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# Coronavirus Risk Assessment



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The following risk assessment covers additional risk and areas to be considered whilst the Coronavirus Pandemic remains a threat to our health and society, and until the UK government advisers on any relaxation of protective measures  
Please refer to our full set of risk assessments for further details of how to we propose to keep all children safe whilst in our care

Item Area	PEOPLE AT RISK	HAZARDS IDENTIFIED	ACTION TAKEN TO MINIMISE RISK	FURTHER ONGOING ACTION
<p>Risk of infection</p> <p>being brought into the nursery</p>	<p>EVERYONE</p>	<p>Everyone has the potential to catch or spread coronavirus – keyworkers are at greater risk of being exposed to coronavirus. Children/ parents/carers/staff can bring it into the setting</p> <p>Scout &amp; Guide units using the building at night and at the weekend.</p>	<p>We shall follow the guidance from the government and health guidance and implement these procedures within our setting to help minimise risks. Advise parent/carers of our settings procedures and keep them informed of any updates from the government and health advice Remind families of the importance of following the social distancing guidance at all times for the protection of everyone that uses our service and for parent/cares to follow health and safety guidance whilst at work. Only 1 parent/carer should drop their child off at the door Children should not bring any toys from home into the setting Parent/carers will be asked to inform us immediately of anyone in their household is displaying symptoms, signs for corovid-19 All staff will have PPE consisting off face masks, gloves, aprons</p> <p>We have compiled a cleaning schedule along with committee of the hut for all units to adhere to, they have to date, sign and time they cleaned, to say they have followed the cleaning schedule when their meetings have finished. .</p>	<p>Keep up to date with the latest government and health advice. Keep up to date with the latest Ofsted/Early learning alliance inspectorate advice for childcare settings.</p> <p>Make sure adequate hand sanitiser, soap, disposable hand towels and tissues are always in stock. Keep reinforcing hygiene skills hand washing on arrival and throughout the day Remind children about the catch it bin it kill it procedure and encourage the children if they cough sneeze they need to use their elbow to catch it</p> <p>Thank parents/cares for helping us to implement our new safety procedures</p> <p>Review this system to see how its working for everyone and amend if necessary</p>
<p>Social Distancing</p> <p>Drop off and pick up</p> <p>in the Nursery</p> <p>Outdoors</p> <p>Hygiene Nappy changing and soiled garments. Cut, grazers and bumps</p>	<p>EVERYONE</p>	<p>Drop off and Collecting Parents/ cares and family members of different households risk coming into close contact with one another</p> <p>Children coming into contact with one another and playing in close proximity to one another. Very difficult to implement social distancing with children who are so young, they are very tactile and like to be close to each other and adults.</p> <p>We feel it is impossible to care for young children without physical contact</p>	<p>We will have social distancing signs out doors with 2m distancing markings on the floor for parents/ carers to stand and follow. No parents/ carers will be allowed inside the setting (unless it's an emergency)</p> <p>Children will be kept at a distance from one another as much as is reasonably practice to do so, through discouraging activities that involve touching, close contact or the sharing of equipment or resources, for example holding hands , close contact games Activities will be spread out on tables, tuff spots and mats. We will have child friendly social distancing stickers on the floor showing children where they can go and will be directed by their assigned teacher.</p> <p>We will have children in small groups accessing our different outdoor areas and outdoor handwashing facilities.</p> <p>Extra care will be taken to implement hygiene and infection control procedures, particularly when carrying out intimate care such as soiled underwear and nappy changing PPE will be worn by assisting adult</p>	<p>We will monitor drop off and collection procedures and adapt them if we feel it's not working effectively by staggering drop off and pick up times.</p> <p>We will make sure all the children are dressed and ready to be collected with all their belongings</p> <p>We have asked parents/ carers to wear masks when dropping off and picking up their children.</p>