



# Bright Horizons at Lexington Ave, NY

## What to Expect

At Bright Horizons at Lexington Ave, NY, your child will be safe, well cared for, loved, and supported by our skilled teachers. Our carefully crafted back-up care program offers age-appropriate programs to encourage curious, happy, and confident children at every age and stage.

### [View our virtual tour!](#)

Our center has been welcoming families since 1999 for their back-up, school vacation, and summer care needs. Throughout the year, we offer virtual family information sessions and workshops, themed program weeks, and many other events for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years.

If you would like a virtual visit prior to care, we would be more than happy to schedule one at your convenience; our center administrative team can be reached at 212-758-6262 or [lexingtonave@brighthorizons.com](mailto:lexingtonave@brighthorizons.com).

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## Health & Safety

Bright Horizons is trusted by parents around the country to care for their children. We've implemented enhanced COVID-19 safety protocols to ensure that all of our health and safety practices in every center are informed by guidance from the CDC and state and local municipalities, and have the well-being of children, families, and staff at their core.

### **In response to the ongoing challenges of COVID-19, we are practicing the following enhanced protocols at our centers:**

- ▶ Daily health checks required prior to care, which must include a temperature check of each household member to ensure that no one in the household has a fever. Anyone with symptoms, or known exposure, will be excluded.
- ▶ Only essential or authorized visitors permitted inside
- ▶ All staff, adults, and parents in the center wear masks
- ▶ Children 2+ strongly recommended to wear masks
- ▶ Frequent cleaning and disinfecting of high-touch surfaces, toys, and laundered items
- ▶ Enhanced COVID-19 exclusion policy restricting center access in the event of a suspected or known exposure
- ▶ All staff members strongly encouraged to be vaccinated or undergo weekly COVID-19 testing

# What to Bring

## Enrollment Forms & Health Records

Prior to care, we are required to obtain additional information about your family. Many of the forms are available on our Back-up Care portal: [backup.brighthorizons.com/account/login](https://backup.brighthorizons.com/account/login), and will need to be submitted along with your child's health and immunization records.

## Meals & Snacks

Children in our care are provided a morning and afternoon snack consisting of a fruit, vegetable, protein or carbohydrate, and milk. Lunch items should be brought in from home, ready to serve, and stored in a bag with ice packs, as needed. *Please note when packing your child's lunch that our center is nut-safe. This includes nut items and food items produced in a factory with nuts present.* In our infant classroom there is a fridge available for bottles; all bottles are to be prepared at home and will be warmed using a water bath method.

## Items From Home

- ▶ Spare clothing
- ▶ Diapers and wipes (*as needed*)
- ▶ Crib-sized sheet and blanket for rest time
- ▶ Favorite toy, book, etc. to ease the drop-off transition or for rest time
- ▶ Ready-to-eat lunch and bottles (*as needed*)



## Center Location

Our center is conveniently located near public transit. To get to us take the #6 train to 51 Street. Our building, 575 Lexington Ave., is between 51 and 52 Streets, next to The Mill and next door to Duane Reade Pharmacy.

Once you get to 575 Lexington, enter building, approach the lobby desk and receive code for elevator to second floor – where we are located. You will be given a temporary access ticket for the day.

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# Our Staff



**Jacqueline, Center Director**

I love Bright Horizons because I enjoy servicing families and experiencing the "ah-ha" moment of children exploring and learning in the classroom.

In education since: 2006



**Aisha, Client Service Associate**

I love Bright Horizons because I take pleasure in being a support system for families in need of care for their children.

In education since: 2008

## Our Teaching Staff

Our teachers are the heart of our program — people with the skills, passion, and dedication to make early education their career. They are experienced and dedicated professionals who meet strict certification requirements. Through *Discovery Driven Learning*<sup>™</sup>, our teaching and learning framework, these talented educators focus on children's unique interests while supporting today's big milestones and tomorrow's success. We support our educators with our own award-winning training, as well as learning opportunities to further advance their careers and skills through training, certificates, and college degrees.

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- ▶ **Call** | 877.BH.CARES (242-2737)
- ▶ **Download** | Search "Bright Horizons" in the App Store/Google Play to find our Back-Up Care app

