



GODSTONE PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Arrangements for September 2021

Following the relaxation of some COVID-19 protocols and updated guidance from the DFE, please find a guide to the new measures that we have put in place. Please remember that all guidance is changeable and dependant on government directives.

Start and Finish Times

We will be resuming our usual pick up and drop off timings at the start and end of each day. Please find listed below a timetable for each class:

	Drop off time	Pick up time	Location
Nursery	8.45am	2.45 pm*	Nursery front door
Reception	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.00 pm	Reception side gate
Year 1	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.10 pm	Reception side gate
Year 2	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.15 pm	Main gate
Year 3	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.20 pm	Main gate
Year 4	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.20 pm	Main gate
Year 5	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.20 pm	Main gate
Year 6	8.40 am – 8.50 am	3.20 pm	Main gate

*Any late pick-ups will be charged at our normal rate.

Protective Measures

It is important to note we all have differing levels of anxiety around COVID-19 and therefore we must be respectful of each person's feelings on the matter. From Thursday 2nd September, the children will no longer be placed in year group bubbles and will be allowed to eat lunch in the hall, play across the whole of the school grounds and mingle with others throughout the day. Whole school assemblies and events will resume as well.

Adults are no longer required to wear face coverings on the school site, although they may choose to if they wish. All classrooms will continue to be well ventilated and the children will be encouraged to wash their hands regularly. The staff will continue to regularly clean the school to reduce the risk of any possible spread of infection.



Inspirational Learning for Life



School Uniform and PE kits

Each and every child must wear their school uniform every day. Some children may have an alternate school uniform arrangement which has been discussed and approved by the school's leadership team. Every other child is expected to wear their uniform as usual. PE kits will be kept in school and children will get changed in and out of their PE kit for lessons during the school day.

What to do if you have a positive case of Coronavirus

In the event that a child tests positive for COVID-19, the child and their household must self-isolate for 10 days. The contact tracing will cease from September and all children, under 18 years of age, will no longer be required to self-isolate as a close contact. However, close contacts may be required to have regular tests.

Remote education will be provided for all children who need to isolate due to a positive COVID-19 test. Children will only be required to complete the learning if they feel healthy enough to do so.

Godstone Primary and Nursery School reserve the right to refuse access to children or adults who we feel may have COVID-19 symptoms.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'N. J. Usher', written in a cursive style.

Mr Nick Usher

Acting Headteacher