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Newsletter

September 11th 2020

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

Start and End to School Day

Children from Reception to Year 6 can be brought to school between 8.40am and 8.55am. We have amended our original staggered start and end times. Children can arrive anytime between 8.40 and 8.55. The children can walk up the path and will be received by staff members. NURSERY and RECEPTION children can arrive at 9am. Nursery and Reception Parents can bring the children to the outside door of the Nursery building. At the end of the school day all full time children can be collected between 3pm and 3.20pm

Lunchtime

Our lunch hour is 12pm until 1pm. The Foundation Phase bubble and Mrs Field's class will go for lunch at 12pm and will have their lunch break between 12.30pm and 1pm

Mrs Thomas's class and Miss Harrington's class will have a break between 12pm and 12.30pm. They will then go for dinner between 12.30pm and 1pm

We are ensuring that each bubble will be socially distanced in the canteen and the children will be seated in their class bubbles.

Contact Groups

The pupils are currently taught in consistent contact groups, this helps to reduce the risk of transmission by limiting the number of learners and staff in contact with each other to only those within the group. Contact groups are kept apart where possible. Toilets are also used by one contact groups at a time. Pupils have designated zones that they play in during break times and lunch times. Welsh Government recognize that younger learners will not be able to maintain social distancing, and it is acceptable for them not to distance within their group.

Good Hand Hygiene

Covid 19 is an easy virus to kill when it is on skin. Pupils clean their hands regularly as part of the school day, including when they arrive at school, when they return from breaks, before and after eating and after using the toilet. This is done with soap and running water or using hand sanitizer

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will reopen Monday 21st September. Pupils will need to sit in their contact groups. Further information to follow.

Prevention

Under no circumstance should any pupil or member of staff attend school if they:

- feel unwell, have any of the identified Covid-19 symptoms (a new continuous cough, a high temperature or loss of taste or smell). They should remain at home and self-isolate and arrange for a COVID 19 test
- have tested positive for Covid 19
- live in a household with someone who has symptoms of Covid-19 or has tested positive for Covid 19

If your child is in school and they display symptoms, they will immediately be sent home. Siblings and other household members will need to isolate also. A Covid 19 test should be arranged.

Test, Trace and Protect (TTP) Overview. Information for Staff/Parents/Guardians

http://d6vsczyu1rky0.cloudfront.net/31028_b/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/TTP-Information-for-Schools-Staff-Parents-Guardians-Aug-2020.pdf

Dogs

No dogs are permitted on the school grounds.

Texting Service

Please help us to stay in touch with you by making sure you let the office know if you change your mobile number. If you haven't received any text messages yet, it means we don't have your details.

Swans

The Swans will be in every Thursday starting on 17th September and they will be working with Years 3/4 this term. PE kit and trainers will be required for this.

Dates for the Diary

Thursday 17th September – Swans

Tuesday 29th September – Flu Nasal Vaccine Rec/Year 6

Friday 23rd October – INSET DAY

Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October – Half term

Monday 2nd November – Children return to school

Wednesday 4th November – Colorfoto (Individual)

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