## Out of School Sessional Care\* Charter

This Charter of good practice is for all Summer activity groups included on the Bolton Covid-19; Education, Childcare and Sessional Activity Signposting Service.

The Charter will encourage providers to:

- Follow government guidance and implement the recommended measures as detailed in <u>'Protective measures for holiday or after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings for children during the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak</u>
- Follow the guidance from Bolton with regards to what to do if there has been a confirmed case of COVID-19 in an education or childcare setting in Bolton. It is aligned with national guidance and goes through local processes.

### Providers will work in partnership with parents

They will ask parents to:

- Choose settings that are local
- Where possible, walk or cycle to a setting or use a private vehicle
- Avoid using public transport, especially at peak times
- Keep their child at home if they have any coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms

Inform the provider if their child is attending another setting

#### Providers will:

- Have a system of controls to ensure good hygiene practice throughout the session. This will include asking children to wash their hands when they arrive and throughout the session
- Ask at the beginning of each session every parent, member of staff, and child COVID health questions
- Communicate plans for reopening their provision including new safety measures put in place to reduce the risk of infection and transmission of the virus

Ensure that during the session staff and children remain in consistent groups as far as possible

\*OoSSC are organisations or individuals that provide tuition, training, instruction or activities to children in England without their parents' or carers' supervision

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#### Additional guidance and information

- Government guidance on the phased return of sport and recreation
- Government advice on accessing green spaces safely
- Protective measures for holiday or after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings for children during the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak
- Guidance for parents and carers of children attending out-of-school settings during the COVID-19 outbreak
- Bolton Families Information Service childcare page
- 'Actions for early years and childcare providers during the coronavirus (COVID-19)
  outbreak'

# For information or signposting support, contact ...

- 1. Your usual out of school service provider
- 2. Covid-19: Education, Childcare and Sessional Activity Signposting Service:

Online: https://www.bolton.gov.uk/summer2020

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