

January 2022

Dear Families,

Thank you for joining us this summer. We are hopeful we can get back to normal this summer, however this won't be determined until April. We will continue to offer water play, art + science, messiness, and games as always. It is so fun to watch children connect with nature and use their imaginations to be creative.

As a licensed facility, we are required to follow the county and state mandates. The following Covid procedures are in place to ensure the health and safety of staff and children:

- Parents are not allowed in the building. We have assigned drop off doors where staff will greet you and your child(ren) and walk them to their classrooms.
- We continue to use our touchless check in and out system. You will need to have the ELV parent app for this to work. This is a free app and easy to use.
- Inside our building, masks are required by everyone 3 years old and older, regardless of their vaccination status. When outside, masks do not need to be worn.
- If your child has not had the full Covid vaccination series, they will need to quarantine for 72 hours after travel. This includes out of state visitors who come to visit and have not been vaccinated. If your child(ren) is vaccinated (proof is required) they may return after their vacation.
- Sharks and Whales attending field trips (via Jeffco school bus) will have to adhere to Jefferson County School District masks mandates as well as any mandates at the facilities we visit. This is not negotiable.

We look forward to another great summer of creativity and fun. Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns:

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