

Dear Parent/Carers

As mentioned in my previous letter school will be welcoming our Reception pupils back to school on Monday 8th June.

We have provisionally prepared three of our classrooms for our Reception pupils. All the rooms have been prepared to comply with the most recent guidelines, along with advice from the Trust.

The rooms do look very different to what our Reception children are used to so we have made the decision to **initially** only have this cohort back on **a part-time basis**. We would like our Reception children to be in school **each afternoon**, from **12.45pm until 3.00pm**, depending on drop-off/pick up time.

As mentioned previously your child will be in a bubble (class base) with a familiar adult. Please note there is no guarantee that your child will be in bubble with Mr Cohen but be reassured they will be with a familiar adult.

Each bubble will have a different start and finish time to enable all children to enter the school safely. If you miss your allocated time, you will need to wait until all groups are in before bringing your child to school.

At the main school gate, your child will be met by a member of staff and directed to the entry point they must use to enter school.

As mentioned previously we are currently not allowing any parents onto the school grounds. This new approach began on Monday 1st June and will affect all parents.

Additional information you need to know:

- Children will not be required to wear their uniform. They will need to be wearing a clean set of clothes each day
- All children will be required to bring their own water bottle
- We will not be able to offer breakfast club or our wrap around after-school care
- Within each bubble every child will be given a set place to sit and they will only use the equipment supplied by the school
- Children will be required to stay in their place apart from when they need the toilet
- Staff will be issued with PPE and will wear this if they choose to
- Children will be required to wash their hands frequently while in school

In order for us to be fully prepared for the number of Reception pupils that will be returning on Monday 8th June please complete the parent survey by 3.00pm on Thursday 4th June. The link is below

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Once we have confirmation of numbers we will contact you with your child's drop off and pick up time.

If you have any questions you can contact us via our website or give us a call.

Stay safe and positive.

Mrs Smith Head of School

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