



Little Friends Daycare

Covid-19 Drop off and Pick up of Children

Families will text staff that they have arrived. A staff member will go to the door and let the family in. There is to be 1 family at a time only. Caregivers will have parents sign their child in or out, go over the health declaration, take the child's temperature and enter the childcare centre with the child. Parents at this time are being asked to stay on the other side of the double doors, as it is recommended that drops off and pick up should happen outside of the childcare centre. This is to limit the exposure of adults in the classroom environment.

Once the children have come through the double doors, caregivers are to walk the child(ren) to a sink and assist with hand washing. Caregivers will wash their hands at this time as well.

Staff will ensure the person dropping off / picking up has

- Sanitized their hands upon arrival
- Signed the child in / out
- Confirmed a health declaration
- Taken the child's temperature
- Wipe down the thermometer
- Wipe down the pen used to sign the child in and out

Please keep on top of regular sanitization of the centre. Below are some new guidelines for day to day interactions

- Touch points ~door handles, light switches, sink taps, pens are wiped down regularly
- Toys are picked up for sanitizing
- Ensure windows are open
- Spending as much time outside as possible including snack / meal times
- Nap children head to toe, toe to head in order to eliminate breathing on one another
- Refrain from allowing children to climb on other children's beds
- Space children's nap mats out as far as possible, while still being able to maintain supervision of the group
- Remove toys that cannot be easily cleaned or sanitized such as stuffed animals
- For the purposes of covid only, we are shifting towards a primary care system with infants and toddlers, this will limit the number of care givers providing close intimate contact with multiple children



- Centre will close at 4pm. Staff will utilize this time to thoroughly clean all surfaces and learning materials for the next day
- If a child who has been attending is absent and we are unaware of why the child is away, please check in with the family that day. We should be aware of why children are away, especially during pandemic. The health and safety of one is directly affected by another during this time