

YEAR 6 RETURN TO SCHOOL GUIDELINES

Year 6 children will return to school on the 10th of June. Please see below for some information on what measures the school has in place for your children and what you can do to ensure that everyone remains safe.

What time does my child come in?

Children in year 6 will start school at 10:00am and finish at 2.00pm.



Which entrance will year 6 use?

Year 6 will use the **black gates**. Once inside they will line up on **social distancing feet**. As year 6 is the oldest year group, they will come into the playground on their own.

Parents must not enter the playground with their children.

At the end of the day, the children will be released by their Bubble teacher through the **black gates** again.



What happens when my child comes into the playground?

They will stand on the social distancing feet. When their teacher is ready, they will ensure they wash or sanitise their hands before they go into the school.



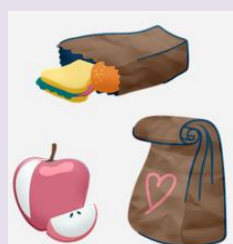
Which classroom will my child use?

Children will be placed in small groups of 8 children and will be called a Bubble. They will have the same teacher and classroom every day, although the classroom might be different to their usual room.



What will happen during break and lunchtimes?

Every Bubble of children will have their own playtimes and lunchtime slot. This is to stop the children from mixing and to keep the Bubble intact.



What hygiene and social distancing measures are in place at school?

- All staff and children will be expected to maintain regular hand washing routines.
- Hand sanitisers will be used by staff and children in school
- Everyone will need to maintain social distancing rules when in the building. This includes movement around the school and during class times. Markers will be available for children.
- A one-way system will be used in school to ensure that movement around the school does not allow people to mix. Arrows will highlight the direction of travel.
- All children will have their own table and chair which they will sit at all times. They will have a bank of resources on their table solely for their use.
- Every Bubble will be allocated particular toilet facilities to be used.
- Water fountains will be out of use to ensure hygiene and safety.
- Sick children will be relocated to a medical room and PPE used where necessary.



What can parents do to help?



- Please do not send your child to school if they have a temperature. Phone and let the school know immediately.
- Provide a water bottle with your child's name on. This bottle needs to go home and be washed every day.
- Please do not send children in with bags, book-bags, pencil cases or any items from home other than a water bottle.
- Please maintain social distancing measures while waiting with your child in the morning or during collection time. It is safer to collect and drop off children quickly.



Parents/carers

As you know, we usually encourage parents and carers to come on-site and interact with the staff. Sadly, this can no longer apply either at the start or the end of the day.

If you need to contact the school, please call or email the school rather than coming to the office. Where possible, we will conduct a phone or video meeting. Contact numbers can be found at the bottom of the page.

We realise that these new systems will take some getting used to, but I know that the staff and children will adapt; they always do. We are looking forward to returning to some sense of normality and thank you, in advance, for your support with this.

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