

## COVID-19 Safety Measures for Federated Preschool

Federated Preschool focuses on maintaining a safe and healthy learning environment following the recommendations from COVID-19 health officials. The below measures have been thoughtfully designed to keep the children, teachers, and parents as safe as possible during this time of uncertainty.

- Teachers will be temperature checked daily and will wear masks, plus visors as needed.
- Teachers and students will be washing hands, using hand sanitizer, and reminded to try not to touch their face.
- All children and parents entering our facility will be temperature checked.
- No one will be allowed to enter if they or anyone in their household has tested positive for COVID-19 or is symptomatic.
- Everyone over the age of 10 must wear a facemask to enter the building.
- To reduce congestion, drop off and pick up times will be staggered within a 10-minute window.
- Parents will enter through the main church doors on the main level and exit through the east side Preschool doors. Please apply hand sanitizer as you enter.
- Adults will walk the students upstairs, hang up coats/backpacks and put the child's snack away. Students will be logged in before entering the classroom. Parents will leave the building through the east end after dropping off their student.
- Please be as forthcoming with any health issue, check your child's temperature at home so you do not make the trip unnecessarily. Anyone with a fever, vomiting, or shows any signs of illness should not come to Preschool for 24 hours. **NO EXCEPTIONS**. We all need to work cooperatively to keep everyone safe and healthy.
- There will be no sharing of supplies. To lessen germs and contact, the preschool will provide a craft bag for each child with their own scissors, crayons, pencils, glue, and play dough.
- Our facility is cleaned daily, but teachers will do additional wipe downs and cleaning of toys throughout the session. Playground equipment and our indoor playroom will be sprayed between uses with a disinfectant solution. We will allow 15 minutes for this to dry between uses.
- To prevent classes from interacting, we will stagger hallway and snack times.
- There will be no plush toys out for play.

- We will have verbal show and tell, **no items to be brought from home.**
- If a child becomes ill during school, he/she will be isolated by a teacher in a lower level room to wait the arrival of the parent or other approved adult. The parent/adult will pick the child up at the lower level door, under the Preschool door.
- Until further notice, all special events like our Thanksgiving feast and Christmas program will be done in our classrooms and recorded or streamed for families. There will be no outside individuals allowed.
- For Mom's Time Out, families with children wearing diapers are to bring an unopened bag of diapers and wipes to leave in the room.

Please advise us if you feel there are other precautions for us to consider. We are working hard to keep everyone safe.

Sincerely,

The Federated Preschool staff