



COVID-19 Protocols

As a licensed child care facility, Mt. Olive Preschool will adhere to all Minimum Standard Health Protocols set forth by the Department of Health and Human Services.

Health Screening

All children and adults who enter the building will have their temperature taken with a no-touch, infrared thermometer and will be screened for signs of illness prior to entry into the building.

Parent Drop-Off and Pick-Up

Children will be dropped off and picked up at the front door of the Preschool to limit the number of individuals entering the building. Parents are not prohibited from entering the building but will be health screened if entry is necessary.

Handwashing

Any person entering the Preschool building will wash their hands with soap and water immediately upon entry. Children and staff will wash hands frequently during the day, including:

- After using the restroom
- Before eating
- Before and after sensory activities like playing with play-doh or shaving cream
- After sneezing or coughing
- After playing outside
- After blowing their nose
- After diaper changing or assisting with going potty

Cleaning and Sanitizing

Tables are cleaned at the beginning of the day and after meals and table work with a three-step process using soapy water, wipe, water, wipe, sanitizing solution. Toys are sanitized daily with sanitizing solution. Toys that have been placed in the mouth are taken out of play circulation until they can be washed.

Masks

Masks or facial coverings are worn as mandated.

For a full listing of COVID-related health protocols, please see

<https://open.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/opentexas/OpenTexas-Checklist-Child-Care-Centers.pdf>