### Getting ready to come back to school on Monday June 15th 2020

School is going to be open for all Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 pupils from 15<sup>th</sup> June

We will continue to support the children of Key Workers

# School will be different because so many of us have been staying at home safe from the coronavius.

#### WHAT IS THE CORONAVIRUS?



The coronavirus is a kind of virus.

Viruses are tiny germs that are so small that you can't see them.

They are so light that they can float through the air in tiny drops of water, and they can sit on your skin without you feeling them. If some of these germs get inside you, they can use your body to make more germs, and that can make you ill.

We have had to make some changes to stop the virus from spreading in school

It's easy to get the coronavirus germs from inside your body on your hands when you touch your nose or your mouth.

If the person with the coronavirus germs on their hands uses a door, the invisible germs can live on the handle for hours. When someone else opens the door, they get the germs on their hands too.

And if they touch their nose or mouth, the germs can get into their body.





So you can also catch the coronavirus by touching things that someone with the virus has already touched. We have shared these changes with your parents in a separate letter.

This PowerPoint is just for you.

### School times will be different when we reopen

Group	Drop-off Time
Key Worker children	8:30am
Year 6 and siblings	8:45am
Year 1 and siblings	9:00am
Reception and siblings	9:15am

### **Key Worker Children**

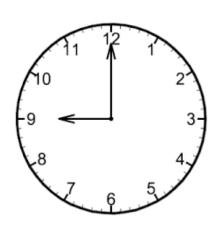
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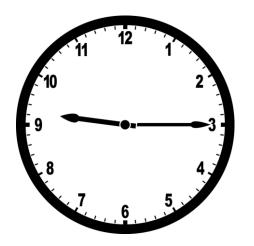
Year 1

Reception









### School times will be different when we reopen

Group	Pick-up Time
Reception and siblings	2:30pm
Year 1 and siblings	2:45pm
Year 6 and siblings	3:00pm
Remaining key worker children	3:15pm

### **Key Worker Children**

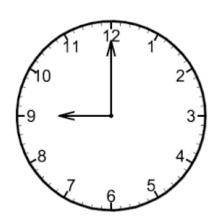
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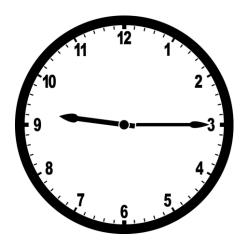
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Reception









### School will be a little different when we reopen Coming into school





Please come in from St Michaels Road. A staff member will be here to meet you & take you to your classroom

Parents will then exit through Piers Road

### School will be a little different when we reopen Please do not bring the usual equipment

You may wear your PE kit or your school uniform but please do not bring your PE kit if you are not wearing it.



















#### Washing our hands

We must wash our hands as soon as we come into school and throughout the day. There will be hand sanitiser to use as well.



Did you know that viruses are killed by soap? So if you wash your hands really carefully and for long enough, you won't have any coronavirus germs on your hands. You can sing a song while you wash your hands to make sure you are washing them for long enough - long enough to sing Happy Birthday twice!

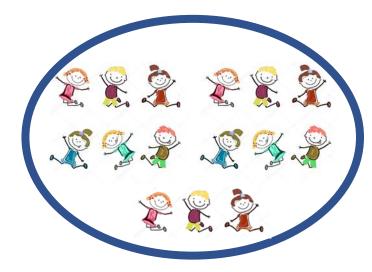


#### New groups

You will be placed into a small group with a teacher. This will create a sort of 'bubble' and you will stay in this group all day.







### School will be a little different when we reopen your classrooms



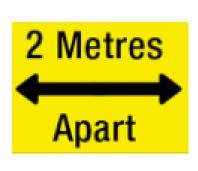


Our classrooms are ready for you.

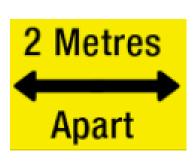
They have been cleaned and we have spread the desks out to keep you safe.

### Please stay at your own table & keep it clean and tidy.





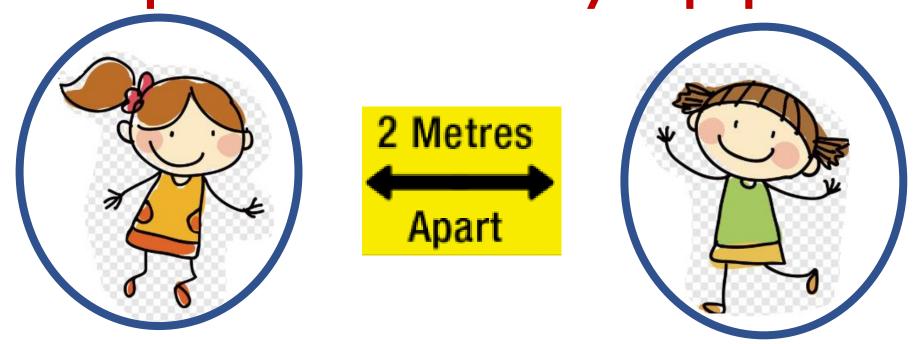






#### **Playtime**

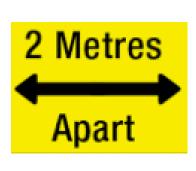
You will have playtime in your group at different times in the playground. You will stay 2m apart & not use any equipment.



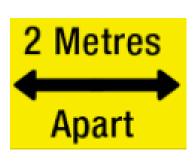
#### Lunchtime

## You will have lunch in the classroom. You can choose a school lunch or bring a packed lunch from home.









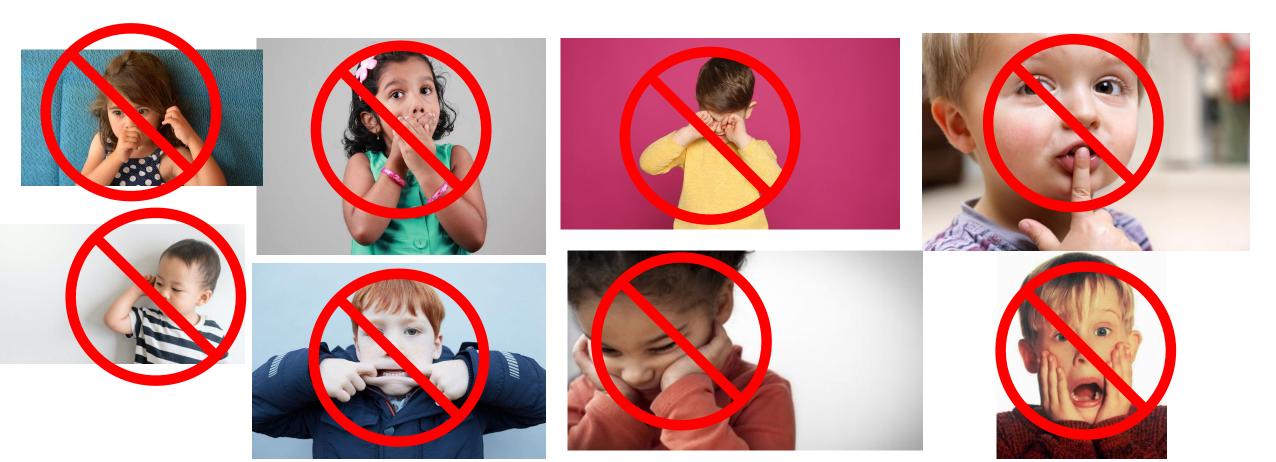


### **Equipment**

You will now have your very own tray with your own resources to use. They are just for you so please do not share these with anyone.



### We are going to try not to touch our faces & keep washing our hands.





If you have to cough or sneeze, do it into the inside corner of your elbow, not on to your hand. Then you can't give the coronavirus to other people that way.



If you have to wipe or blow your nose, use a tissue and put it in the bin straight away. Remember to wash your hands too, because the coronavirus lives in your snot and it can get on to your hands from the tissue.



If everyone does these things, it will make a big difference!

#### There will be new routines

We will be keeping 2m apart from one another. There will be some signs on the floor to help you with this.





### Going to the toilet

There will only be 1 child in the toilet at a time. Please wash your hands afterwards.







# Please try to not touch anything that does not need to be touched like door handles & light switches. Keyboards/iPads will not be shared.



Understanding that things can't be rosy all the time. But if we use our virtues of courage and resilience, we will get through the harder times.

What can help us cope with these changes?

Remembering positive past experiences.

Perhaps you can remember changing schools or teachers etc. before. It may have been scary to start with, but it all turned out okay.

Preparation. You may be more worried or nervous because you are unsure of what will happen. We hope this information will help you to prepare yourself. This may help you feel calmer.

Getting support from our teachers or parents and carers. It might help us feel better. We will be here for you when you return

Talking to our friends. Friends may be having the same worries. They can help you to relax.



Some helpful reminders will be posted around the school



# We look forward to welcoming you back soon!