

**NEXT LEVEL SPORTS LTD – SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMP FAQ (COVID-19)**

**ADDITIONAL SAFETY MEASURES FAQ'S**

As always the health and safety of our children and staff is of the utmost importance to Next Level Sports. As a trusted provider in school during COVID-19, we have effectively adjusted our operational practices to incorporate new health and safety guidelines.

Our summer camps are going to be jam-packed full of fun for your children while we ensure we will be adhering to all Government Guidelines to ensure we create a safe environment for all children and staff.

**To complement our *Safe Practice Guide* (for more information visit our ParentHub) we have put together a range of parent FAQs to assist parents in any queries they may have about our upcoming summer camps.**

**How will Next Level Sports Ltd ensure all proposed COVID-19 measures are followed?**

We have adapted our operating procedures for parents, staff and the delivery of activities and have created a new rigorous risk assessment for all staff to follow. Our staff have also been giving management training as well as completed an online COVID-19 Prevent training course.

**Limiting Group sizes and working within bubbles**

Children will take part in activities within the same group each day/full week, moving around activity areas within this group and using outdoor areas as much as possible.

Our bubbles will be a maximum of 15 children to 1 adult.

**Staggered Registration, Break and Lunchtime**

There will be staggered breaks and lunch times where applicable to reduce any contact during downtime.

We will also be ensuring that parents have the option of dropping off and collecting between 20 minute window, to reduce any congregation of children and parents. Drop off and Collection times for each venue are listed below;

| School   | Drop Off Time      | Collection Time    |
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| <b>Arnold View Primary School</b>                  | <b>8.55-9.15am</b> | <b>2.45-3.05pm</b> |
| <b>Croft Primary School</b>                        | <b>9.20-9.40am</b> | <b>3.10-3.30pm</b> |
| <b>Brinsley Primary School</b>                     | <b>8.55-9.15am</b> | <b>2.45-3.05pm</b> |
| <b>Farnsfield St. Michaels CofE Primary School</b> | <b>8.55-9.15am</b> | <b>2.45-3.05pm</b> |
| <b>Mapperley Plains Primary School</b>             | <b>8.55-9.15am</b> | <b>3.15-3.35am</b> |

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| <b>Hawthorne Primary School</b> | <b>8.55-9.15am</b> | <b>2.45-3.05pm</b> |
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### **Clear signage**

We will have posters and signs (in some schools floor markings) in place throughout venues for directions and registration classrooms, also for parents/carers to be reminded of the guidance measures and protocols, these include reminders to wash hands, clean resources, follow the government track and trace system and adhere to social distancing.

### **Flexible bookings**

We encourage parents to place full week bookings (5 days), this helps with our bubble organization. We do offer alternative flexible booking days to.

### **Registration and Collection**

Children to be dropped off and collected by 1 parent only. Parent to stand in the playground and children enter classroom on their own, with the coach waiting in the entrance area and the same when collecting, the coach will send the children out 1 by 1 when the parent is waiting in a socially distanced area.

All children will be registered electronically by a coach.

### **Enhanced hygiene measures**

For both children and staff, there will be increased cleaning measures put in place throughout the day for areas & equipment. Regular cleaning of the equipment and resources will ensure all equipment provided will always be ready and available to the children.

### **Staff training**

All our staff will have completed a Prevent COVID-19 online training course demonstrating a typical day under the new measures.

All staff have had in-house training around the management of COVID, operations and activities.

### **Activities**

We have adapted our themes, games and activities to increase distancing as much as possible but also ensuring children can still have as much fun. Children will remain in their bubbles for all activities.

### **How will the activities change due to COVID-19 safety measures?**

Next Level Sports will be following the government and Sport England guidelines around which indoor and outdoor sports we can deliver. All activities will adhere to social distancing and cleaning guidelines. Children will also wash hands before and after each activity at our designated wash stations.

### **How will the drop off and collection work?**

To ensure the pickup and drop off procedure runs smoothly – a waiting system with families adhering to the latest government social distancing guidelines will be in place at the sign in/sign out area. In order to contain this as much as possible – Next Level Sports will be offering a flexible drop off and collection time arrangements, as stated above.

### **How will you work within Bubbles?**

Children will take part in activities within the same group each day/full week, moving around activity areas within this group and using outdoor areas as much as possible.

### **How do you allocate the bubbles? Can my child be with their friends bubble?**

Our bubble allocations to an active day will be implemented with the following approach to maximize safety and ensure the enjoyment for all children is maintained:

- Settings/Sites whereby the capacity is 15 children there will be 1 bubble

Whereby the requirement/demand is more than 15 children we will allocate 2 or more bubbles using a mixture of the following;

- Children requests to be with friends (where appropriate and possible)
- Age grouping if appropriate (key stage 1 and key stage 2) to ensure all activities are suitable for the age groups.

Note: Camp Leaders will complete the bubbles at the start of the week from the registers.

### **How will the social distancing rule actually be enforced?**

We have equipped our staff with a wide range of techniques to help positively remind children throughout the sessions to respect the latest social distancing guidelines and their personal bubbles. Further to this, each activity camp site will contain a host of visual reminders such as posters and coned distances to reinforce the restrictions. Additionally, all games have been adapted with staff trained in the new measures to ensure all children and the staff members adhere to the latest distancing rules.

Also where possible, activities will take place outdoors.

### **What to do if my child feels unwell before attending the camp?**

If your child or anybody from the household is showing symptoms of COVID-19 ([www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms)) then please do NOT attend the sports camp get tested and follow the self-isolation guidelines.

### **What happens if a case of COVID-19 – whether it's a child or family member has attended or is attending the Activity Camp?**

If a child is suspected to be ill and is awaiting collection, our staff members will find a suitable room where they can be isolated away from the other children taking part in the sessions. Depending on the age of the child the correct adult supervision will be maintained by our staff at all times.

If children need to go to the bathroom while waiting to be collected, they will be escorted to a different bathroom that is being used by the other children where possible. The bathroom and classroom used will then be cleaned and disinfected using standard cleaning products before being used by anyone else.

Where the child, young person or staff member tests positive, the rest of their group will be sent home and advised to self-isolate for 7 days. (1. Department for Education 2020 – Coronavirus COVID-19: implementing protective measures in education and childcare settings).

### **Why can't I book ad hoc days?**

Due to current restrictions, additional cleaning requirements of the facilities and to retain the small groups of children within the guidance requirements (bubbles), we cannot take ad hoc summer Holiday.

Bookings must be placed at least 24 hours prior to the camp starting through our online booking system.

### **What can my child bring to camp?**

We encourage children to attend camp with the minimum possible belongings, all hard belongings are encouraged to be cleaned before and after attending camp by the parent/carer. These include;

- Come wearing suitable clothing for sporting activities
- Lunch in a secure lunch box, lunch boxes will be cleaned
- Water bottle, these can be refilled at our water stations, these will be cleaned on arrival by a coach.
- Coat- if bad weather is forecast as we will still try and go outside as much as possible
- If hot weather is forecast, children are encouraged to have sun cream applied before attending. If they bring sun cream along this must be provided in a sealed bag. Sun cream cannot be shared. If a child needs help applying sun cream, then a coach will wear a disposable glove to apply, which will be binned after use.
- If hot weather is forecast, children are advised to bring a hat
- Children are not permitted to bring their own equipment. If they provide their own scooters, these are to be left outdoors, along with their helmet. These will be cleaned on arrival by a member of staff.
- Medical equipment (inhalers/epipens etc) must be handed over to the coach during registration. These must be placed in a sealable bag or container and will be cleaned by the coach on arrival.

### **How to travel to camp?**

Parents and children are encouraged to walk or cycle to camp.

Parents and children are not advised to travel to camp via public transport.

### **How do I pay if I've opted to pay for the camp by cash?**

If you have opted to pay via cash, please ensure the correct amount of monies is placed in a sealed envelope and handed in during registration.

### **How will Next Level Sports administer first aid?**

Under the latest guidelines, our members of staff are not permitted to wear PPE whilst administering first aid on a child. PPE will only be worn if administering first aid on a child with suspected COVID-19 symptoms. All PPE will be provided by next level sports and discarded appropriately if worn.

For further government guidelines to parents/carers please visit:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-for-parents-and-carers-of-children-attending-out-of-school-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/guidance-for-parents->

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