

Coleshill C of E Primary School

Inspiring our children to flourish and enjoy 'Life in all its fullness' (John 10:10)

HANDS, FACE, SPACE CAMPAIGN

A new public information campaign has been launched ahead of winter to highlight how everyone can help to stop the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19).

"Yesterday the Prime Minister launched the <u>'Hands, Face, Space' campaign</u> urging the public to continue to wash their hands, cover their face and make space to control infection rates and avoid a second peak. Consistent adoption of these behaviours is particularly important in places outside of educational settings" *extract from DfE guidance;* 10.09.20

As a result of this change in guidance, all adults dropping off or collecting children via our queuing system are requested to wear a face covering.

****DEVELOPMENT**** School Timings

We have been working very hard to develop a sustainable system which enables our pupils/parents to enter the site quickly, retains a one-way flow and supports road safety. Our queuing systems are now able to cope with larger numbers of people coming during the morning.

Therefore we are delighted to be able to reduce the staggering at drop-off. From Monday we will introduce a 'soft start' for all children in Reception to Y6. This means a 15 minute window where those children can all enter the school.

Timings as below;

Year Group	Arrive	Collect	
Nursery	9:00– 9:10am	2:55pm	
Reception	8:45 – 9:00am 'Soft Start'	3:10pm	
KS1 (Year 1 & 2)	8:45 – 9:00am 'Soft Start'	3:10pm	
KS2 (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6)	8:45 – 9:00am 'Soft Start'	3:20pm	

Please Note:

This system will only work if we all don't arrive at the same time!

If we find that everyone arrives at 8:45am and causes a road safety issue we will be forced to return to staggered starts.

The success of the system relies on parents arriving between these times not at the 8:45am gate opening.

There will be No Access to the site before 8:45am



Special Mentions

Please look out for our new 'Special Mention' awards which at the moment are focussing on our School Values.

This week children have been trying to show high levels of self-control as we all get to grips with our new rules and routines.

Class teachers have selected two children from each class who have excelled this week and been wonderful role models for Self-Control.



Class			Class		
1JO	Henry	Megan	4L	Kord	Emily
1W	Henri	Briar	4M	Рорру	Alfie
2J-	Harrison	Theo A	5C	Andrew	Jesse
2R-	Austin	Joshua	5F	Ethan	Faith
3M	Leo F-B	Freya-Grace	6B	Connor	Jayden
3P	Mollie	Ella W	6J	Maddison	Freddie



Road Safety

With more of our children independently leaving the school site, all children have had a Road Safety session over the last two days to help them think about keeping themselves safe.

We have also booked further sessions with Warwickshire County Council which will be delivered in the coming weeks.

Should I stay Home?

It seems everyday on the news we have some new information to think about regarding COVID-19 and often it appears to contradict yesterday's news!

As of today, these are now the only symptoms which should prompt keeping a child at home or for us to send them home:

- High temperature
- cough
- and/or loss of taste / smell.

Children with 'cold like' symptoms only (e.g. runny nose), without the above, can come to school and do not need testing.

IMPORTANT PE Kits

Following the lead of the secondary school, we are asking pupils to **attend school in their PE kits** on the days that they have PE. Please dress your children in school PE kit **and their green school jumper** on these days.

All PE will be outdoors and playground based until further notice.

PE kits are: plain white T-shirt; plain black shorts and trainers. As the Autumn term gets cooler the school PE kit also includes plain black jogging bottoms and plain black tracksuit top.

PE DAYS

Year 1—WEDNESDAY Year 2—THURSDAY Year 3—FRIDAY Year 4—FRIDAY Year 5—THURSDAY Year 6—WEDNESDAY

Crossing Patrol

Warwickshire County Council is currently risk assessing each member of their road crossing patrol team. Until further notice, George will not be able to sup-