

**STORY PLACE PRESCHOOL, INC.**  
**(518)477-7103**

**Sick Day Guidelines**

When your child is ill, please **DO NOT** send them to school or have them participate in home/community based therapy if:

- He/She has a fever of 100.6 degrees. He/She must be fever free for 24 hours without the aid of fever reducing medication.
  - He/She has 2 bouts of vomiting or diarrhea within the last 24 hours.
- He/She has a large amount of green drainage from his/her nose, ears, or other areas.
  - He/She has an unexplained rash.
- He/She has ANY contagious illness including, but not limited to: measles, mumps, chicken pox, pink eye, strep throat, bronchitis, head lice, hepatitis, scabies, impetigo, or scarlet fever.

If an outbreak of a contagious illness arises and your child attends the preschool, you will be notified so that you can be alert to the development of symptoms in your own child. If your child develops any of the above symptoms, you will be notified by phone to make arrangements to pick up your child from preschool. If your child is diagnosed with a contagious illness, please notify us immediately so that we can notify all other families. If your child misses 3 consecutive days of school due to illness, please obtain a note from your doctor that your child may return to school with no restrictions.

If your child receives home based therapy and develops any of the above symptoms, **please contact the preschool** with this information so we can contact your child's therapist(s) and let them know that your child will not be able to receive therapy that day.

This practice will be followed with your child's best interest in mind as well as to reduce the spread of contagious illness among the children and staff. By helping us observe good health standards, you will be protecting your child as well as the staff and children at school.

Please sign below to acknowledge that you have read and understand our sick day guidelines.

I have read and understand the **Sick Day Guidelines** as noted above.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_