



Painting and colour workshops for parents and babies

Important note

Most painting materials used in Graphic Babbling are everyday foodstuffs widely recommended for weaning-aged babies. We may also use commercial finger paints that are suitable for babies and toddlers. We do our utmost to ensure that all our materials are wholly safe for the vast majority of babies. In Finland, where hundreds of workshops are run every year, there has yet to be any allergy-related incidents with participants.

However, as we all know, babies explore things with their mouths and allergies need consideration. We do our best to inform parents of the specific ingredients in the materials used in each session, but it is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to help prevent allergic reactions. If there is a history of food or other allergies in the family, we strongly suggest that you consult your child's GP or health visitor before attending classes. We also kindly ask parents to sign this disclaimer and return it with the booking form. We can't enrol your baby in the class until this slip is returned.

If you do have a family history of nut allergies in particular, we suggest you consult your baby's doctor or health visitor. We will happily provide medical professionals with any information they may need to advise you. We will also answer any questions you as the parent/guardian might have regarding the safety of our materials.

Name:

Baby's name:

I agree that it is my responsibility as the parent/guardian to inform Graphic Babbling about any allergies my baby might have. If there is a history of allergies in my family, I have sought medical advice to ensure it is safe for my baby to attend.

(date and signature of parent/guardian)



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A note on materials used in the Toddler workshops

Most art materials used in the Graphic Babbling classes for Toddlers are wholly safe for children under 3. Some materials, however, are only suitable for under-3s under adult supervision. It is therefore important that parents supervise and assist their children with all the activities in the Toddler class. The use of any of the materials provided is at the parent's discretion; any of the materials can also be removed should a parent wish so.

If there is a history of food or other allergies in the family, we also strongly suggest that you consult your child's GP or health visitor before attending classes.

To make our classes safe for every participating child, we kindly ask parents to sign the following disclaimer slip and return it with the booking form. We can't enrol your child in the class until this slip is returned.

I understand that some materials used in Graphic Babbling for Toddlers are not suitable for under-3s without adult supervision, and it is therefore my responsibility as the parent/guardian to supervise my child's use of all materials during classes. I also agree that it is my responsibility to inform Graphic Babbling about any allergies my baby might have. If there is a history of allergies in my family, I have sought medical advice to ensure it is safe for my child to attend.

Name of child: _____

Signature/date: _____