

Little Leapers Preschool

Sick/illness Policies

As per the Department of Children and Families of the State of New Jersey we can only accept well children. Children exhibiting the following symptoms should not attend school, if your child should become ill during the school day, we will provide care until you can pick your child up.

SYMPTOMS:

- Severe pain or discomfort
- Acute diarrhea
- Vomiting
- Elevated temperature 100.5 or above
- Sore throat or severe coughing
- Yellow or Green discharge from nose
- Yellow eyes or Jaundice skin
- Red eyes with discharge
- Infected untreated skin patches
- Difficult or rapid breathing
- Skin rashes lasting longer than 24 hours
- Swollen joints or glands
- Stiff neck

Once a child is symptom free or has a physician's note indicating your child poses no serious health risk to himself/herself of others they may return to the school.

FEVERS/VOMITING

- A child cannot remain in school with a fever above 100.5, if a child has 100.5 or above a parent will be contacted to pick up their child.
- A child with a fever, must be fever free/without the aid of medication for 24 hours before returning to school.
- A child must be free from vomiting and diarrhea for 24 hours before returning to school.

HEAD LICE

Little Leapers has a policy that a child exhibiting head lice, nits and or bugs cannot remain in school. A child may return to school when they are bug/nit free.

Excludable Communicable Diseases:

Any child who had a communicable disease must present a note from their health care provider stating the child can return to school. List of excludable communicable diseases can be found on NJ Department of Health website.

Little Leapers Preschool Sick/Illness Policy – Please read the above and sign and date below. Return signed portion below dotted line to your child's teacher.

Students name

Parent Signature

Date