

LITTLE STARS NURSERY POLICIES

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Sickness/Illness Policy

- Children should not attend nursery if they have a temperature above normal (38 degrees)
- A member of staff should be notified on child's arrival, if they are taking any medicine such as antibiotics/pain relief etc. Where it is necessary for the child to be given medication within the setting the appropriate consent forms and medication book should be completed. The child must have had the medicine on a previous occasion or at least two doses.
- Children who have experienced any form of vomiting or diarrhoea should not return to nursery for a period of **48 hours AFTER** the symptoms have stopped.
- Children who have been diagnosed with a viral infection but are receiving no treatment should not return to nursery until ALL symptoms of the illness have diminished.
- Children suffering with any childhood illness e.g. chickenpox, should follow the incubation guidelines as held in the office, checked by the manager.
- If the management of the session believe that a child is unwell for any reason and should not attend they will immediately contact a parent/carer to collect the child from the setting.

This policy was adopted on 11th November 2017

The policy review date is: September 2018