

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September,

Dear Parents,

We are really looking forward to the children returning to school tomorrow. We hope to see all of the children in school. Here are a few reminders about arrangements.

Year 1

Children should arrive at school between 8.45 and 8.55am and should go to the side playground. Children in Topaz class should enter through their classroom door and children in Moonstone class should enter through the door at the end of the building. Parents should collect children from this playground at 3pm.

Year 2

Children should arrive at school between 8.45 and 8.55am and should go to the front playground. Children in Diamond class should enter via the ramp and children in Amethyst class should enter through the door at the top of the steps. Parents should collect children from this playground at 3pm.

Years 3 and 4

Children should arrive at school between 8.55 and 9.05 am and should go to the front playground. Children should enter through the door at the top of the steps. Parents should collect from this playground at 3.10pm.

Years 5 and 6

Children should arrive at school between 8.55 and 9.05 am and should go to the side playground. Children should enter through the door at the top of the playground. Parents are asked to leave children at the gate unless there are exceptional circumstances. Parents should collect from the side playground at 3.10pm.

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If you have children in both key stages, please wait in the playground with older children, observing social distancing of 2 metres.

All gates will be open for use, including the gate on the field. We ask parents and children to use the gate that is closest to their route home, to avoid any unnecessary cross over of families. Parents are asked to limit the number of people who pick up children and to keep younger siblings with you.

Children should wear uniform as usual and bring in a PE kit. Children will need a water bottle and will be given a reading book and planner. Children do not need any other equipment and should try not to bring big bags into school.

Children must not come to school if they have:

- A new/persistent cough
- A high temperature
- Loss of taste or smell

If your child has any of these symptoms, we would encourage them to be tested. They will not be allowed in school with these symptoms. Children should stay at home until the results of the test have been received. The school will need to see evidence the test result is negative before the child can return to school.

YMCA will be operating as usual before and after school. They will be based in the lunch bar where parents should pick up and drop off. They will endeavour to mirror the groups we have in school.

Please ensure you drop children off on time. Late comers will make it very difficult for the school to keep groups apart.

School meals will be available as usual. Children may bring packed lunches if preferred.

We look forward to seeing you all tomorrow,

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