

# COOMB BRIGGS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

I would like to start by thanking you for your patience and understanding whilst we all get to grips with new routines in school. Although we were open and had children in right through from March to the summer holidays, having all the children back has been a new challenge to face with all the regulations we have to make sure are in place.

After discussions with staff over the last few days we would like to change the drop off and pick up times slightly to allow us to get back to a more 'normal' school day. From Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September ALL children should arrive at school between 8.45am and 9.05am. They will continue to go straight into their classes. Please remember to social distance at the gates, any messages if quick can be given as you drop your child/ren off. For any longer messages please contact the office. If you wish to speak with your child's class teacher again, please contact the office and they will call you back as soon as they can.

In the afternoon, any children who have brothers or sisters in school will leave at 3.00 p.m. KS1 (Years R, 1 & 2) will leave at 3.10 p.m. and KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6) will leave at 3.20 p.m. Please do not be early for your time and again, please remember to social distance at the gate. If these times cause any problems at all please do not hesitate to contact the school. Just a reminder too that we will not tolerate rude or bad language towards any of our staff, whether that is face to face or over social media. We are all trying to do our best at the minute during the ever changing guidelines that we are given.

I would also like to confirm P.E. days for all classes. I know there has been some confusion over this and for that I apologise. We have had to alter how we use our sports coaches and block the lessons into longer times therefore, class teachers will also be taking some P.E. lessons. Days for P.E. are as follows:

EYFS: Tuesday

Year 1: Wednesday

Year 2: Wednesday

Year 3: Tuesday

Year 4: Thursday

Year 5: Friday

Year 6: Wednesday



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Please can you send your child in P.E. kit on their P.E. days.

Can you please name all items.

We have had a few questions regarding handwashing and the temperature of the water in school. Guidance we have been given is that the temperature of the water doesn't matter, the important thing is the soap that kills germs. Obviously our hot water is set to a temperature that will not scald children therefore it maybe isn't as hot as your water at home however, the children always use soap and are supervised washing their hands to ensure they are done properly.

During lockdown we started using Class Dojo to set work online for the children. We will be continuing to use this to set homework and for class teachers to contact parents/carers with any messages. If this causes any problems or you do not have access to it please just let us know and we can make alternative arrangements for you.

Finally, please remember to send your child with a jumper and coat. We are trying to ensure they get outside as much as possible at breaks and the weather is becoming a little cooler. Also, please remember to send a water bottle as we are unable to use our water fountains at the minute.

I know that there is a lot of information however, we doing our best to ensure that we keeping everyone safe whilst minimising lost learning time.

If you have any questions at all please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards

Helen Redmond

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