



## Wesleyan Chapel's Nursery

### Health and Wellness Policy

- ❖ To protect your child, other children, and childcare providers, a child who appears ill or has been ill the preceding 24 hours cannot be admitted to the Wesleyan Chapel Nursery.
  
- ❖ According to the recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics, a child should not be taken from the home when any of the following exists:
  - Fever, vomiting, diarrhea, common cold (as in green, runny nose), sore throat, croup, unexplained rash, skin infection, pink eye and other eye infections, and any symptom of the usual childhood diseases, such as chicken pox, scarlet fever, German measles, mumps, and whooping cough.
  
- ❖ Children who appear ill during their time in the nursery will be isolated as much as possible and the parent(s) notified.
  
- ❖ Should you discover your child has contracted a childhood disease and has recently attended the nursery, please contact the Children's Director, Tasha Ecklund at 910-686-4041 so that parents of the other children present may be notified. Confidentiality will be maintained.

- ❖ Childcare providers are not permitted to administer medication to any child.
- ❖ Your adherence to these guidelines is requested in order to provide healthy childcare to each and every child who passes through these doors.