

16 July 2020

Procedures for School opening in September:

School will be open to all children in all classes. The classes will operate as 'class bubbles' in the way that bubbles, albeit smaller ones, currently operate. Each bubble will be contained in their own area as much as is possible. We are still unable to allow parents into school and all visitors will be kept to a minimum. After school clubs will not yet resume, but one to one music sessions will commence in September.

Travel to School:

We are hopeful that normal bus services will be resumed, we will inform you if this changes. Please seat your child, in the morning, on a seat on their own where possible. We will do the same at the end of the day.

Beginning of the day

School start will remain staggered and with the intention of moving children inside as quickly as we can. As now, during their allotted time slot, please bring your child/children to the gate into school off of the public footpath. Lines distanced a minimum of 1m apart will be marked in case we have any queue situations. Once they have been dropped, please continue on down the path and around the bottom, past the school car park gate and back to the main road that way. This will ensure a one-way system

Children will be met at the gate by at least one member of staff.

The following drop off times are:

Key stage one children (reception to year 2) 8.40am

Key stage two children (year 3 -6) 8.50am

For parents who have children in both KS1 and 2 **only** you can drop both children at 8.40am

After drop off, each child will make his or her own way directly into their class, via a specific route depending on which class bubble they are in:

Pre-school – straight in via their normal entrance **Pre-school are normal drop off and collection times**

Reception class – straight in via their outside area.

Marie Curie class – in via the door by the year 6 cloakroom.

Keller class – in via the outside door by the coloured pencils on the top playground.

Luther King class – in via their own outside classroom door.

Arrows will be sprayed onto the ground to ensure that children have a prompt, should they forget their route

Teachers will be waiting for children in their class to direct them

In class

Once children are in their class, a hand wash will be the first activity of the day. We will maintain procedures currently in place for sanitising equipment and promoting regular hand washing etc .. Adults will continue to ensure a 2 metre distance where possible, particularly in ks2. Guidance allows adults to now move between bubbles of children, so normal service will be resumed in terms of art and PE sessions, **so please bring PE kits as normal. We still need to ensure minimal equipment in school, so no other bags please. Lunch boxes and drink bottles only, as they do now.**

Lunch times

Children will have lunches in their own classes, we will remind them about expectations for cleanliness and a hand wash will be carried out before they eat. Any rubbish that accumulates during lunch will go back into their empty lunch boxes and will come home.

Children that are having lunch provided by Dolce will have their dinner brought to them in their class. Dolce are providing both hot and cold grab bags, so please log on and order your meals in the normal way.

Pick up- end of day arrangements:

Key stage one (reception to year 2) 3.20pm

Key stage two (years 3 -6) 3.30pm

Parents with children in both key stages can wait on the playground at the end of the school day. Please maintain a safe distance from each other whilst you wait.

As soon as your child comes out of their class, please leave the school by the double gates to the school car park and follow the one- way system around to the main road.

Wrap around care:

We intend to re-start breakfast and after school club as normal but will separate key stage one and two across two rooms. On film night the hall will be separated into two zones to keep key stage one and two apart where possible. If they play outside they will use the large playground and each key stage will remain on one side of the cones. We are in the process of sorting Parentmail, where you can book and pay for wrap around care- more details to follow. **In the meantime, if you plan on using this facility in the first week or so, please drop us an e mail and we will ensure you are added to the list to secure your place.**