

Ozzie Owls Policy Necessary Alterations During Coronavirus Pandemic

Context

The coronavirus global pandemic of 2020 has had a huge impact upon all aspects of school life, including our wrap around care provision. This additional document to our Ozzie Owls Policy outlines the main alterations that have had to be made to wrap around care at St Oswald's at this time, whilst it also summarises how some practice will remain the same. As this is a time of such frequent change, this is a short-term document that will be reviewed regularly.

It is important to read this document alongside coronavirus risk assessment documentation, which will give further contextual information (such as reasons behind these alterations).

Significant Alterations

Ordinarily	During Coronavirus Pandemic
Breakfast club would take place in the	Both breakfast club and after school
hall and after school club would take	club will take place in the hall to
place in the Ozzie Owls room	ensure greater social distancing
	measures are prevalent
After school club only caters for	After school club will cater for thirty
twenty children on an evening	children on an evening, however this
	will be a temporary measure and
	temporary places will end at the end
	of autumn term
Some breakfast choices are available	Children will have to seat in a socially
through a self-serve system	distant marked space and they will
	discuss what breakfast choices they
	would like with staff, who will then
	serve this to their table
After school club menus will roll for a	A two weekly menu will be in place
term	which ensures that staff can feed a
	larger amount of children within the
	allotted time

A larger proportion of class based activities and resources are provided for the children	The staff will concentrate on having the children outdoors (contact sports will not be taking place) as much as possible, whilst also including some elements of normal activities, such as a movie night
Two staff members supervise the after school club provision	Three staff members will not be working during the after school club provision, as they do for breakfast club, due to the increased number of children attending
Parents and carers enter the school site to drop off and pick up the children	Parents and carers cannot come onto the school site therefore will sign up to a drop off and pick up time slot, this will remain the same for all sessions your child attends, at this time a member of Ozzie Owls staff will meet you and your child at the KS2 gate to take their temperature and permit entry into school if their temperature is within the normal range
Children enter the site freely and without restrictions	Due to the current situation, all children (and staff) will be temperature checked before admittance on site, if this shows an amber reading they will be permitted on site but regular checks will be carried out, if this shows a red reading they will not be permitted on site and should following testing and isolation guidance
Parents and carers sign the children into and out of the provision	Ozzie Owls staff will hold daily registers which they will clearly mark and indicate attendance and exit from the provision on, these will be used to support fire procedures and any queries around attendance and payments

Remaining the Same

Many aspects of usual Ozzie Owls will remain the same during the coronavirus pandemic. For instance, the children will still have access to a range of activities however where possible the majority of time will be spent outdoors.

The daily timings that Ozzie Owls is accessible to you will remain the same (8.00am-5.15pm) to support working parents.

Healthy meal choices will continue to be available and the children will continue to receive a combination of both hold and cold meal choices across the week

A wait list is always held for the provision, due to the popular demand for spaces, this will continue to be the case and this must be discussed with Mr Williams. Wait list places and organisation will apply in line with the Ozzie Owls admissions policy.

Advisory notes

Government guidance states the following:

- if it is not possible to maintain bubbles being used during the school day then schools should use small, consistent groups - groups will be consistent daily within Ozzie Owls and social distancing measures will be encouraged with appropriate risk assessing also in place
- parents should be advised to limit the number of different wraparound providers they access as far as possible
- if parents do use childcare providers or out of school activities for their children, we would encourage you to seek assurance that the providers are carefully considering their own protective measures, and only use providers that can demonstrate this

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