



Summer term Year one



Hi everyone,

We're very excited about seeing our Year One children on Wednesday 17th June. Here's some information specifically about how we will be opening up to our Year One children. This information is for all children including those that are not returning on this date.

How will the children be kept safe?

We know our young children will find it difficult to 'social distance' as we know all children enjoy being with and playing with their friends. So, our way of minimising risks is through 'bubbles', lots of hand washing and careful cleaning and management of the spaces. We will continue to play and learn with our children. If they fall over and hurt themselves, we'll be there with loving care. Please see Ms Soroan's email for the whole school safety measures that will be in place.

We will use the three classrooms in our Key Stage One for three groups which we call 'bubbles'. The bubbles will consist of up to 15 children. Children and adults won't mix between these bubbles. Once we know which children are coming in we'll ensure they are in a bubble that will provide them with the opportunity to meet up with their friends and learn most effectively. They may be in a different classroom but all the Year One children will be involved in year one learning. We have a regular daily timetable of Phonic, English, Maths and we will be teaching identified key objectives from the national curriculum that we have identified as the foundations to all maths and English learning. Alongside this the children will participate in planned physical activities both in doors and outdoors.

Bubble 1: Miss Draycott, Mrs Tedstone (Monday/Tuesday), Mrs Baker (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)

Bubble 2: Mrs O'Connor, Mrs Gowen

Bubble 3: Miss Maloney, Mrs O'Sullivan

The staff allocated to each bubble will remain the same and they will supervise the bubble at all times during the school day including break and lunchtimes.

The classrooms will look different to how the children remember them but this is necessary to ensure that 'social distance' is adhered to. The children will be sat at Z shaped tables (see below) that are placed at a distance of 2m and they will all have their own equipment (see below) needed for the day, children will sit at the same table every day.

The pupils will stay in their bubble for break and lunch. Pupils will eat in their bubbles, in the classroom and then will go outside for the rest of their lunchtime.

Pupils will use the toilets within the year one setting and will only use them one person at a time, they will be supervised washing hands after each visit.



How do we come into school?

Arrival

Pupils will arrive between 8.45- 8.55 and will come down St Paul's road on the left-hand side, the road will be closed off to cars to ensure social distancing. The path will be a one-way system and pupils will wait on 2m distanced markers to be welcomed into school by a member of the leadership team, they will enter through the Hanger gates. The children will then be directed to the teacher responsible for their bubble. All children will be given hand sanitizer to use before entering the school building. Pupils will wash their hands once settled into their bubbles.

Pupils will take their coats into their rooms and put them on the back of their chair. They should **not** bring **book bags** with them to school

Pick up

Each bubble will have a designated pick up time. It is crucial that your child is picked up promptly. If you arrive late your child will be taken back to the classroom and you may need to wait until children in other bubbles have been collected. *Please be patient at the gate whilst we ensure children are safely sent to each parent. Initially this could be a slow process. Pick up times are as follows:*

Mrs O'Connor – 2.40 – 2.50

Miss Maloney – 2.50 – 3.00

Miss Draycott – 3.00 – 3.10

Time table of the day

Day	8.45-8.55	8.55-9.30	9.30-9.50	9.50-10.00	10.00-10.40	10.40-11.05	11.05-11.20	11.20-12.15	12.15-12.30	12.30-1.30	1.30-2.30	2.30-2.50	2.50-3.10
Monday	Pupils arrive	circle time and hand washing	Phonics	Snack time	English	Break	Reading	Maths	Handwashing	lunchtime	Topic	Outdoor play	handwash/home
Tuesday													
Wednesday													
Thursday													
Friday	School not open to year 1 pupils												

Online learning for Year 2 and those Year 1 children not returning to school

For those pupils not returning to school the on line google classroom will still be provided, this will look differently from the 15th June as work will be under year 2 and year 1 NOT under the set teacher names. Pupils will be provided with 5 English and 5 Maths a week and we encourage the children to continue to practise their reading and phonics using the online resources already on google classroom. Ms Najdudh will take responsibility for all online learning whilst the other KS1 teachers focus on the teaching of those children in school.

Cleanliness and Hygiene

The school will be cleaned thoroughly every evening and on Friday.

Each room will have a set of cleaning products that can be used for wiping indoor/outdoor equipment.

Each room has a pedal bin and tissues.

Pupils will wash their hands a minimum of 4 times a day at relevant points.

Uniform

The children will be expected to wear uniform. They will also be able to bring a labelled water bottle into school. This will remain in school and it will be washed out and replenished each day by the staff.