



27/08/2020

Dear Parents/Carers

We hope you have all had an enjoyable Summer.

We are really looking forward to welcoming your children back to school on **Wednesday 2nd September** and to seeing them all again.

This letter is to remind you of our current plans and arrangements with regard to opening next week.

Kind Regards

Mrs Mullins
Headteacher

Guidance for Parents on School Reopening 2nd September 2020

How will school be organised?

Beginning and End of Day

Please follow the yellow footprints and one-way system, when dropping off or picking up your child. Enter through the usual school pedestrian gate and exit via the side gate by the shop. School staff will be here to guide you and welcome the children in.

The beginning and end of day will be phased to ensure that we minimise contact between bubbles. Please could parents drop off pupils between 8.30am and 8.50am via specified classroom/cloakroom doors.

CLASS	ENTRY POINT am	END OF DAY pickup point
3S	3S classroom door	3S classroom door
3W	Year 3 cloakroom door	Year 3 cloakroom door
4B	Year 4 cloakroom door	Rear playground
4CP	4CP classroom door	Quiet area (astro turf)
5D	5D classroom door	5D classroom door
5R	5D classroom door	Front playground
6H	6H classroom door	Front playground
6W	Year 6 cloakroom door	Front playground

At the end of the day could parents pick up between 3.00pm and 3.30pm from designated playground/pick up point. Teachers will release pupils as parents arrive.

Y6 parents wait on socially distanced yellow spots on the front yard.

5D parents wait outside 5D classroom door.

5R parents wait on socially distanced green spots on the front yard

Y4 parents wait on Y4 yard at the back.

3W parents wait on the patio outside 3W classroom/cloakroom door.

3S parents wait on the patio outside 3S classroom door.

Staff will be available to guide and support you as we adjust to new routines.

We would be grateful where possible if only one adult/family member could pick up children to help minimise gatherings and support social distancing. If it is necessary to bring a younger child at pick up time, the child must stay with the adult.

School Uniform

Children are to wear school uniform.

Other Important Measures

There are to be no large gatherings or bringing different year bubbles together, e.g. whole school assemblies or Mass.

Water Bottles

Pupils should bring school water bottles to school each day and take them home to be cleaned.

Face Masks

The government is not recommending face coverings in primary school settings.

Breaktimes and Lunches

- At break times, pupils will remain in their year group bubbles and will play on a designated playground area. Extra 'Flexi 5' breaks will be organised by class teachers throughout the day.
- At lunch time, they will play in this same, designated area.
- Lunchtime will be staggered: Year 3/4 11.45 am -12.45pm
Year 5/6 12.30 pm - 1.30pm
- Only one year group 'bubble' will eat lunch in the dining hall, at a time.
- Edsential hot and cold dinner menu will be offered, at £2.40 per child through ParentMail or children can bring their own packed lunch in a disposable bag

Breakfast and After School Club

Breakfast and After School Clubs will be running. Further details will be available from Lyndsay Frost.

PE Kits

Pupils are **not** required to bring PE kits at the moment. Further information will follow.