

Return to School in September 2020

Does my child have to attend school in September?

Yes, from Thursday 3rd September all children **must** return to school as directed by the Government.

How will you keep my child safe?

We have put measures in place to keep our community as safe as possible. We cannot guarantee that your child will not become unwell at any time.

What will my child wear?

Full school uniform must be worn each day. Children must bring a coat. A small bag may be brought to transport books between school and home.

Can I call into the school office to drop something off or meet my child's teacher?

The guidance continues to advise that only essential contractors and maintenance that are pre-arranged should be on site.

Please call or email us.

You will need:

A wipeable pencil case containing the equipment as per the list on the website.

PE kit and a pair of PE trainers which must remain in school and not be taken home.

All children will need water in a clear named bottle.

If you do not pre-order a school packed lunch, you will need to bring a packed lunch and bring your own spoon if needed.

Other information:

Parents and carers must follow the one-way system on school site.

Start and end times will be staggered.
My child will start school and finish the times given.

All children must arrive and be collected within the time windows given.

Each class will form its own learning group. These groups will maintain social distance from any other groups.

School response if a child displays symptoms during school time.

Concern raised by the child themselves or by an adult supervising.

Person is isolated immediately. Child's parents will be contacted.

Child **must** be collected **immediately** from school.

Mandatory 10 days of self-isolation.

Negative Test Result:

The child can return to school as usual once they are well.

Negative test

Parents **MUST** inform school of test outcome **immediately**.

Test **MUST** be arranged and **must** take place.

All families must engage with the Test and Trace process.

Positive test

Positive Test Result: The child must complete the compulsory 10 days self-isolation from the date of the test.

The rest of the class will close and all pupils in this class will need to undertake 14 days of compulsory self-isolation. If children develop symptoms in this time, they must be tested. School must be informed of the test outcome.

If a result is received on a weekend, families **must inform school by 9am on the Monday morning**.

What if my child displays symptoms at home?

Isolate your child where possible.

Do not allow your child to attend school or other public places.

Mandatory 10 days of self-isolation.

Inform school if your child is displaying symptoms.

Negative Test Result:

The child can return to school as usual once they are well.

Parents **MUST** inform school of test outcome **immediately.**

Test **MUST** be arranged and **must** take place.

All families must engage with the Test and Trace process.

Negative test

Positive test

Positive Test Result:

The child must complete the compulsory 10 days self-isolation from the date of the test. The rest of the class will close and all pupils in the class will need to undertake 14 days of compulsory self-isolation. If children develop symptoms in this time, they must be tested. School must be informed of the test outcome. If a result is received on a weekend, families **must inform school by 9am on the Monday morning.**

What if I am contacted by **NHS Test and Trace?**

Follow all
instructions from
the NHS Test and
Trace advisor

Inform school
immediately

If you are contacted on a weekend, inform school **by 9am** on the Monday morning.

Other FAQs

Will my child need their PE kit?

Yes PE kit and trainers should be brought into school on Thursday 3rd September where they must remain.

Will my child need their book bag?

Yes to allow reading and homework books to move between home and school.

My child has medication. How do I arrange for this to be taken in school time?

If medication requires 3 or more doses during the day, please call ahead to the office on 01296 668324 and complete the paperwork to arrange this with Mrs Dance.

Will my child be in a class with their peers?

Yes, we plan that class groups will be taught together in their classrooms. Siblings will be taught within their own year groups.

Will children social distance in school?

Guidance states that children within the class are not required to socially distance. Adults will distance from children as much as possible.