



**Wednesday 2nd September 2020**

**Full School Opening**

Dear parents,

We hope that everyone has enjoyed the summer break and that all our families are keeping safe and well.

It will be very exciting to welcome all our children back on Wednesday 2nd September and we are really looking forward to seeing them all again.

The beginning of term will be devoted entirely to the welfare, both physical and mental, of all our children. Teachers will be helping the children to adjust to school, allaying their fears, making sure they understand the new routines and restrictions and the reasons for these and discussing any questions or concerns the children may have.

We are subject to all government and Local Authority Health and safety guidance and we need our whole community to support these procedures to enable school to open safely. Please could we ask everyone to :

- Familiarise yourself with the staggered start and finish times and the one way system around school.

**Staggered start and finishing times. (please click to open)**

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- Ensure your child does not attend school if they are feeling unwell.
- Socially distance from other children/adults during drop off and pick up times.
- Remember that parents can only enter the school building by pre arranged appointment. Please contact the school office (01388 816351) with any queries.

We understand that some parents will have children in different classes who require dropping off/collecting at different times. We appreciate that this is an inconvenience but hope that everyone understands that it is a serious situation and health and safety is paramount. If possible we would really appreciate it if parents can manage to adhere to the stipulated drop off and pick up times. If you have work commitments or other reasons that makes the staggered start/finish unmanageable for your family, we will try to sort out each situation on an individual basis. We are open for staff training on Tuesday 1st September, so please contact the school office regarding any problems you have and we will do our best to resolve things.

**School lunches** continue to be free for Reception and KS1 children thanks to the government scheme. KS2 children will need to pay £10.50 /week unless entitled to free school meals. Children will be eating school dinners and packed lunches in their classroom to start with (apart from Reception) and will be able to choose their choice of hot meal from the menu each day.

Mrs Stamp will be in the school office on Tuesday 1st September as all staff are in school for training. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you need to .

Take care,

Mrs H Wilson.