



<u>Diseases/ illness</u>	<u>Exclusion period</u>
Influenza (Flu)	Until recovered
Temperature	24 hours from when temperature returns to normal.
Vomiting and diarrhoea	48 hours from last episode
Conjunctivitis	At nursery's discretion
Chickenpox	5 days from onset of rash
Gastro- enteritis, food poisoning	Until child is well enough to return
Infective hepatitis	7 days from onset of jaundice
Measles	4 days from onset of rash
Meningococcal infection	Until recovered from illness
Pertussis (Whooping cough)	5 days of commencing anti- biotic treatment or 21 days from onset of illness if no anti- biotic treatment.
Poliomyelitis	Until declared free from infection by the GP
Scarlet fever and Streptococcal (Infection of throat)	Until appropriate medical treatment has been given and in no case less than 3 days from the start of treatment.
Tuberculosis	Always consult your GP
Typhoid fever	Until declared free from infection by the GP
Impetigo	Until the skin has healed
Pediculosis (Lice)	None- but must be treated for live lice
Plantar warts	No exclusion- to be treated and covered
Ring worm of scalp	No exclusion- treatment required
Ring worm of body	No exclusion- treatment required
Scabies	Can return after the first treatment given.
Bronchiolitis	3 days minimum- exclusion is required for an acute phase of Bronchiolitis
Croup	2-3 days
Hand, foot and mouth	No exclusion
Impetigo	48 hours after commencing anti-biotic treatment
Mumps	Exclude child for 5 days after onset of swelling
Rubella (German Measles)	6 days from onset of rash
Scarlet fever	Child can return 24 hours after commencing appropriate anti-biotic treatment
Slap cheek	No exclusion- Can be serious to pregnant mothers- seek GP advice.
Shingles	Exclusion, if rash is weeping and cannot be covered
Tonsillitis	No exclusion
Thread worm	No exclusion- treatment required for child and household contact.

**N.B- The nursery is ONLY allowed to administer prescription medication.
We cannot administer medicines bought over the counter e.g. - Calpol**