

Health Policies: What the Teachers Can Do

- Health
 - Get vaccinated.
 - Do not come to school if you have symptoms, are ill, or have been in contact with a person who is ill. See the Health page on the website for details.
 - If a child has symptoms of COVID-19, have the child put on a surgical mask. Make sure you are wearing a surgical mask, face shield, and gloves. Call the office.
- Masks
 - Wear a surgical mask when indoors.
 - Ask anyone 4+ years old to wear a mask indoors.
 - Children may not wear masks when resting or sleeping.
- Hygiene
 - Wear gloves when handling or heating food.
 - Wear gloves when helping in the bathroom.
 - Avoid items that require blowing, such as straws, balloons, and dryers.
 - Provide individual supplies (such as pencils) for each child.
 - Avoid using food for science and art.
 - Avoid opening the children's food and drink.
 - Ask the families to provide food and drinks the children can open independently.
 - Clean stuffed or cloth toys, dolls, puppets, and furniture often.
 - Clean water play and sensory tables often.
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- Separation
 - All classes may interact outdoors.
 - Take the children outside as often as possible.
 - When inside, interact with your cohort (assigned other classes) only.
 - No eating with other classes.
 - Assign seats.
 - Seat the children as far apart as possible.
 - Remove shared seating such as couches, pillows, and bean bag chairs.
 - At pick-up time, organize the children into stations in the front hall.
 - For indoor family events such as Parent Teacher Night, set the chairs far apart.
 - At staff meetings, sit 6' apart and limit the time together.
- Teach the children to follow the list of "What the Students Can Do."