



# All Saints Primary School

## Parent Email

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Dear All,

Just a quick update those of you whose children are coming into school during this lockdown period.

In school, we will continue with reading, writing and maths in the morning with wider curriculum activities happening in the afternoon.

Only one parent needs to be a key worker to make your child eligible to come into school. However, when you are at home, your child should be at home with you if at all possible. In line with government directives, we are trying to keep movement and contact to a real minimum. Please let us know on which days your child will be in.

### Timings

Timings will remain as drop off at 8:45am and pick up at 3:20pm for KS1 and 3:30pm for KS2.

For drop off and pick up, please observe social distancing from other parents / families. It is important we all model good practice. Please could we also have just one member of the family accompanying your child to and from school.

### Breakfast Club & After School Club

Unfortunately, Afterschool Clubs will not be continuing. Only where **absolutely necessary**, Breakfast Club will be available as a paid for service. However, we will not be able to provide food / drink and the children will have to sit quietly and read or colour. Please contact Lou directly if you need to use this service.

### Hot Meals

We will continue to offer hot school meals unless it becomes unmanageable, please book them in the usual way.

### Uniform / Bags ...

Pupils will not be in school uniform, we ask that they wear clean clothes, which are suitable for physical activity each day (to reduce the chance of passing on the virus). This is to include trainers as footwear. All pupils should have a waterproof coat, jumper and boots. Pupils should not bring in a bag, toys or any other item. Reading diaries / reading books will not be required.

### Preparing Children for Return

Could I please ask you all to talk to your children about socially distancing, the need to regularly wash hands and to encourage them not to touch their faces / mouths etc. Naturally, we will be reiterating this in school.

### Socially Distancing Away from School

Your child's place at school during this time will only be kept open if you and your family are keeping to the government's expectation on socially distancing outside of school. Failure to do so will endanger the health of other pupils and families.

### Socially Distancing in School

The three bubbles in school will be kept apart from each other. They will not enter each other's classrooms or toilets, they will have discrete resources and they will have their own allotted outside areas. Within these groups, whilst taking all sensible efforts to reduce risks, we understand that socially distancing will be virtually impossible to maintain. Staff are staying within their bubbles and are wearing visors when moving through school, each staff bubble has their own area for any non-contact time. All classes will be 'fogged' with anti-bacterial cleaner at the end of each day and regular cleaning will continue.

### Any Signs and Symptoms of Coronavirus

If any child shows signs or symptoms of having coronavirus whilst at school, they will be immediately isolated with a member of staff. They will not be able to return to school until they have a clear test result. Please do not send your child in if they are showing any Covid symptoms or indeed if any of your household are showing signs.

Please do bear with us over the next few days while we 'test and adjust' our procedures and thus make school a safer place for your children.

If you wish for any further information or have any questions, please do give us a call.

Nigel Roberts  
Headteacher