



22<sup>nd</sup> June 2020

Dear Parent / Carer

### **Year 5 children returning to school – Wednesday 1st July 2020**

As you are aware from previous letters we have already welcomed the early years, year 1 and year 6 children back to school. Following the success of this phased return we are now able to welcome our year 5 children back to school from Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July.

Our priority is, and will always be, the safety of the children, staff and families and I would ask that you read and follow this guidance carefully.

In order to keep contact to an absolute minimum the children have been allocated to a “bubble”. Each bubble will have its own access route, drop off and pick up times.

Your child will be in **Bubble 12**, which is for the year 5 children who will be taught in Rowan class next year.

The relevant details for this group are:

Group Leader: Mrs Sutherland

Classroom: The Hub

Site access: Via The Park Gate and in through The Studio patio doors

Start time: 8:50am (prompt)

End time: 2:20pm

To help us control and limit the number of adults on site, we will be allowing our year 5 children to arrive and leave school as disclaimers as long as they continue to follow social distancing rules and do not mix with children from other bubbles in order to prevent social mixing. It is also important that start and end times are adhered to so that we can keep all members of our school community safe.

If parents choose to accompany their child to and from school, only one adult should bring and collect from school and they should be part of the same social bubble which may include a single grandparent. However, when parents are separate and have joint care either parent can accompany the child to school.

Lunches will be cooked as usual and the summer menu can be found on the school website. We will be offering a reduced choice and a cold pudding. If your child brings a packed lunch, please send it in a labelled, clean plastic bag which we will bin afterwards.

Children should wear school uniform if it still fits otherwise appropriate, clean clothes should be worn each day. It is also important that we limit the number of items being brought in to the school environment so we request that children only bring a named water bottle, a coat and a sun hat with them and have sun cream applied before school.

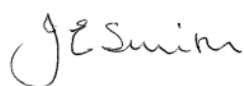
Please ensure that we have your up to date contact details so that we can get hold of you in an emergency.

Please be mindful of the symptoms of COVID 19 and if you have any of these please do not come to school and isolate your household for 14 days:

- High temperature
- New, dry, consistent cough
- Lack of taste and or smell

Many thanks for your support during these challenging times for us all.

Kind regards



Jenny Smith

Headteacher: Mrs J E Smith BSc PGCE

