



May 2021

Dear Holiday Club families,



We are writing to you about reopening of Holiday Club. We are delighted to be able to open Holiday Club this summer, in line with current Government guidance. We have missed you! **HOWEVER**, we must stress that the provision will be different, to ensure that we can mitigate risk as far as possible.

We will be running 2 separate “zones” in the Studio to mitigate cross contamination of bubbles. There will be a Key Stage 1 bubble and a Key stage 2 bubble. These bubbles will not mix whilst the children are inside.

A full risk assessment has been completed and discussed with Holiday Club staff. Enhanced cleaning and handwashing procedures will be in place.

We are expecting new guidance to be issued after June 21st. This means that the following restrictions may not need to be in place. As things stand, under the current guidance we will be following these procedures.

IMPORTANT

- Anybody over the age of 11 years must wear a face covering, whilst dropping off and collecting children, unless they are exempt.
- **Dropping children off** – please arrive at the Studio door as normal, your child will be met by a member of staff and signed in. Please do not enter the Studio.
- We would ask that children have breakfast **before** they arrive. Thank you for your support.
- **Collecting children** – please collect from the Studio door as normal. Please wait in the covered area outside the Studio and your child will be signed out and brought to you. Please do not enter the Studio.
- Please be aware of other families walking to and from the Studio and maintain social distancing.
- We will provide an individually wrapped snack and a piece of fruit for children. We will not currently be able to provide our usual range of healthy snacks. When choosing their snack, children will be encouraged to only handle their own choice.
- Children will have a staggered lunchtime to ensure that the 2 bubbles do not mix. If your child is staying all day, please send them with a packed lunch.
- Any child with Covid-19 symptoms **MUST** self-isolate for 10 days and cannot attend. They should book a PCR test..
- If there is anyone with symptoms in your household, the child must self-isolate for 10 days and cannot attend until the person with symptoms receives a negative test.
- **If your child falls ill whilst at the setting, they will be isolated and you will be contacted. You must arrange for your child to be collected as a matter of urgency. Siblings will also need to be collected. Please ensure we have your current contact phone number.**

NHS guidance on self-isolation and testing.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/>

If you have any questions regarding the reopening of our clubs, please email the address above and we will be happy to help.

We are looking forward to welcoming you all back.