

Information for Our Children - Return to School

We are really looking forward to seeing you back at school. It may feel a little different, as we will be missing some of our children and will be working in much smaller groups. So we thought it would be useful to give you a little information so that you know what to expect. There is also a video which you will be able to watch on our website.

- You will need to wear your school uniform but not your tie and you may wear trainers or pumps instead of school shoes. You will not need a school bag, just a water bottle and a healthy snack! Please don't bring anything else to school with you.
- In the morning, you will come into the Infant playground and stand on a red footprint with your parent. Your parent will remind you to keep a safe distance from your friends - but you can wave and smile!
- Mrs Culshaw will come to the playground to welcome you. On the way in she will ask you to use some hand sanitiser to clean your hands so that we have Healthy Hands (clean) and not Horrid Hands full of microbes (germs).
- In your classroom, will be your learning bubble. There will be 11 friends from your class to learn alongside. There will also be Mrs Culshaw and Miss Commerford who are looking forward to teaching you!
- Inside your classroom you will have a special table. This table belongs to you and no one else. It is your special place at which you can complete your activities. Your table will have all the equipment you need such as pencils and crayons in your tray. We will not be sharing these.
- When you go into your classroom you will need to put your water bottle and snack on your table and coat (if you have one) on your chair.
- Once you have put your things on your table you will then need to wash your hands in the sink in your classroom - remember to do it for 20 seconds and to wash all the different parts of your hand. Can you remember the song?

- Your tray on the table will also have tissues! These are for catching sneezes, coughs and things that run out of your nose! Germs can come out of our noses and mouths so we have to *CATCH* them in our tissues and then put the tissue in the bin.
- This is a special bin with a lid on it - you just press the pedal with your foot to open it.
- When you`ve used a tissue and put it in the bin you will need to wash your hands - remember we want *Healthy Hands* not *Horrid Hands*!
- Washing our hands all the time will become part of our routine - *Chasing those germs away throughout the day!!* The teachers will be helping you to wash your hands well especially after using the toilet!
- We will all try our hardest not to touch our faces.
- Hopefully the weather will be lovely when we return so that we can go outside to learn and play! When we are outside we may see other children playing in their own `Learning Bubble` they too will have two teachers. We can wave and smile and shout hello, but we must stay with our own bubble
- Each bubble will have their own space outside to play. All your games will be fun but they will not involve touching, hugging or being too close!
- At lunchtime your bubble, including your two teachers, will have lunch together in your classroom or outside maybe on the field. We will be sitting a little further apart than usual, but we will be able to chat, smile and wave!
- At the end of the day, one of your teachers will take you to your parents, who will be waiting for! Remember to keep your distance here too!

We are looking forward to seeing you on Wednesday!