



St Peter's
Church of England (Aided) Primary School
Henfield

NEWSFLASH!

Friday 5th March

Dear Parent/Carers

On a Friday we usually celebrate all the great work and achievements our pupils have made, but today I wanted to take the opportunity to thank you and congratulate all of your efforts in supporting your child/children with their home learning over the last 8 weeks. Even if you are a little apprehensive about them coming back to school I am sure that you are relieved that they will be back with their friends and teachers. We certainly cannot wait to have them all back in school!

All the children who have been attending school during this lockdown period went home at 12:30 today to allow our staff to set the school up for Monday. Therefore school is currently a hive of activity as all the furniture and resources are being put back into place!

I don't know how many of you use the ZOE Covid app to record your daily symptoms. This morning it showed that The estimated cases in the area I live is the lowest it has been over the last 3 months and is down 117 cases since last week. This is such good news but we do still need to be vigilant to enable us to resume 'normal' life. So please remember to adhere to the social distancing guidelines and government guidance at pick-up and drop-off times.

Have a lovely weekend and don't forget to celebrate your home schooling achievements!

Mrs Maurice

Drop-off and pick-up times from 8th March

Drop-off: All children will enter via the main gates at the following times:

- 8:45 Years 5 and 6
- 8:50 Years 1 and 2
- 8:55 Years 3 and 4
- 9:00 Reception

All siblings should come at the earliest time to avoid any children missing out on learning time.

You can line up in the Kings Field direction or towards Fabians Way, depending on what direction you are arriving from.

Families should keep a 2m distance whilst queuing.

Pick-up: All children will be collected from the main gate at the following times:

- 2:50 Reception
- 2:55 Year 1
- 3:00 Year 2
- 3:05 Year 3
- 3:10 Year 4
- 3:15 Year 5 and 6

At the allocated pick-up time, adults collecting that year group will be invited in through the main gate to stand socially distanced on the area behind the stage. Only one adult per child will be allowed into the playground and face masks must be worn. Please exit via the Y2 gate.

What do children need to bring back to school on Monday?

1. Pencil case
2. Packed lunch (if needed and not having hot school lunches)
3. All school books
4. Any school laptops or tablets (including the charger!)
5. PE Kit – Reception and Y1 only

PE kits

Children in years 2 to 6 need to wear their PE kits to school on their PE days. It is fine for them to layer up, e.g. wear skins under shorts. PE days are:

Year 2: Monday & Wednesday

Year 3: Monday & Friday

Year 4: Tuesday & Wednesday

Year 5: Monday & Thursday

Year 6: Tuesday & Friday

Homework

There will be no homework set next week.

Parents Evening

You may think it strange us having parents evening next week, but it will be a good opportunity to discuss your child's return to school and any concerns that you may have.

Diary Dates

Monday 8th March: School re-opens to all pupils

Tuesday 9th March: 4:00 – 7:00pm Virtual Parent consultations

Thursday 11th March: 3:30 – 6:30pm Virtual Parent consultations

Friday 12th March: INSET Day

Friday 19th March: Comic Relief Day