

Creative Preschool COVID Policy Highlights

Updated 3/13/2022

-Based upon new CDC guidance, that states that masks in lower risk areas are no longer recommended, our Parent-Teacher Board has voted that visitors and staff no longer need to mask. It will be wonderful to see your entire smiling face when you drop your child off!

-Going forward, we intend to use the CDC's county-by-county guidance to inform Creative's policy. If Hamilton County is green or yellow, we will not require masks. If Hamilton County is orange we will require staff and visitors to mask. As always, if you are more comfortable masking your family we will strive to help your child to wear his/her mask while here.

-While drop-off services will still be offered, parents WILL BE allowed to enter the building to drop-off and pick up their child

-Symptom assessment will NO LONGER include temporal scans.

-Mandatory handwashing will take place upon arrival, before snack and at dismissal. Children and staff will wash hands after blowing their noses or touching bodily fluids.

-Creative Preschool students will NOT be required to wear masks but may do so if they wish.

-Field trips will be booked as deemed safe and appropriate by staff.

-All positive COVID cases are reported to our licensing body and quarantine guidance will be given on a case-by-case basis by the local health department. Please refer to this flow chart to see what MAY be a suggested quarantine if your child is exposed to COVID:

<https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/responsible/covid-19-fact-sheet-k-12-exposure-and-quarantine-flow-chart.pdf>

PLEASE REMEMBER THESE POLICIES MAY BE UPDATED AT ANY TIME AS A RESULT OF NEW LAWS, LOCAL CASE INCREASES OR AS THE CREATIVE PRESCHOOL BOARD DEEMS NECESSARY.

