

I would like to thank everyone for your patience and positive interactions during the most recent announcement of a positive COVID case reported. I am so thankful for our families. Thank you for supporting our decisions. I can not thank our teachers and staff enough for staying strong, working hard and literally helping implement new protocols overnight.

Florida is in the news and is reporting record cases. We are still pending 1 test result. I have been made aware that some family units as well as concerned staff members have been tested and/or are scheduled to be tested, symptomatic and also asymptomatic situations.

In consideration of all of our family and staff 's health and well-being, we have made the very difficult decision to close Kids' Stuff for one (1) week. We will close at the end of business on Friday June 26 and plan to reopen on Monday morning July 6th with no worries. If any positive results are received during that time, from an enrolled family member or staff you will be notified. This could create a two (2) week continuous close through Sunday July 12th and reopening Monday July 13.

You will be notified with Information updates via email and website. All informational letters and information updates are posted on our website www.kidsstufftlc.com. Please check our website regularly.

Upon re-opening and your return we will continue to be diligent and go above and beyond health and safety protocol. You will also be asked to complete a brief questionnaire about your travels and contacts during the period of closure. No computer check in and out will be required as we are taking manual attendance.

Billing will be suspended and your accounts will only be billed for your time attended this week.

We are also aware that Pasco County has put in place a mandated mask policy in public buildings and business. We are still awaiting clarification from DCF and Emergency Management as to how Private Schools, Preschools and Childcare Programs fit into this policy. At this time we have implemented wearing masks for adults and visitors when social distancing can not be practiced. We have also limits on visitation. It must be required, temps checked and mask on.

We continue to report and receive guidance from the Department of Children and Families and the Pasco County Health Department. They have also recommended to us; that we continue refer any reported sickness or symptomatic situations in children or adults and guide them to be tested for COVID-19.

We want to remain open to continue serving families in need and we are trying to give your children an opportunity to have a fun, yet safe summer.

We are trying so hard to keep your children safe and healthy. We will continue with even higher control measures being put in place going forward.

Again, I would like to thank you for your trust in Kids' Stuff. This is not the information I was planning to share with you, but I do believe it will give our families and staff time to wait out any testing results. It will also present the opportunity for an extended Deep Clean. I welcome any questions or concerns that you may have.

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