



Briefing November 2020

Welcome back after half term

Kay Rowe stays open as normal.

As you are aware we are entering another period of lockdown on Thursday, I wanted to reassure you that the nursery will be open as normal unless we receive instructions to the contrary,

Staying safe.

Just to remind you, please do not send your child to school if they are sick with symptoms of COVID or if anyone in your household has COVID symptoms

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

A high temperature – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)

A new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)

A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

Most people with coronavirus have at least 1 of these symptoms.

What to do if you have symptoms

If your child or anyone in your household has any of the main symptoms of coronavirus then your child must NOT come to nursery. You must get a test to check if you, anyone you live with or your child have coronavirus as soon as possible.

Your child cannot return to nursery until they or the sick member of your household receive the test result. If it is negative they can return to nursery.

You, your child and anyone you live with should stay at home and not have visitors until you get your test result – only leave your home to have a test.

If your child, you or anyone in your household has COVID symptoms but refuses to have a test we will have to ask you not to return to school for 14 days.

To book a COVID test go to

<https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>

We have some tests at nursery - if you are struggling to book a test you can pick up one from Kay Rowe.

What happens if my test is positive?

If your child tests positive for COVID you need to let us know straight away. Your child will have to isolate for 10 days and your household will need to isolate for 14 days.

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We will keep in contact whilst you are isolating and send home some ideas for activities you can do with your child at home

What if another child at Kay Rowe or a member of staff working with my child tests positive for COVID?

If we think your child has been in contact with another child or member of staff who has COVID we will contact you straight away and ask you to keep your child at home and isolate for 14 days

Thank you for working with us to keep our school community safe!

Reminder

Zoom parent conferences

Nest - 9th, 10th 12th 13th Nov

Den - 11th Nov **(Den will be closed to children on this day)**

Snug - 10th Nov **(Snug will be closed to children on this day)**

You will receive a zoom invite with a suggested time next week. The conferences will be around 10-15 minutes and will be a chance for the key person to share with you how your child has settled into nursery and for you to ask any questions you have. If you do not have zoom we can also use WhatsApp video call or facetime- let us know what you prefer to use..

Cycling

We love cycling and cyclists but ask all our parents who cycle - please do not cycle on the pavement up to the nursery or inside the nursery gates up to the bike shelter. We want to keep everyone safe.



Comments, suggestions, questions:

If you have any queries about the running of the or how your child is learning nursery please email

sarah.porter@kayrowe.newham.sch.uk

If your question is related to paying fees or lunch money or arranging extended day cover then

please email

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You can also ring and speak to Sarah or Rofna.

