

nishkamprimaryschool

wolverhampton



Friday 26th February 2021

Pupil Return to School

Dear Parents/Carers,

First and foremost, I hope you are all well and looking forward to Monday 8th March when we can welcome back our wonderful pupils, we have missed them all.

As I am sure you are all aware, the Government has announced that schools will fully reopen on Monday 8th March. They have advised that attendance at school will be mandatory for all pupils; if you have any concerns or hesitation, please contact the Class Teacher via dojo or organise a telephone meeting with them or a member of Senior Leadership to further discuss any issues.

In order to fully prepare for the reopening, teachers will not be available for remote learning on Friday 5^{th} March with no online registration taking place. Work will be set on Thursday the 4^{th} for the following next two days. Please note that teachers will not respond to messages on Dojo during that period.

As a school we have taken the strictest hygiene measures and COVID distancing precautions possible, throughout the pandemic. Let me reassure you that this remains the case and, in some areas, we have tightened our restrictions even further, for example, many of our staff members are now wearing masks in communal spaces around the school.

We are not expecting to make any large changes to how children enter and exit the school but please be patient as we finalise our procedures. Another letter with final details of re-opening will come to you early next week.

In the meantime, you can start to get ready for return by ensuring uniform is prepared and begin to make lunch payments via ParentPay. Please note uniform may now be summer uniform:

- Girls may wear a red gingham dress with white tights or white socks. No leggings please
- Boys may wear their school shirt and tie with grey shorts and grey socks
- PE Kit will be on set days and should again be completely plain or carrying the school logo.
- Blazers to be worn where possible with school jumpers
- Footwear must be completely black and unbranded, boots are not permitted.

Wraparound Provision

A wraparound service may be offered to parents who may require this service due to work and/or study. As we come out of this lockdown, precautions will still need to be taken to keep bubbles separate, keeping this in mind and taking the government guidance into consideration, wraparound care may only be made available to those who really need it, depending on the level of uptake. Alongside this Achieving Goalz and Dreams Ltd who will be our provider will have a minimum set limit, if this limit (number of attendees) is not met, they may be unable to run this club.

If you do require a wraparound service for your child, please complete our online form by clicking on the link below:

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We do appreciate the transition from lockdown will take time and that is why we are giving parents until Friday 5th March to respond. This will give parents enough time to liaise with their place of work/study to help establish their childcare needs. The school can then use w/c 8th March 2021 to review the demand and work with the provider to ensure the best possible service can be offered.

Please note the charges and T&C's to providing this service is:

- Breakfast Club from 7.45am at £4.00, last entry is 8.25am
- Afterschool Club from 3.30pm at £4.00 per hour*
- *Due to the staggered finish times of children we are charging for afterschool services at an hourly rate.

Terms of this service:

- Your booking of days/times will be required in advance.
- Payment of your booking will be required in advance.
- All Payments will be non-refundable, therefore cancellations will still be charged.
- An Administration fee of £2.00 will be charged if you have failed to book prior to the day.
- Entry/Exit will be from the school hall, via Cherry Street.
- For Breakfast club the last entry will be 8.25am.
- For Afterschool club, lateness will be unacceptable which could lead to late charges.
- This service offer is subject to minimum numbers, where possible 2 weeks' notice will be given to notify parents of any cancellations.

If you have any queries relating to afterschool clubs, please email enquiries.npsw@nishkamschools.org. We will be sending further communication concerning school re-opening.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Gomersall
Deputy Headteacher

