



Covid 19 Policy

This policy sets out our procedures on how we will keep the children, staff and families at Happy Bunnies Preschool safe and healthy.

Parents

Children will be dropped off/collected at the front door.

Only one parent to drop off/collect. Only parents who are symptom free to drop off/collect.

Parents to keep to the left when arriving/leaving our premises.

No pushchairs, scooters, car seats etc to be left at the Preschool.

Parents to follow our risk assessment/covid diagram on procedure to follow if their child display any of the following symptoms- A temperature of 37.8 or over, a cough or loss/change of smell or taste. PCR results to be emailed to Manager/Lead.

Parents must not bring their child in if unwell or if they are constantly sneezing, coughing, watery eyes or runny noses or have been given medication. (Unless it is their daily prescribed medication).

Only arrive at the setting at time of drop off/collection.

Arrival for afternoon sessions please wait outside the gate. This is to allow the morning session to leave.

Bring in child's own utensils if they need them for lunch (fruit to be cut up).

Parents of new children

You may enter the premises during the settling in period for your child if they require support.

Only one parent/carer permitted per child and you must be well in yourself.

You must provide and wear your own face covering appropriate for an early years setting.

You must use the hand sanitiser before entering the main room.

You may only be in close contact with your child.

At each session Parent must bring:

lunchbox/utensils (pm sessions only)

empty named water bottle

sunhat/winter hat

change of clothes

nappies/nappy sacks/wipes if not toilet trained

long sleeve top (forest area)

long trousers (forest area)

closed in shoes/boots (no sandals,jelly shoes)

appropriate coat for the weather

Covid Risk Assessment

Our Risk Assessment is emailed to all parents.

Infection Control

Stringent hand washing includes:

Staff/children to wash their hands with soap and water when entering the building, before/after eating, after using the toilet and throughout the session when required.

All visitors to use the hand sanitizer when entering the building.

Staff to wear gloves for cleaning and hygiene procedures.

Frequent cleaning/disinfecting of surfaces and equipment/resources throughout the session.

Windows to be opened to ensure good ventilation.

Only essential visitors to be permitted into the building when children are on site. All visitors to wear masks when entering the building.

Any staff/child who is unwell with a high temperature, a cough, loss/change of smell or taste must be sent home and advised to follow the staying at home guidance.

Anyone displaying the 3 main symptoms of Covid-19 will not be permitted on the preschool site.

Staff to wear PPE when waiting with an unwell child.

Any staff/child showing symptoms to either stay off for 10 days or book a PCR test. Results must be emailed to the setting.

We will operate our Contingency Plan if we have several confirmed cases of Covid 19 within 10 days which will be deemed as an outbreak.