

Damages Policy for Home Education Study Group

At Emily Fox Tuition, the safety and wellbeing of all participants in the study group are of utmost importance. In order to ensure that the space is maintained in a safe and respectful manner, I have established the following Damages Policy for sessions held at my home.

1. **Respect for Property:** All participants are expected to treat my home, including furniture, equipment, and any other items, with respect and care during the study group sessions.
2. **Damages or Loss:**
 - If any damage or loss occurs as a result of a participant's actions, the parent or guardian of that participant will be held responsible for the repair or replacement of the item(s).
 - This includes, but is not limited to, broken furniture, damaged educational materials, or other property within the home used during the session.
3. **Accidental Damage:**
 - If damage occurs accidentally, participants are encouraged to notify me immediately. Depending on the extent of the damage, the parent or guardian may be asked to cover the cost of repair or replacement.
 - If a child accidentally causes minor damage (e.g., spills, torn paper, etc.), we can usually resolve the situation without issue. However, more significant damage will need to be addressed with the responsible party.
4. **Liability:**
 - By signing this policy, parents and guardians acknowledge that they are financially responsible for any damages or losses caused by their child during a study group session.
 - The parent or guardian agrees to cover the reasonable cost of repair or replacement of any damaged property as determined by myself.
5. **House Rules:** To help prevent damages and create a safe environment for all, I will ensure that each session includes clear guidelines for appropriate behaviour within the space. Children will be encouraged to follow these guidelines at all times during the group session, and appropriate reminders will be given to prevent damages and create a safe environment.
6. **Insurance:**

- I maintain appropriate home insurance to cover any potential accidents or damages that may occur during group sessions. However, this policy does not cover damages caused by the actions of participants, which will still need to be addressed by the responsible parent or guardian.

I appreciate your understanding and cooperation in helping to maintain a safe and respectful environment for everyone involved in the study group. If you have any questions or concerns about this policy, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your continued support.

Emily Fox