

## Protection measures being removed in September 2021

Year Group bubbles, social distancing and zoned areas.

Staggered breaks/lunches/end of school times – school will return to our 'typical' day structure with all year groups in each Key Stage having the same arrival/break/lunch/departure times.

10 days' isolation for close contacts of a confirmed case and adults fully vaccinated.

Wearing face coverings in school – other than staff on the gates at pick-up and drop-off.

Restrictions on school trips (except international), drama, music, sporting activities and clubs.

One-way system in school and designated toilets for year groups.

No assemblies being held - these will resume for classes, Year Groups and Phases.

## Protection measures in place in September 2021

Separate gates for EYFS, KS1, LKS2 and UKS2, **as now**, although these will **all open at 8.30am**, and close at 8.45am. Registers open at 8.50am and will close at 9.00am. Pupils will continue to be dropped off at and picked up from these gates, as has happened since March 2020. Each family group will enter/depart via the youngest sibling's gate.

Breakfast Club, via Park Avenue gate ONLY, from 8.00am, with food service ending at 8.10am. All pupils to be pre-booked and prepaid.

Parents/carers only allowed on site with an appointment, for safeguarding concerns or by invitation.

School will continue to follow Public Health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing confirmed cases. Good personal hygiene – regular hand washing/sanitising.

Good respiratory hygiene – 'catch it, bin it, kill it'.

Ventilation of occupied rooms/assemblies.

Regular cleaning regime.

Positive cases or anyone with symptoms (high temperature, new continuous cough, loss/change to smell or taste) must <u>not</u> come to school and must self-isolate. <u>Anyone in school with any symptoms</u>, will be sent home. A PCR test must be taken within 2 days. If the PCR test result is negative, the child/staff member can return to school. If the PCR test result is positive they MUST self-isolate and follow NHS Test and Trace advice.

(If any parent/carer insists on a pupil attending school, Senior Leaders can, and will, take the decision to refuse the pupil entry if, in the leader's reasonable judgement, it is necessary to protect other pupils and staff from possible infection with COVID-19.)

Close contacts will be identified by NHS Test and Trace. Close contacts **<u>DO NOT</u>** need to self-isolate and can attend school, but should take a PCR test.

School Contingency Plan for any outbreak.

Lateral Flow Device home testing by staff using these, until the end of September (awaiting further DfE guidance).

Use of staff personal protective equipment (PPE) in school for anyone with symptoms.

Remote Education to be provided to all children self-isolating having tested positive.

(FSM will be provided to any child who is eligible for benefits-related free school meals and who is learning at home during term-time due to a positive test result).

Continued focus on children's well-being.

Microsoft Teams or ZOOM (online) parents'/carers' evenings – tbc.

Isolation room for any child/adult with COVID-19 symptoms.

## **Stepping Measures up or down**

An outbreak management plan will be in place, outlining how the school will operate if there were to be a COVID-19 outbreak in the school or local area (several confirmed cases within a 14-day period).

Leaders will call the dedicated advice service who will escalate the issue to the local Health Protection Team where necessary and they will advise school leaders should there be any additional action required.