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Dear Parents/Carers

**This information is subject to change if guidance is further updated.**

Please find below a precis of the latest information from the Welsh Government regarding Operational Guidance for School Settings from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021.

#### ***Essential Measures from September***

- A requirement that pupils stay at home and self-isolate if they:
  - Have symptoms of COVID-19, whether they feel unwell or not;
  - Have tested positive, even if they are asymptomatic;
  - Have been advised by NHS Wales Test, Trace, Protect to do so;
  - Are household members of a positive case.
- The school will continue to ensure there is robust hand and respiratory hygiene in learners and staff members.
- The school will ensure that appropriate ventilation measures are maintained at all times.
- The school will continue have an active engagement with the Test, Trace, Protect strategy.
- There will be a continuation of enhanced cleaning throughout the school.

From September contact groups will not play a role in our settings. This means that we will no longer need to have staggered start and finish times. Therefore, children should arrive in school at 9am and be collected at 3.15pm. Entry and exits points will remain in operation (as below):

Nursery – Flag pole at front of school

Reception – Reception classroom door (in main playground)

Year 1 – Foundation Phase Playground door

Year 2 – Year 2 door

Years 3 & 4 – Portacabin

Years 5 & 6 – Front door

#### ***Car Parking***

We are still encouraging parents/carers to walk or cycle to school, or to park at the Village Hall, however if this is impossible the school playground may be used. The gates will open at 3pm and close at 3.10pm, no cars will be able to exit the playground until all pedestrians have vacated the school site. This could be between 3.20pm to 3.30pm.





### **Face Coverings**

All visitors to the school setting **should use a face covering, including parents/carers when dropping off or picking up children.**

We will still be encouraging parents/carers not to remain on the premises or at the gates longer than necessary, especially when dropping off and collecting children.

Staff or learners who wish to wear a face covering for personal reasons anywhere in the school setting may do so.

### **Other Recommendations**

It is recommended by the Welsh Government that pupils limit the amount of equipment that they bring into school each day to essentials, such as lunchboxes, bags, hats, coats, books and stationery, however pupils can take books and other shared resources home.

It is still recommended that learners have their own equipment such as pencils and pens, which are kept in a pencil case. The school is happy to supply this equipment if needed.

### **School Uniform**

We would like all pupils, whenever possible, to return to school wearing school uniform. Red jumper or cardigan, gold poloshirt or t-shirt, grey skirt or shorts, trousers or pinafore or red gingham dress in warmer weather. Please ensure that your child's name is on each item, ideally sewn-in label. This is due to the amount of unclaimed lost property at the end of the Summer Term.

### **Early Morning Breakfast Care Club/After School Care Club**

**Please note that these facilities will recommence on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September.** We will still require bookings for these to be emailed to the school by 3pm on the Friday of the week before they are required (Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September for the first week). We also ask that all payments for After School Care Club bookings be received in advance of attendance. The costs per pupil are as below:

Early Morning Breakfast Care Club - £1 per week

After School Care Club - £3 per session

We look forward to welcoming all children and families back to school on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021.

Yours sincerely

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