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Work activity or premises area assessed:	Date RA was rev		_		.
Coronavirus - risks associated with coronavirus (COVID-19) and includes	01/06/2020	03/08/2020	04/09/2020	30/10/2020	11/01/2021
the 'System of controls' This is the set of actions early years settings	02/06/2020	20/08/2020	06/09/2020	03/11/2020	15/03/2021
must take. They are grouped into prevention and response to any	03/06/2020	01/09/2020	08/09/2020	27/11/2020	19/03/2021
infection.	08/06/2020	01/09/2020	29/09/2020	05/01/2021	13/04/2021
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The following statutory guidance and government guidance, HSE,	Guidance links				
PHE and NHS guidance is being adhered by Kamelia Kids, in addition					
to this risk assessment.					
MAIN GUIDANCE being followed PHE Southeast Educational Settings	Hard Copy only				
Outbreak Pack					
Updated November 2021	https://assets.pu	ublishing.servi	ce.gov.uk/gove	rnment/uploads	/system/uploads/
Actions for early years and childcare providers during the coronavirus	attachment_dat	a/file/1037195	5/Actions_for_e	arly_years_and	_childcare_provid
outbreak	ers_during_the_				
The risk assessment sits alongside our Operating Procedures and Coronav	irus Policy and exi	isting Policy an	d Procedures.		
This risk assessment outlines the required actions that should be taken to				/ carers and visi	tors from a
potential coronavirus infection.		· ,			

Area Description	HAZARD Who may be harmed and how	Control Measures Already in Place	Risk Level (H-M-L)	Further Action Required	Person Responsible
Staff	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus.	 Share this risk assessment - ongoingly - with the team so they understand the risks in nursery and gain their ideas about anything that they would like to be added. Staff should only attend the nursery if they are symptom free, having completed the required isolation period or achieved a negative test result. 	M		All employees of Kamelia Kids



Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Nursery Operations Director and or Deputy Nursery Manager will risk assess the health and well-being for returning staff. Meetings to be conducted with good ventilation. All staff returning from a country where quarantine is required will be expected to do so. Once their quarantine period is completed you can return to work. Note, only the people who are returning from abroad need to isolate, not the whole household. The requirement to isolate depends on the published guidance at the time the person re-enters the UK. All staff to complete twice weekly Lateral Flow test, report to NHS result and to NOD. 			
Children Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Only children who are symptom free or have completed the required isolation period should attend or achieved a negative test result. Lead Practitioners will risk assess the health and well-being for returning children. Spare clothes should remain in the nursery in a named bag - not plastic carrier bag - and left at nursery. Soiled or wet clothing will be place in a nappy sack. Children can bring a comforter into nursery - these maybe washed in nursery i.e., muslin cloth. NO soft toys or toys from home. This is in place to minimise items from home to nursery and home again. Sun cream will be applied by the nursery staff wearing a fresh pair of gloves per child. All children returning from a country where quarantine is required will be expected to do so. Once their quarantine period is completed you can return to work. Note, only the people 	M	Parents worried about symptoms should use the NHS 111, and or NHS online. Testing is now available for all with symptoms. Where there are symptoms, parents/ carers are strongly recommended to take part in the government's testing programme for COVID-19 and ensure that the results are communicated to the Nursery Operations Director. If the test results reveal that the child has contracted COVID-19, please notify the Nursery Operations Director. Any confirmed cases of coronavirus (Covid-19) in the	All Room employees of Kamelia Kids Parents



		8)	who are returning from abroad need to isolate, not the whole household. The requirement to isolate depends on the published guidance at the time the person re-enters the UK. Settling in - parents are in attendance, social distancing between parents and staff is encouraged and face masks must be worn by parents.	setting (either child or staff member), and/or if the setting is advised to close as a result, should be swiftly reported to Ofsted through the online incident notification form.	
SEND Children	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	1)	Care will be needed in supporting children with SEND in the nursery: consider social, emotional, and mental health needs and progress with learning and development or missed diagnosis because of a period of absence.		Assistant SENDCO All Room employees of Kamelia Kids Parents Carers



Wraparound care	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Parents are reminded that children should attend one provider where possible. However, this may not be possible in some circumstances. Kool Kids will operate in the pre school room. 	M		
Parents	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Only one parent/ carers who are symptom free and or have completed the required isolation periods or achieved a negative test result will be able to drop off or collect their child/ren. Only one parent/ carer who are settling in children will access to the nursery. Parents visiting and settling in children, MUST always wear a mask, except if they are exempt - proof must be shown to the Nursery Operations Director 	M	In exceptional circumstances if a child is in distress parent/ carer can enter further into the nursery.	All Room employees of Kamelia Kids NOD Nursery Office Administrator Parents
Drop off/ collection	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How:	 Only one parent/ carer can drop off/ collect from our main entrance for Daisy and Poppy. Only one parent/ carer can drop off/ collect from Wildlife and Beach Garden is for Bluebells. There will be no further access into the nursery. 	Н	Parent and Carers will not access the building - unless this is for a confidential conversation. Staff will store and return buggies for parents.	All employees of Kamelia Kids Parents



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Social Distancing	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	1) Care routines including provision of meals, nappy changing, and toileting will be within M It is vital for children's well-being that staff provide	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Face Masks	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus	use of face coverings in early years education	All employees of Kamelia Kids



- proof must be shown to the Nursery Operations Director.	
5) Parents/ carers dropping off and collecting children are required to wear face masks.	
6) Staff taking in children and carrying out handover are required to wear facemasks.	
7) If you have a disability lanyard that exempts wearing facemasks, these must be worn.	
1) If a child becomes unwell - take child to one of the designated isolation areas i.e., Parents Room for Daisy and Poppy and Group room for Bluebell. 2) Staff to wear apron/mask, goggles, and gloves and or if unable to wear all or some of the PPE stay 2 metres apart. 3) Parents will be contacted and required to collect their child immediately. 4) Same process applies to staff members if they become unwell. 5) The children's room and isolation room will be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected. 6) PPE disposed of in yellow bags and bin. 7) Once symptomatic, all surfaces that the child/staff member came into significant contact with must be cleaned and disinfected. 8) All surfaces and objects which are visibly contaminated with body fluids and potentially contaminated high-contact areas such as toilets, door handles, telephones, etc. 9) Communal areas where a symptomatic child/staff has passed through and spent minimal time in i.e., such as corridors which are not visibly	protection to be worn if osure to coughing/ spitting. All employees of Kamelia Kids
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		10) Parents and staff will be informed that there is a suspected case of Covid -19.			
Emergency contact details and procedures	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Parents/ Carers to provide up to date contact details to Nursery Office Administrator. N.B. ensure that it is not an individual shielding. Staff to provide up to date contact/emergency details to NOD. N.B. ensure that it is not an individual shielding. Emergency evacuation procedures apply, as per our Fire policy and our assembly point is unchanged. 	L		All employees of Kamelia Kids Nursery Office Administrator Parents
Handwashing	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Handwashing posters in toilets for children are in place to encourage hand hygiene and how to do it. Staff will supervise/ role model how to do it with children. All children and staff must wash their hands upon arrival at the nursery and regularly throughout the day. Children are actively encouraged to avoid touching their face. Children will be supported in age-appropriate ways to understand the steps they can take to keep themselves safe including regular handwashing and sneezing into a tissue and disposing of the tissue in a lidded bin. Use hand sanitisers in between handwashing. 	M	Wash thoroughly for 20 seconds with running water and soap and dry them thoroughly or use alcohol hand rub / sanitiser ensuring that all parts of the hands are covered. All to clean their hands regularly, including: when they arrive at the setting when they return from breaks when they change rooms before and after eating after using the bathroom	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Cleaning	Who: Children Parents/ Carers	 An enhanced cleaning schedule has been implemented with our cleaning providers, includes all high touch surfaces. 	М		All employees of Kamelia Kids



	Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	3)	Staff are cleaning daily the furniture, surfaces and children's toys and equipment - using disinfectant 2-3 times a day on all high touch surfaces and before and after meals. Communal surfaces and areas - door handles, toilets, kitchens, touch points and hand washing facilities are cleaned and sanitized 2-3 times throughout the day by staff and the cleaners. Nursery is fully 'fogged' 2 times a week. Outside equipment and resources to be cleaned daily.			
Waste disposal	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	3)	All waste must be disposed of in a hygienic and in safe manner daily i.e., food waste, nappies. Tissues and paper hand towels must be immediately disposed of in a lidded bin, preferably foot operated and emptied regularly through the day. All waste that has been in contact with a suspected child/ staff member, including used tissues, and masks if used, should be put in a black bin bag, and tied. The bag should then be placed in a second yellow bag and tied. It should be put in the safe place and marked for storage until the Covid 19 test result is available. If the individual tests negative, this bag can be put in the yellow waste. Should the test be positive, the current government guidelines will provide instructions about what to do with the waste.	M	Safe place is in the backyard, to right of the portacabin in a silver lidded box.	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Laundry	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors		All items within the nursery requiring laundering must be washed in line with NHS laundry guidelines - 60-degree wash. Items such as towels, flannels and bedding will not be shared by children.	L		All employees of Kamelia Kids



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Ventilation	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Indoor offices, rooms are to be kept well ventilated in good weather - leaving windows and doors open where possible. In colder, wet weather ventilation is still required with windows being left open. Priorities must consider the fire safety/safeguarding of the children and staff. 	L	Evidence suggests that the virus is less likely to be passed on in well-ventilated buildings and outdoors. opening high level windows in preference to low level to reduce draughts increasing the ventilation while spaces are unoccupied providing flexibility to allow additional, suitable indoor clothing rearranging furniture where possible to avoid direct drafts Heating should be used as necessary to ensure comfort levels are maintained particularly in occupied spaces.	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Supply of PPE	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors	 Government guidance is that PPE is not required for general use in early years' settings to protect against COVID-19 transmission. PPE should continue to be worn as normal i.e., children/staff -paper hand towels; Staff - gloves and aprons. 			All employees of Kamelia Kids Nursery Office Administrator



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Activities/ toys/ resources	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 All activities are risk assessed and due consideration is being given to any adaptions to usual practice. Playdough/ sand and water play changed daily. Staff are washing the resources/ equipment daily. Resources shared between rooms should be cleaned prior to sharing/ returning. 	M	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Kitchen	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	Follow Safer Food Better Businesses (SFBB) guidance procedures for operation and cleaning.	L	All employees of Kamelia Kids Leilah



Food and drink	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 No sharing of food. Staff water bottles cleaned daily Children use nursery cups/ beakers. Breakfast cereals to be stored in plastic containers - access by staff only. 	L	Zebedee's Covid Policy: 'We would like to reassure you that all our staff, including drivers, chefs and administration staff, continue to observe the social distancing and additional safety procedures All staff are provided with the appropriate PPE - for drivers this includes face masks, gloves, hand gel and surface sanitiser for use in between stops. All vehicles are also thoroughly cleaned before departure and upon return to our unit. Our drivers will deliver to the nursery door and will not enter the nursery premises. Weask that nursery staff have empty boxes ready for collection at the door each day.	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Transport, travel, and car park	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Wherever possible staff and parents should travel to the nursery alone, using their own transport. If using public transport, follow current guidance 	М		All employees of Kamelia Kids



COSSH	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus Ingesting, absorption, and inhaling	 Ensure D10 is used on all surfaces - follow cleaning/ infection control procedures. All cleaning products to be stored under counters away from food. Comply with safety data sheet 	L		All employees of Kamelia Kids
RIDDOR Reporting to DfE	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	 Make a report under RIDDOR (The Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013) when: a. an unintended incident at work has led to someone's possible or actual exposure to coronavirus. This must be reported as a dangerous occurrence. b. a worker has been diagnosed as having COVID 19 and there is reasonable evidence that it was caused by exposure at work. This must be reported as a case of disease. c. a worker dies because of occupational exposure to coronavirus. 	L	Follow - https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/riddor-reporting-coronavirus.htm	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Vulnerable adults/ children	Who: Children Parents/ Carers	1) Nursery to keep in regular contact with parents of vulnerable, report concerns to relevant service.	Н		All employees of Kamelia Kids



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Operational	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	he risk assessment should be displayed rebsite. he risk assessment must be review and pdated regularly. he risk assessment to be shared with th rustees, staff, and parents/ carers. taff who are paediatric first aid must be ach room.	e	In the event of a major incident the MICAP will be put into action.	All employees of Kamelia Kids
Visitors & Professionals & Student Placement	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus	ttendance in the nursery is being kept the hildren and staff. We will limit visitors and professionals to be nursery i.e., building maintenance, horofessionals. It is sential professionals such as social wor beech and language therapists, or profest attend the setting as required. If they be attend in person, they should closely the protective measures in the setting, a	enter ealth kers, ssionals need ollow	Where essential visits are required i.e., maintenance these are made outside of the usual nursery operational hours where possible. Prospective parents visiting/ settling a child into the nursery will need to follow our guidance: Follow our hand hygiene practices.	All employees of Kamelia Kids



	Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	number of attendances should be kept to a minimum. 4) All visitors MUST always wear a mask, except if they are exempt - proof must be shown to the NOD. They are responsible for safely disposing the mask. 5) Southern Book bus staff will be required to sign in and must wash hands. Masks do not need to be worn. The story time will be spent in the garden, weather permitting, or in the Snowdrops room. 6) Nursery staff can enter the Book bus one at a time to select books and must follow their guidance. 7) Student placements are permitted and will adhere to this RA and the nursery policy and procedures.	
Contact with packages (food, stationary, post deliveries) or items handled by persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	Who: Children Parents/ Carers Staff/ Visitors How: Contact with persons suffering from coronavirus Contact with persons who may have been exposed to coronavirus	All existing risk assessments will be maintained L and followed. All existing risk assessments will be maintained L and followed.	All employees of Kamelia Kids