

17th March 2020

Dear Shimmi Shake Parents / Carers and Pupils,

RE : CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

With the really uncertain times surrounding our current health situation with the Coronavirus, I want to assure you that as a company Shimmi Shake is taking the situation very seriously.

Following on from the Government address yesterday and the current advice is that children can go to school or nursery and clubs if not displaying any symptoms, Shimmi Shake will continue to offer tuition for the foreseeable future. However, we will monitor the situation closely.

I have had meetings with the owners of the studio spaces that we hire from to discuss what extra deep cleaning measures are being put into place. I can confirm that they are being cleaned up to 3 times a day to minimise the transmission of the virus and I am satisfied that measures are in place to continue to operate as safely as we can. The Shimmi team will also be doing their own clean before and during sessions to ensure that door handles and surfaces are disinfected.

As the safety of our children is paramount to us, we will be requesting that all children / Shimmi Team wash their hands as they enter the studio space and before they leave the lessons. Extra soap will be provided alongside hand sanitizers.

If your child displays a cough or fever (a temperature of 37.8C or above) they should self-isolate for 14 days along with the rest of the household.

Should we be forced to close, then the Shimmi Team are already looking into the possibility of streaming lessons directly to you. We all know that with the Show approaching, the Shimmi Shakers will not want to stop dancing, so we are doing everything we can to facilitate that in whatever way we can. We will keep you updated.

I know that you will support us in working together to keep our country as safe as we can.

Warmest regards,

SUE MAHONEY
Principal