

# WOODMONT KIDS

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## Children's Ministry Phase 1

### Overview

Due to the current schedule of worship and adult BSC classes as well as children having worship packs available as they attend the service, our first phase of bringing children's classes back to campus is proposed as nursery care & children's church only.

Pre-registration will be required for the first phase of nursery. *(Currently, this "Phase" will be for 1 month and will be re-evaluated 2 weeks in with the potential to discontinue, continue, or add classes/ages).*

This will begin on **Sunday, October 4th.**

The childcare (all classes) RSVP link is available at [www.woodmontbaptist.org](http://www.woodmontbaptist.org) on the homepage, children's page, or through our app.

## Classes

1. Nursery classes for this phase will be for children 2nd Grade and younger
2. There will be 3 classes per service for this phase: 4 years - 2nd Grade; 2 & 3 year old class; 23 months and younger class
3. 4 Years - 2nd Grade (Children's Church) - A teacher:child ratio of no greater than 1:8
4. 2 & 3 Year old class - A teacher:child ratio of no greater than 1:4 children
5. 23 months and younger class - A teacher:child ratio of no greater than 1:2 children
6. Extra volunteers required - 1 - Check-in, 1 - Floating sanitation volunteer

## Specifications

Each service will have a check-in area and the same teacher to child ratios. The same thing will be asked of each teacher/volunteer. Children will be screened with a COVID symptom checklist verbally answered by the parent followed by a temperature check at the check-in station.

Snacks - prepackaged, age appropriate snacks will be available for 2 years older. The youngest class will be asked to provide their own snacks, if needed. Younger children who attend will be asked to bring their own cup/drink. Children's church will have pre-packaged drinks.

Craft supplies - In the older 2 classes, each child will have their own basket for supplies used during activities.

Toys/Books/Tables/Chairs - Sanitation baskets will be available for each class including the sanitizer spray bottle, cloths, hand sanitizer, and disinfectant spray. Classes will have some pre-planned activities available that limit the amount of supply sharing. Centers will be utilized as much as possible in order to prevent supply/toy sharing.

### 9AM - East Campus

Children will enter through the double doors at the "college lobby" (green chairs). Screening will take place just inside the lobby and then children will be walked to their class by a volunteer from there. Parents will not go into classrooms.

We are proposing bringing over minimal rocking chairs, hard toys (no fabrics), baby sleep swings or cribs, and a couple of tables and vinyl bean bags for the toddler room. Classes

would be at full capacity if children's church has 24 kids, the 2&3 year olds have 12 children or the youngest class has 8.

- 4 Year - 2nd Grade (children's church) - The Big Room
- 2 & 3 Year old Class - 11th & 12th Grade Girls BSC Room
- 23 Months & Younger Class - Eddy Garner BSC Room

## 10:15AM - Main Campus

Children will enter through the children's lobby downstairs. Screening will take place just inside the lobby and then children will be walked to their class by a volunteer from there. Parents will not go into classrooms.

Classes would be at full capacity if the 2&3 year olds have 12 children or the younger class has 8. Special Needs class will include a 1:1 teacher child ratio.

- Special Needs Children - C-7
- 2 & 3 Year old Class - The Spot, multipurpose room downstairs
- 23 Months & Younger Class - "Crawlers" Room

## Volunteers

### I. Childcare Volunteers

We will send an invitation to serve by email to our entire nursery and BSC department of teachers. This will specifically indicate that anyone in an "at-risk" category for COVID-19 is discouraged from serving during this phase (over 60, diabetes, COPD, etc.). Once we get initial responses from this, we will recruit from our parents of children this age, college students, and others who are 59 and younger with no "at-risk" categories.

We are looking for volunteers who have already been attending and who are willing to wear their mask/shield as well as do their best to make this a Gospel-centered environment for these toddlers and infants.

Due to the ability to have 2 services, we will actually attempt to recruit the same volunteers for an entire month for these roles. This is ideal for the kids & volunteers.

### II. Check-In & Sanitation Volunteers

This volunteer group is "less" at risk, but we will still look for those with no known "at risk" categories. These volunteers might rotate more frequently and the check-in helpers would not have to stay the whole service.