



Orde Day Care

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Dear Families

Hand Hygiene is one of the best ways to avoid getting sick and spreading illness.

Hand Hygiene refers to any hand cleaning action and is an integral part of our Infection Prevention and Control Practices. This involves the removal or destruction of visible soil and transient micro-organisms from the hands while maintaining good skin integrity.

We can do these two ways:

1. We can use soap and water to wash hands when hands are visibly soiled.
2. We can also use an alcohol-based hand rub (ABHR) — when hands are not visibly soil.

Hands must be washed/sanitized in accordance with the Toronto Public Health current method of hand washing and will be monitored by staff.

Children's hands will be washed with soap and water when they are in their respective rooms. However, when handwashing sinks are not available, i.e. outdoor play, children's hands will be cleansed using hand sanitizer for those children over the age of 2 years.

Please sign below or send an email confirming:

I give consent for my child _____ to use hand sanitizer to cleanse hands.

Parent's name

Date