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Learning through play, building friendships along the way

## COVID-19 – PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT

This agreement must be completed and signed before your child is permitted to enter the early learning and child care setting on their first day attending the program during the COVID-19 pandemic.

### What is Covid-19?

COVID-19 is a new strain of coronavirus that has not been previously seen in humans. The virus can cause symptoms like the common cold but can advance, in some cases, to severe respiratory illness or even death. COVID-19 can be spread from person to person, usually after close contact with someone infected with the virus. Physical distancing is recommended as one measure to limit the spread of illness, but is challenging to implement in the child care setting.

### Health and Illness Protocols for COVID-19

Before signing this agreement, please refer to the following documents provided on our website [www.cooksdaycare.ca](http://www.cooksdaycare.ca) under the COVID-19 tab.

1. COVID-19 – POLICY – **PREVENTION AND RESPONSE**
2. COVID-19 – POLICY – **BREAKING DOWN THE DAY**
3. COVID-19 – POLICY – **PLAN FOR SICK CHILDREN EDUCATORS & PARENTS**
4. COVID-19 – POLICY – **AFTER SCHOOL PROCEDURES**

To help minimize the spread of illness with our early learning and child care settings, HKPR District Health Unit has set out and monitors comprehensive cleaning and sanitation routines and personal health care practices including frequent hand washing.



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You can help prevent the spread of illness by keeping your child home from the program if you observe any of the signs and symptoms listed on the Covid-19 screening tool or Ministry of Health Management of Cases and Contacts of COVID-19 in Ontario.

All children will be monitored throughout the day for emerging signs and symptoms of illness. If your child experiences any of the signs and symptoms during the day, you (or your alternate emergency person) will be contacted to pick up your child immediately.

### Agreement

As a Parent/Guardian responsible for my child's placement, I agree to the following:

- I have read and understand the above information
- I understand the risk of illness associated with placing my child in an early learning and child care setting.
- I am responsible for screening my child(ren) using the Covid-19 screening tool and verbally letting the centre know the result each day at drop off. Misrepresentation of symptoms will result in termination of my child care placement.
- I agree to exclude my children from child care immediately upon observing any of the noted signs or symptoms listed in the Covid-19 screening tool or the Ministry of Health Management of Cases and Contacts of COVID-19 in Ontario.

Child's Name(printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name(printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

