



ACTIVITIES IN TAMESIDE CHILDREN'S CENTRES COVID-19 GUIDANCE



We are pleased to announce we are able to offer face to face activity sessions at our Tameside Children's Centres.

As you would expect, the Children's Centres have made a number of changes to ensure your health and safety during the activity sessions.

To comply with social distancing guidelines, we have had to reduce the number of people in the Children's Centres, so we are asking that only one parent/carer to accompany the child to the activity session.

If you are unable to attend for any reason, please let us know as soon as possible so that we can offer your place to another family.

You are also still able to access the virtual offer, which is delivered through Facebook and online. If you require any individual support, please contact the Children's Centre and a member of staff from our team will contact you back.

Please do not come to the Children's Centre if you or a member of your family have symptoms that could be due to Covid-19.

At the present time these symptoms include:

- Fever (temperature over 37.8)
- New, continuous cough
- Loss of taste or smell

STAY ALERT ► CONTROL THE VIRUS ► SAVE LIVES

Find us on:

Websites:

<https://www.gotogrowtameside.co.uk> AND

<https://www.tameside.gov.uk/earlyhelp/neighbourhoods>

Facebook: "Grow in Tameside" AND

"Successful Families in Tameside"

Contact us by telephone on:

St Peters Children's Centre—0161 342 2255

Ridgehill Children's Centre—0161 342 5533

Hyde Flowery Children's Centre—0161 342 5353

Greenside Children's Centre—0161 342 5197



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Before you come to the Children's Centre:

1. Ensure only one parent or guardian and no other children attend with your child.
2. Arrive no earlier than 5 minutes before the session begins. Times have to be strictly controlled to enable safe movements of people through the Children's Centre and for social distancing to be adhered to.

In the Children's Centre you will notice some changes:

1. Hand washing and hand sanitising gel are available, you will be required to use them. *(Please be aware, failure to comply with hand washing could result in refusal of entry to the service)*
2. On entering and moving around the Children's Centre building, you will be expected to wear a face covering unless you have a medical exemption. You are only able to remove the face covering if the session is focused on the importance of communication skills, you will be advised accordingly. Children are not required to wear a face covering.
3. There will be guidelines to mark out 2 metre distances for families to sit in the activity session, children however are able to mix and play together throughout the session.
4. Staff will try to maintain the social distancing rules where possible.
5. After every session, the room, equipment and resources are cleaned thoroughly.

THANK YOU

