



23rd July 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

RETURN TO SCHOOL – TUESDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 2020

We are really looking forward to welcoming all of the children back to school in September. Things will still be operating a little differently in September, as we will be following the Government’s guidelines in order to make the return to school the best it can be. We will be operating a staggered start and finish time, along with staggered breaks and two sittings at lunch.

We are currently preparing a detailed guide for parents which will be posted on our school website and class dojo very soon. Within this document there will be all of the additional information that you need to prepare for returning to school.

I am pleased to enclose within this information details of the school day and some key information to help you prepare.

DROPPING OFF AND COLLECTION:

		Key stage 1 Playground	Key Stage 2 Playground
Arrival time	8:45	Bluebells and Lillies 4RE & 4ML	Tulips & Poppies
	9:00	Sunshines & Rainbows 5SM & 5RM 6JR & 6AP	3GD & 3NH
Collection time	3:00	Bluebells & Lillies 4RE & 4ML	Tulips & Poppies
	3:15	Sunshines & Rainbows 5SM & 5RM 6JR & 6AP	3GD & 3NH

Children will be organised into class and year group bubbles. During learning time children will remain in their class bubbles. During break and lunchtime the children will play within designated zones on the school playgrounds within their year group bubble.

Lunch will be 45 minutes long and children will eat in their classrooms, or weather permitting, outside with their year group bubble. We will have 2 sittings for lunch the first being at 11:30 to 12:15 and the second being 12:15 to 1:00. Children will be permitted to bring their own lunch box or purchase a grab bag or school dinner.



Hot dinners will be provided on a rota basis from week two. Two year groups each day will be on the rota for a hot lunch, during their allocated sitting. If your child's class/year group are not on the rota on a particular day they will be able to purchase a grab bag or bring in their own packed lunch.

Children in EYFS and Key Stage 1 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals and those children entitled to free school meals in Key Stage 2 will be provided with a hot meal on their allocated day or a grab bag on any other day.

We would like the children to bring a water bottle each day, that they can refill. This will come home with them daily. But we would ask that the children do not bring any additional items to school. Each child will be provided with a learning pack of resources and will not need to bring a pencil case or bag.

We will expect the children to be wearing full school uniform, other than on their designated PE day. On this day the children may come to school wearing their PE kit.

I hope this provides some clarity with regards to our arrangements for September. We will notify you via class dojo and text when the full parental guide is available on the school website.

Yours sincerely

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