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Primary SW9

A school for everyone

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Dear Parents / Carers,

RETURNING TO SCHOOL

We are looking forward to welcoming **all** our children back to school this Thursday 3rd September 2020.

This letter is to remind you of our Guidance for Parents and risk assessment documents that can be found on our school website at <https://tinyurl.com/CCSW9GuidanceSep20> and <https://tinyurl.com/CCSW9RiskAssessmentSep20>. We would be very grateful if you could spend a short time reading through this information.

As you are already aware, we are required to stagger start times, finish times, breaks and lunchtimes to ensure social distancing. Your child's start and finish times are below:

Reception Class	Nursery	Y1	Y2
School starts at 9am and ends at 3.30pm Children must enter and exit via the NURSERY ENTRANCE (by the main office)	School starts at 8.45am and ends at 3.15pm Children must enter and exit via the NURSERY ENTRANCE (by the main office)	School starts at 9am and ends at 3.30pm Children must enter and exit via the NURSERY ENTRANCE (by the main office)	School starts at 8.45am and ends at 3.15pm Children must enter and exit via the NURSERY ENTRANCE (by the main office)
Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
School starts at 9am and ends at 3.30pm Children must enter and exit via the MAIN GATE on Cancell Road	School starts at 8.45am and ends at 3.15pm Children must enter and exit via the MAIN GATE on Cancell Road	School starts at 9am and ends at 3.30pm Children must enter and exit via the MAIN GATE on Cancell Road	School starts at 8.45am and ends at 3.15pm Children must enter and exit via the MAIN GATE on Cancell Road

We are also aware that our children have had different and unique experiences during lockdown, and that whilst for some it has been fairly smooth, others have had a far more difficult experience for all manner of reasons – not least in some cases due to bereavements. We are therefore adjusting our school curriculum over the first few weeks of the academic year to give our children the opportunity to discuss their lockdown experiences, to share their hopes with us and to offer support, where appropriate. The safety and wellbeing of our children remains our number one concern.

To this end, we support the Department for Education statement that schools should minimise contact with people who have Coronavirus symptoms, or who have somebody in their house with Coronavirus symptoms by not attending school under those circumstances. **It is therefore essential that if your child, or anybody else in your household displays Coronavirus symptoms that you do not send them in to school.** Instead your child and others in the household should begin a period of 14 days of isolation. In these circumstances it is vital that you let the school know this has happened.

Furthermore, we are committed to supporting the Government's **Track and Trace** system. It is important that anybody who is contacted through the Track and Trace system follows the guidance in terms of isolating if you are told to do so. The full guidance around the Test and Trace system can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs-test-and-trace-how-it-works>

I hope very much that this term will be a successful reunion of our school community and that we are able to return to 'normal' school life in the near future. We look forward to seeing you all on Thursday

Yours sincerely,

Jayne Mitchell
Executive Headteacher

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