

Thursday 3 September 2020

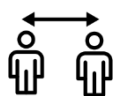
Dear parents and carers,

It was an absolute pleasure to welcome the children into school today after such a long time. Although school is a little different now, they seemed to take to all the new hygiene and safety routines brilliantly and we are all looking forward to an exciting and safe school year full of fun and learning.

I wrote to you last week to explain all of the safety measures we have put into place in school. You can find these on our [school website](#). We will continually review these measures in line with Department for Education and Trust guidance as well as our own evaluation of how well they are working in school.

It is very important that we try to reduce the number of parents/carers in and around the school at any one time. This is why we have implemented staggered start and end times with four different entrances/exits.

Having now experienced the first drop off, there are a few things we can do to increase safety for everyone:



Parents/carers **must** keep a **safe distance** from one another. Ideally, **only one** parent will drop off/collect.



It is **essential** that all parents/carers arrive **on time** (not early or late) and leave the school quickly once they have dropped off/collected. Please do not stop for a chat!

Reminder:

Year 1, Year 3, Year 5 timings are 8:45am – 3:15pm

Year 2, Year 4, Year 6 timings are 8:55am – 3:25pm



If it's particularly crowded and difficult to maintain social distancing, parents/carers are encouraged to **wear face coverings/masks**.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Morley
Headteacher

