

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Following my previous letter to you regarding the return to school for children on 2^{nd} June, I would like to send some photos of what the two Bubbles are going to look like.

Upper School Bubble

Children in Years 3,4,5 and 6 will be based in this classroom (Class 4). Children will be seated at desks with some separation between them and they will be encouraged to remain at their desks whilst they are in the classroom. If children need to move around the classroom, there are clear walkways for them to move around in. Under each child's desk will be a tray with their pencil pot and books. The children in this Bubble will keep their packed lunches and their coats on pegs outside the classroom. Children in the Upper School Bubble will need to bring their snack as usual.





Lower School Bubble







Children in Preschool, Reception Year 1 and Year 2 will be based in this classroom (Class 2). Children will be encouraged to keep a distance between them and will spend a lot of time learning outside. Children in the Preschool and Reception will have access to lots of tough trays with different small world activities set up. Any shared toys or resources will be washed between use. The children will also have access to a range of craft activities. Children in Y1 and Y2 will spend some time completing the home learning activities, including the phonics videos they have already started using. Children in this class will have allocated desks and carpet spaces. Children in the Lower School Bubble will have a snack provided as usual. Children in Reception and Preschool will also be given their free milk as usual.

Please share these photos with your children so they can have an idea of what the classrooms will look like.

Mr Wallis has sprayed 2m markers on to the path up to school, please use these to queue up when dropping and collecting children from school. There will also be 2m markers along the fence.

Children, or any members of children's families, who display symptoms of Coronavirus should not come to school at all and should isolate for 14 days. Anyone over 5 is also now eligible for Covid-19 tests if they are displaying symptoms.

Children both attending school and those staying at home, will be completing the Home Learning tasks which we will continue to set on Monday's. To ensure the children at home and at school stay in line with their learning, we will have an Upper School Bubble topic and a Lower School Bubble topic. Please look out for this Half Term's Bubble Newsletters which will be sent home next week.

Children who are attending school will need to wear their full school uniform. If children can no longer fit into any elements of their uniform - please contact us as we have some second hand uniform which we will be selling for 50p. All proceeds will go to the PTFA. Children can wear trainers or other comfortable shoes if their school shoes are now too small. We do not allow children to wear sandals or open toe shoes to school for health and safety reasons.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

All the best, Miss Ratcliffe

