

Social Distancing

To support the return of all children in September, all parents, carers and children will need to follow the social distancing measures around the school building and grounds. There will be notices and painted markings on the pathways to the designated entrances to guide you and your children. Please follow these carefully so that social distancing is maintained at drop-off and pick-up times.

We will review the social distancing organisation regularly at the start of term to make any necessary adjustments. We understand that it will take time to become familiar with the new routines in place and that children will need regular reminders about the limited access they have to parts of the school building and grounds.

There will be STOP signs on the school grounds and no parent or carer should cross those 'STOP' signs which are clearly marked by the doors. This is to minimise the number of people around the entrances. Staff will be there to welcome and escort your child.

Whilst we have split up the entrances to reduce contact we will still have a large number of children and parents on site in the morning and afternoon; please be respectful about giving each other time and the appropriate social distancing space when entering and exiting the school for the different bubble groups.

Some children will be entering and leaving the school via the car park, therefore the car park is CLOSED to ensure the health and safety of children and parents. Please park considerately in the roads around the school, so that local residents can still gain access to their properties.

Key Stage 2 children with 'Walk Home Alone' consent also need to wait in their designated entrance area, maintaining a social distance, and must **not** access any other part of the school grounds while waiting for the doors to be opened by a member of staff.

Please take the time to talk through the changes in place with your children prior to September so that they are prepared for the new routines. Thank you for your support and understanding.

Designated Entrances

Reception and Year 1 Robin, Owl, Wren	Main entrance to school
Year 2 Dove, Puffin	Bottom gate and along the path to year 2 pods
Year 3 and 4 Jay, Starling, Skylark, Goldcrest	Butler Close gate and along the path past Little Acorns
Year 5 and 6 Osprey, Kestrel, Peregrine	Community Entrance