

Outbreak management plan September 21

Reopening protocol September 21

- Parents will no longer need to wear face coverings when dropping off or picking up but should be mindful of social distancing
- Pick up and drop off will continue from the garden gate or parker room entrances
- NO temperature checks for children before entering the playground area but hand gel will be required when entering the garden area
- Children and adults will continue to wash their hands when entering the building from outside
- Where possible parents will remain outside the building during stay and play sessions. Parents/ other professionals will be required to wear a face covering when entering the building
- Very young children will still continue to have a standing change and are required to wear pull ups to preschool.
- Water bottles will be sterilised 3 times a week
- Parents will still be required to keep their distance for other adults during stay and play sessions.
- ALL staff will use PCR flow tests twice weekly and record them with PHE/NHS
- Toys will be steam cleaned once a week and soft toys/clothes washed weekly or as required.
- Windows and doors will be kept open for ventilation during session
- Tours will resume by appointment only & on quieter days/times.

Should three or more positive cases be confirmed at the preschool the following restrictions will be implemented;

- Temperature checks will resume for all children
- Face coverings will resume during pick up and drop off
- Social distancing will be required during pick up and drop off
- Effected children must isolate for 10 days
- Close contacts will be required to have a PCR test before returning to Preschool
- No parents/professionals will be allowed to enter the building
- Parental visits and stay and play sessions will be suspended for 14 days from the last notified infection. This would include any performances in setting or organised events
- Children attending two or more settings will be asked to only attend once during the confirmed cases
- Preschool spare clothes will not be able to be used for children
- Water bottles will and cups will be sterilised daily
- Lockdown procedures will be reinstated as per our Covid 19 policy and procedure document.
- Attendance restrictions will be a last resort – some groups may be prioritised
- DFE/NHS track and trace/ TEP will be contacted for advice
- All soft toys and furnishing will be cleaned and removed.

DfE helpline on 0800 046 8687 and selecting option 1 for advice on the action to take in response to a positive case. Settings must notify Ofsted, or the childminder agency with which they are registered, of any confirmed cases in the setting (either child or staff member). Settings should also tell Ofsted if you have to close the setting as a result. Cases must be reported as soon as possible, and in any case within 14 days.