



4th January 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had an amazing Christmas and new year and stayed safe during these celebrations. We look forward to welcoming all of our children back tomorrow.

On the return to school we will be keeping the previous restrictions in place for this coming term These are as follows:

- There will be no bubbles in school, however children will only be allowed to mix for a small percentage of the time during their lunch time.
- Morning breaktimes will be staggered so that classes do not mix at these times.
- Children will not be allowed to mix during the rest of the school day.
- Morning drop offs and pick up times will continue to be no parents on the playground and we will continue with the same arrangements and times that we have had before the Christmas break. This is to avoid people congregating on the playground and hanging around chatting in groups.
- Staff will take daily LFT before coming to work
- All routine control measures will continue to be in place, Handwashing, CO2 monitors, ventilation, cleaning.
- Essential visits to the school only
- Face masks to be worn in communal areas of the school by all staff
- Face masks to be worn by all adults on the playground at pick up and drop off times.
- No assemblies together in the hall

Please can we ask that you continue to regularly lateral flow test your children to ensure that if there is another case we can catch it quickly? If your child shows any symptoms then please take them for a PCR test. In our experience over the past couple of weeks, the typical signs have been a common cold, headache, sore throat and sickness or feeling sick and not necessarily the three symptoms of COVID: high temperature, loss of taste and smell, cough. Although these are still symptoms that we need to be aware of too.

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Thank you again for the support.

Mrs Clayton

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