

Key Symptoms of COVID-19

Fever (temperature of 37.8°C or higher) **and/or** New, continuous cough (coughing for more than 1 hour of three coughing episodes within 24 hours) **and/or** Loss or change in normal sense of smell or taste (anosmia)

Use NHS online symptom checker: 111.nhs.uk/covid-19/

You must book a test if you have any of the symptoms, even if just one of them. If you need to book at test: www.nhs.uk/coronavirus or call 119 if you do not have internet access.

	Action Needed	Return to pre-school when...
My child has Covid-19 symptoms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Self-isolate the whole household. <input type="checkbox"/> Get a test. <input type="checkbox"/> Inform pre-school immediately about test result. 	The test comes back negative.
My child tests positive for Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 10 days. <input type="checkbox"/> Self-isolate the whole household. 	They feel better. They can return after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for weeks.
My child tests negative.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss when your child can come back (same day/next day/when they feel better). 	The test comes back negative.
My child is ill with symptoms not linked to Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact the pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Ring on each day of illness. 	After 48 hours following the last bout of sickness or diarrhea. As per attendance policy.
Someone in my household has Covid-19 symptoms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Self-isolate the whole household. <input type="checkbox"/> Household member to get a test. <input type="checkbox"/> Inform pre-school immediately about test results. 	The test comes back negative.
Someone in my household tests positive for Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days. <input type="checkbox"/> Self-isolate the whole household. 	The child has completed 14 days of isolation and is symptom free.
NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed Covid- 19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days. 	The child has completed 14 days of isolation and is symptom free.
We/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as a period of quarantine.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not take unauthorized leave in term time. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travel. <p>Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Agree an earliest date for possible return. Minimum of 14 days from return date. <input type="checkbox"/> Self-isolate the whole household. 	The quarantine period of 14 days has been completed.
We have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact pre-school to inform us. <input type="checkbox"/> Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again. 	Pre-school inform you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to pre-school again.
My child's bubble is closed due to a Covid-19 outbreak in pre-school.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do not come to pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> At home support your child with remoted education provided by pre-school. <input type="checkbox"/> If your child has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for covid-19 they do not need to get a test unless instructed to do so by PHE or they develop covid symptoms. <input type="checkbox"/> They must self-isolate for 14 days, even if they do not have any symptoms. Members of your household do not need to self-isolate unless your child also develops symptoms. 	Pre-school will inform you when the bubble will be reopened.