

The safety of children, families, staff and parents is very important to us. This guide explains some of the steps and adaptions we have made to keep everyone as safe as possible. This is a learning process and we will be continually evaluating our practices over the coming weeks and months.



What to bring



- There is no need to bring face masks or other protective items
- Please keep personal toys, teddies and blankets at home to reduce the risk of cross-contamination in nursery
- Dummies are ok if still needed by your child, but please put inside a named, sterilised container

Arriving at and leaving nursery



- Parents should travel alone if possible via government guidelines
- Parents and children may need to wait to let other children in/leave first.
 Please keep 2 metres apart from other families
- Do not bring your child if any of your family are suffering from Covid-19 symptoms



Activities



- First children will be guided to the bathroom for a sing along 20 second hand wash
- Toys, play surfaces and resources have been hygienically cleaned
- Children are divided into small groups, we call "bubbles" so children can still play with their friends

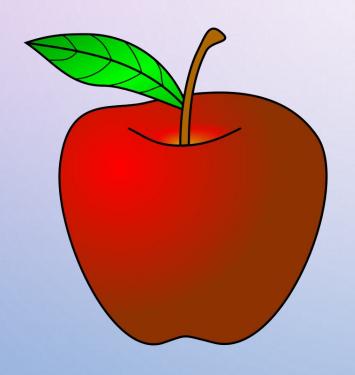


Outdoor Play



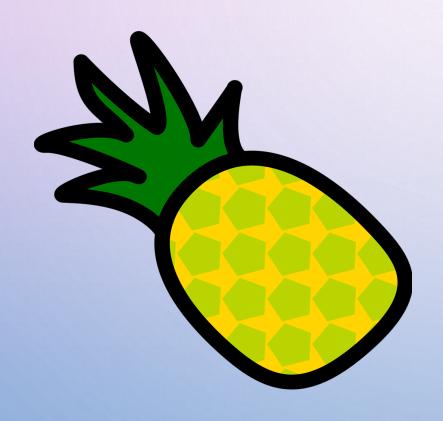
- We have divided our outdoor space into different sections for the different bubbles of children
- Our outdoor toys are cleaned at the end of each day

Getting rid of germs



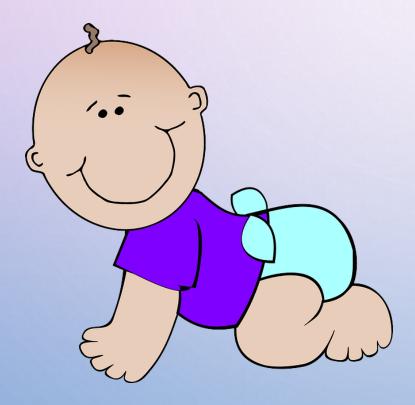
- Staff and children thoroughly clean their hands before snack and meals
- Staff and children take frequent breaks for hand washing
- · Tissues are readily available
- PPE equipment is used by staff if a child becomes poorly

Meal and Snack times



- At snack and meal times children will sit with their friends from their bubbles
- Children will be served food on individual plates, or serviettes to ensure food is not touched by others or shared

Visits and visitors



- For now all visits and visitors to nursery have been postponed until it is safe to invite other people into our nursery
- Meetings, special events and introductory evenings are also on hold

Healthy and happy at nursery



- Only bring your child to nursery if they are fit and well
- If you or anyone in your house is experiencing Covid-19 symptoms do not come to nursery, and call us to make us aware
- If a child becomes poorly during the day, their parents will be contacted to collect their child