



RE-OPENING FAQ'S

In accordance with the guidance for places of worship, our children's programs are operating according to the Guidance for Day Camp document. It is important to understand that physical distancing and hygiene cannot always be maintained with preschool and elementary children, and children cannot wear masks safely. There is an increased risk of transmission in these environments. Additional health screening, including temperature checks, will be performed before children are accepted into programs. The public health measures are not meant to guarantee safety. They are intended to reduce the risk of transmission through enhanced screening and to contain any exposure by limiting group size.

What are the major programming changes?

- Nursery care (0 through age 2) will not be provided.
- Once screened through temperature checks and registered, children will be immediately dropped off for their programs. They will not sit in the auditorium with you.
- All programs will operate with the group size will be limited to 50% capacity with no interaction between the groups.
- Activities and teaching activities will not involve or encourage touching, crowding or shared supplies or equipment.
- Additional personal space will be provided for children, such as fewer chairs per table and increased spacing.
- Songs will be led by video and will be done with actions only (kids will not be asked to sing).
- All staff and volunteers will be wearing masks.
- Furniture, frequently touched surfaces, washrooms, toys and supplies will be disinfected between each service.

Can my child wear a mask?

Children (Grade 4 and up) must wear a mask. Younger elementary children are encouraged to wear a mask but are not required to. As masks present a choking hazard to preschool children, they are not allowed to wear masks.

Where do I register my children?

After you enter the building and have your pre-registration QR code scanned, you will be directed to the lobby children's registration kiosks. Volunteers will then complete the screening process and give your child(ren) their name tags. Due to the enhanced screening, self-serve stations will not be operating.

After I register, where will I drop off my child?

All children will be dropped off at their classroom doors. It is recommended that only one parent take each child to their classroom. This will help prevent the hallways from getting too crowded. You may then return to the lobby and will be seated by an usher in the auditorium.





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After the service, where do I collect my child(ren)?

In an effort to prevent crowding, please collect your preschool child(ren) first, then proceed to the Elementary, District 56 classrooms. Then exit the building and return to your vehicle. We ask that the same parent who dropped off your child(ren) picks up your child(ren) and families plan to meet after the service at their vehicle.

My child is close or household contact of someone who is at high risk of COVID-19 complications. Should my child attend?

We would recommend you do not register your child for our programs at this time.

If you have any other concerns not listed here, please contact us.

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