Hythe Bay Children's Centre Hythe Bay Nursery COVID-19 Procedure for visitors – Update for 19th July 2021

Dear visitor

Welcome to Hythe Bay Nursery. There are some rules we have in place to protect our staff, children and families from spreading or catching coronavirus. Please carefully read the rules below and speak to a member of Nursery staff if you'd like anything to be clarified for you.

Please sign in and provide your contact details.

We will be adhering to government and NHS guidance for coronavirus and our managing children who are sick, infectious, or with allergies policy.

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- High temperature. This means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- New, continuous cough. This means coughing for a lot more than an hour, or three or more coughing episodes in 24 hours.
- Loss or change to your sense of smell or taste. This means even notice you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste differently to normal.

Most people with coronavirus have at least one of these symptoms. If you or someone else in your household has symptoms which could indicate coronavirus, please book a test, call to let us know on 01303 267802 and stay home until you have self-isolated for sufficient time, following government and NHS guidance (usually 10 days).

It is recommended by the government that anyone that is unwell without coronavirus symptoms or with a negative test result, still should stay at home to limit the spread of other illnesses, to help reduce the burden on our health services.

Please let us know if you test positive for the virus within 10 days of your visit to our nursery.

When on the school or nursery premises you will need to minimise the number, duration and proximity of your social contact with other people. If you would like a discussion with a staff member or parent please arrange this via phone call or email. Please wear a face covering if you can. Please expect a queue at busier times, and walk on the right side of the corridor. You will need to wash your hands or use hand sanitiser at arrival to and departure from Nursery.

If you display one or more symptom of coronavirus you will be asked to leave the nursery. Anyone displaying a symptom of coronavirus will be taken to an isolated area, along with their belongings. They will be cared for by a staff member, wearing PPE if necessary, until they are collected or leave. The symptomatic person and their household will need to isolate for 10 days, or until a negative test result is received.

Our updated risk assessment is available on our website. Please contact a member of the management team if you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support to help us keep our community safe.

Best regards

Hythe Bay Nursery Team Hythe Bay Children's Centre CIO