



Dear Parents / Carers

From Monday 19th July

Face masks will not be mandatory in public places, however we are still kindly asking parents to continue to wear face masks whilst in nursery. We have all worked so hard over the last year to keep positive cases across both nurseries low. We feel by still requesting parents to wear a mask you are protecting yourselves, as well as all our children and staff.

If you do not wish to wear a face mask we completely understand, and obviously you will be allowed to enter nursery as normal.

Social distancing – From 19th July the Government is lifting the social distancing restrictions. We will be allowing a more steady flow into the nursery, to help us keep up with all of the hard work we have all achieved over the last year we kindly request that you are mindful of others when in the rooms and corridors. We will continue to assess and review all changes over the next few weeks, thank you for your patience and understanding.

We request over the summer if only 1 parent or carer can come into nursery as much as you can, we are here to help and can be flexible if this is not possible.

Bubbles – The Government have removed the restrictions on class bubbles. However, owing to the number of cases across Telford and Wrekin, we have made the decision to continue with our room bubbles over the summer. As a nursery we feel continuing with room bubbles and not mixing children between rooms is safer for our children, parents and staff. We will monitor the data which is provided by the Health Protection Hub each week, we will continue to assess accordingly.

From Monday 16th August

This week the Government also announced the easing on isolating. Quoted from Actions for Early Years “From 16 August 2021, children under the age of 18 years old will no longer be required to self-isolate if they are contacted by NHS Test and Trace as a close contact of a positive COVID-19 case. Instead, children will be contacted by NHS Test and Trace, informed they have been in close contact with a positive case and advised to take a PCR test. We would encourage all individuals to take a PCR test if advised to do so”.

I would like to take this time to reassure you we will still be continuing with the high levels of cleaning of all toys and surfaces, and we will still be promoting regular hand washing with all children and staff throughout the day. We will kindly ask you to continue to use the hand sanitiser before you enter the nursery.

We would like to say a big thank you to all our parents, carers, and children. The last 18 months has been extremely tough on everyone and we are truly grateful for all the support we have received.

If you would like any further information please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you

Warmest Regards

Andrea, Julian, Jackie, Sam and All of the Lawley Team.