



Little Nippers Childcare Limited
Directors: C. Paternotte-Chilton & J. Chilton
Ofsted: EY454562

Plymouth, January 11th 2021.

Re: Covid-19 arrangements

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are writing to you to let you know what the arrangements are at nursery during this Covid-19 pandemic. We are doing all we can to minimise the spread at nursery:

- we have installed 2 automatic hand sanitiser dispensers,
- we have increased our cleaning rotas,
- staff wash their hands before leaving a room and upon entering a new one,
- we do not mix children between the three main bubbles,
- only staff covering for others' lunch breaks go into different rooms (this is unavoidable as staff need a break during the day),
- we ventilate the rooms regularly,
- and we ask you to wear masks on drop offs and collection.

We want to thank you for your support in keeping everyone safe and would like to remind you not to bring your child in if they or anyone in your household displays Covid-19 symptoms (call NHS 111 for advice) until they/you have received a negative test result. This will help us greatly in our attempt to minimise the spread of the virus. So far, we have managed to remain open throughout the pandemic and the various lockdowns.

As per Government advice, if anyone in our setting should test positive and has been in contact with children/staff two days prior to the onset of symptoms, we will inform the Council, the Department of Education and Ofsted. We will then follow the guidance from the DfE to the letter and this may include informing everyone who has been in close contact with the positive case that they need to isolate (the amount of time will be dictated by the DfE). Unfortunately, as is the case for other germs, we will not be able to offer discounts if you need to keep your child at home whilst waiting for a test result, or if you unfortunately need to isolate.

As always, please keep us informed and do not hesitate to contact us (landline, mobile, email or Facebook) if you have any queries.

Sincerely,

Caroline

Dr Caroline Paternotte-Chilton
Director
Little Nippers Childcare