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Covid-19 Update

Dear parents/carers,

Thank you for supporting the measures we have put in place to help keep our school community as safe as possible during the coronavirus pandemic. We continue to regularly review how well things are going to ensure that we get the balance right between good safety/hygiene and effective teaching/learning. After our first week back at school...

- Outside sinks and soap have now been placed in each playground. During the day, these will help to ensure that pupils return to classrooms with clean hands and also help us in reducing the time it takes pupils to wash their hands (in order that we don't lose precious learning time).
- Where social distancing of 2m is difficult, staff have been advised to wear face coverings (when working with/near pupils and when they are in communal areas or when speaking with other adults).
- Pupils from Y2 to Y6 will continue to be encouraged to wear visors when speaking/working with or near pupils and staff in the classroom.
- We ask that all adults coming on site wear a face covering.
- Please avoiding hugging, shaking hands or any physical contact between you and anyone from another household (particularly in front of your child, so they are clear about the expectations and rules). Maintain social distancing from other parents/adults in the playground (particularly in light of the current high infection rate in Bolton).
- As part of following the one-way system around school (in through the top gate and out through the bottom), please avoid overtaking, particularly if this involves being close to someone else from a different household – be patient.
- Where possible, use Class Dojo to communicate with your child's teacher, and either phone or email if you need to contact the school office. Please keep face-to face visits to the school office to a minimum. Any completed slips, dinner money, etc can either be given to your child or placed in the sealed box in the school entrance. Please use the hand sanitiser (on the wall) if you have to enter the school building.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation with our safety measures.

Stay safe.

Mr Watson
Headteacher