

Thursday 21st May 2020



Dear Parents/Carers,

Return to school arrangements:

It was lovely to speak with all Year 6 parents this week to confirm whether you would be sending your child back to school after June 1st. We respect each of your decisions and know that whatever the decision you have made, it will have been a difficult one.

For those of you who have confirmed that your child will be attending, here are the necessary arrangements that will make it possible.

Year 6 will return from **Tuesday 2nd June.**

	Mr Gavin	Mrs Murray	Mrs Appleby	Ms McBride
START DATE	JUNE 2nd	JUNE 2nd	JUNE 3rd	JUNE 3rd
START TIME	8.40AM	8.50AM	9.00AM	9.10AM
FINISH TIME	3.10PM	3.20PM	3.30PM	3.40PM

School will be 4 days per week – from Monday to Thursday. We will be closed on a Friday for deep cleaning and to allow teachers to prepare for the following week.

In order to keep all the children in small ‘bubbles’ we have had to split them into 4 classes. This will mean that they won’t necessarily be with their year 6 class teacher or in their classroom. Please note the staggered start and end times for your child to arrive and be picked up. We must stress that these times need to be stuck to in order that we have as few people around the school gates at the start and end of the day.

We will continue with these arrangements until 21st June, when we will review requests for places. If more children request to come back into school than can be accommodated in the existing bubbles, we will look at how provision will need to change to be able to safely accommodate more children. This will result in a possible change of number of days the children will be able to be in school.

Please note the following:

- Only 1 parent to accompany their child to school. We are encouraging walking and cycling NOT coming in the car.
- Children can come on their own if you prefer
- Children are dropped off at the front of school at the pedestrian entrance. Please do not come through the school site. Staff will meet the children.
- Please keep a social distance from other parents and children and staff.
- Please do not congregate or wait around school gates.
- Please do not come to the school office, this will be CLOSED.
- Children entitled to Free School Meals will be provided with a packed lunch, we ask that all other children bring a packed lunch, which will be eaten in the classroom or outside if the weather is nice and the space available in the playground.
- Children should not bring any bags, pencil cases or PE kit to school.
- Children should come to school in school uniform with sports shoes/trainers.
- You let school know in writing if your child will be walking home alone at the end of the school day
- Mobile phones will be stored in a tray in your child's work space.

We are looking forward to having your child back in school and will be keeping in touch over the next few weeks as we navigate through this 'new normal'

**Any questions please contact us on 0161 881 1621 or
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