish standards for positive behaviour	Exhibit and promote positive behaviours such
	modelling by all staff.	as kindness, respect, and integrity.
Commitment to	Oversee the development of comprehensive	Inspire a commitment to lifelong learning and
Growth	programs that support children's growth and	personal growth among staff and children.
	development.	
Supportive	Implement a system for providing constructive	Regularly engage in giving and receiving
Feedback	feedback to children and staff.	feedback, fostering a growth-oriented
		environment.
Inclusive Practices	Ensure all programs and activities are inclusive	Lead initiatives to celebrate diversity and
	and accessible to all children.	promote inclusivity throughout the service.
Safe Environment	Maintain and enforce safety protocols to	Lead safety initiatives and create an
	ensure a secure environment for children.	environment where children feel safe to
		explore and learn.
Continuous	Encourage ongoing reflection on practices to	Lead reflective practices and use insights to
Reflection	ensure alignment with children's rights and	drive continuous improvement in the service.
	dignity.	
Regulatory	Ensure the service complies with Regulation	Educate staff about these regulations and
Awareness	155 (Interactions with children) and Law	their importance, ensuring full compliance.
	Section 166 (Offence to use inappropriate	
	discipline).	
<b>Engagement with</b>	Develop and implement strategies for	Actively involve families in the service,
Families	effective communication and engagement	respecting and incorporating their feedback
	with families.	and priorities.
Cultural	Ensure programs are culturally responsive and	Lead efforts to integrate and celebrate
Responsiveness	inclusive of all children's backgrounds.	cultural diversity within the service.
Professional	Provide opportunities for staff to engage in	Promote a culture of continuous learning and
Development	professional development related to	development among the team.
	children's rights and dignity.	
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