

## **Home School Agreement**

## for school during the Covid-19 pandemic

The school will:

- Remind staff to comply with social distancing guidance inside and outside of school.
- Stay alert for any children or staff displaying symptoms of the virus and send them home.
- Isolate any pupil or member of staff who is displaying symptoms.
- Notify parents immediately of any outbreaks in school.
- Organise pupils and staff into working 'bubbles' of no more than 15, but hopefully less.
- Ensure tables and work areas in 'bubble' areas are as socially spaced as possible
- Remind staff and children to come to school in clean clothing.
- Stagger arrival and collection times and points to enable pupils and adults to socially distance.
- Organise the premises and pupil movement in a way that reduces contact with other pupils, e.g. having designated 'bubble' areas, toilets and playgrounds.
- Zone outdoor areas to restrict contact between the different 'bubbles'.
- Provide pupils with their own personal equipment/ small group equipment for use only by them.
- Provide cleaning equipment for teachers' and teaching assistants' to use in all 'bubble' areas.
- Follow cleaning routines to keep the premises clean throughout the day.
- Provide soap and sanitiser for use by children throughout the school.
- Teach and reinforce safe hand hygiene and respiratory hygiene at all times.
- Ensure shared resources and toys are cleaned at least once a day.
- Regularly review risk assessments, taking account the changing situation relating to the coronavirus and subsequent emerging government guidance
- Inform parents of any new changes in guidance for schools.
- Ensure learning focuses on pupils' health and well-being, English and maths.
- Discuss the school's expectations (the 'children will', section) with the children.
- Do our best to make sure activities are fun and active whilst complying with social distancing (where possible).



## Parents will:

- Comply with government guidance on social distancing for themselves and their children outside of school in order to minimise the risk to the health and wellbeing of other children and staff.
- Not bring their child into school if they have any coronavirus symptoms, or are unwell in any way.
- Inform the school in advance if they are not bringing their child to school.
- Ensure the school has up-to-date emergency contact numbers for their child
- Make contact with the school by using either the school email or phone and not expect face-to-face meetings.
- Arrive to drop off and collect their children from school at the times allocated to them.
- Leave the grounds promptly, not stopping to talk to other parents.
- Ensure their child only brings a packed lunch (with items they can independently open), water bottle and hat into school.
- Ensure their child comes to school in clean uniform.
- Practise hand hygiene rules at home.
- Discuss the school's expectations (the *'children will'*, section) with children before they come to school.

Please note, our safeguarding requirements state that if it comes to the school's attention that social distancing requirements are not being followed outside of school, your child may not be able to attend for 14 days.

## Children will:

- Stay two metres (3 big steps) away from other children as much as possible.
- Try not to touch other people or other people's things.
- Try to be kind and thoughtful towards all other children and adults
- Only bring their packed lunch and water bottle to school.
- Wash their hands when they arrive at school, before and after they eat, after they have been to the toilet and whenever the adult asks them to.
- Wash their hands carefully with soap for 20 seconds.
- Cough or sneeze into their arm or a tissue.
- Only play with the toys they are told they can.
- Only use their own equipment for their table and learning area.
- Stay where the teacher asks them to, in the school building, playground or field.