



Dear families,

We've already got lots of safety measures in place to keep your family (and our staff) safe while caring for your children. As guidance from the CDC continues to evolve, we're working closely with our medical advisor, Dr. Ray Fabius, to make sure our safety practices are up to date.

Starting next week, we're adopting the following new policies at our center:

- To protect our most vulnerable community members, we ask that grandparents not drop off or pick up children (if possible).
- To minimize additional exposures, we ask that families designate one person to consistently do pick-up and drop-off.
- Infant and toddler teachers will wear masks and smocks in the classroom.
- Nap time adjustments will continue with having children rest in alternating head-to-toe (or toe-to-toe) positions and situated 6 feet apart whenever possible.
- Staff members will continue to perform temperature checks on teachers and children at drop-off. They will use no-touch infrared thermometers whenever possible and wear additional protective equipment (masks, goggles or eyewear, long-sleeved gown that covers arms and clothing, and disposable gloves).
- To minimize potential exposure, children will continue to keep distance from children and staff from other classrooms.
- If your child has had a fever or trouble breathing, we ask that they stay home until they've been symptom-free without medication for at least 72 hours. If you choose to keep your child at home, just call your center and let us know.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to family support at [\(866\) 337-3105](tel:8663373105) if

you have any questions about these safety protocols. And rest assured that we'll continue to do everything in our power to protect you, our staff, and the children in our care.

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