

MR NOAH'S NURSERY SCHOOL c1c

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Coronavirus advice

We have studied all the information and advice that is available and have tried to ensure that we can operate in a way that takes it seriously. Of course, now that we are an all-outdoor nursery school, we offer the safest possible environment for young children and adults alike.

With the best will in the world and whatever methods and practices we put in place, children can't consistently distance themselves from each other or members of staff. We cannot and will not stay two metres apart. If your child needs a hug, they will receive one, but we will use common sense and caution, of course. The staff will not wear face-masks while working with the children, but we will wear PPE if your child begins to show any COVID-19 symptoms. We cannot do our job from a distance. Members of staff will exercise judgement for the sake of the highest standard of well-being, safety and cleanliness at all times. Of course, we shall have a thorough cleaning regime in place.

We may find that we have to vary advice as the weeks go by, but here are some of the measures we will need your help to implement to make Mr Noah's as safe as possible for everyone:

Drop-off and collection

- Any adult bringing a child must be symptom-free.
- The drop-off and collection will be at the gate with only staff members and children on the plat.
- Please keep a sensible distance from members of staff.
- We are appointing to children a staggered arrival and departure time. Please only arrive at Mr Noah's for your designated time slot. There should be only two children arriving in any five-minute slot.
- Children may not be brought to sessions if they have symptoms of any illness, or if they live with someone who has tested positive for Coronavirus (until 14 days afterwards).
- Children should only bring to the site from home what is necessary; *e.g.*, shoes and a change of clothes. Food and drink, toys and comforters should be left behind.
- We may record the temperature of children on arrival using a non-contact thermometer.
- We may ask if children have had medicine in the morning or at lunchtime when they arrive. Please do not give Calpol to bring down a temperature and then bring the child to Mr Noah's.