



11<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Dear parents/carers,

Following the government's announcement last night allowing further easing of restrictions, we feel now is the right time to return to our official school starting times in the morning. We will continue to **open the gate from 8.30 am but we will close the gate at 8.50am promptly**. This means that any child arriving after 8.50am will be marked as late. This allows us more teaching time as we continue to plan for our catch up of learning time lost to the pandemic.

At the end of the day we will continue to open the gates for **pick up at 3pm- 3.15pm**. This will allow for social distancing to continue. Year 6 pupils will leave at 3.15pm. Hopefully in the very near future we will be able to return to our official end time of 3.15pm for all pupils.

**Nursery children** attending school in a morning will now be dropped off via the school playground entrance and picked up on Heneage Road at lunchtime. Children attending nursery in the afternoon will continue to be dropped off in Heneage Road but will be collected at the end of the day at the playground entrance.

All adults will still be required to wear a face covering on the school site. Only one adult to pick up per family please.

These new arrangements will begin on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021. Thank you for your continued support to keep everybody safe.

Kind regards,

D.Turrell.