

# **Park View Community School**

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# Friday Flyer

## Friday 25th September

#### Reminders

We ask parents/carers to be safe and considerate when parking on the streets near school. The residential streets are narrow and we urge parents to park within legal guidelines and consider the congestion caused by waiting for long periods in cars.

If you live close by and do not have to rush off to work after dropping your child at school please consider walking to and from school. Walking is a great form of exercise. For younger children it helps to develop their motor skills and of course it is much better for the environment! We want our children to breathe clean air.

Just a reminder that you can now pay for dinner money, milk and uniform over the phone.

Please call the school office between 8.30am - 4.00pm and we can take payment from you.

#### **Autumn Term Diary Dates**

21<sup>st</sup> September - Nursery start full time Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - School closes for half term Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> November -School Reopens for Autumn 2

### Covid Symptoms

The cold and flu season is upon us and we understand that you may be concerned about your child if he/she develops a cough or a runny nose. The NHS have recently issued guidance that says if your child has a runny nose or is sneezing, these are not symptoms of COVID and therefore there is no need to get a test. If your child develops a fever or a new continuous cough or experiences loss of taste or smell, then do not send your child to school and book a test.

#### Social Distancing

To keep our children, staff and community safe, we ask that you please abide by the government guidelines.

HANDS FACE SPACE

Parents and carers can help by doing the following:

**HANDS** - Encourage regular hand washing and sanitising at home and by using the hand sanitiser near the office when entering the school building.

**FACE** - Parents/carers to wear a face mask each time they enter the school building. **SPACE** - Observing social distancing measures (2m apart) when waiting for the class to open and when waiting to enter school.

# We must keep on protecting each other.



#### Communication with staff

We know that not being able to see staff face to face is challenging for parents/carers in a primary school but we trust that you understand why we are doing this and know that you will support us as much as you can. Therefore please remember:

- only enter the school building if it is absolutely essential and remember to bring a face covering when you come
- if you have a quick question phone the office rather than come in
- phone to order uniform and pay dinner money we can take your card payment over the phone
- phone the school office to book a phone meeting with your child's teacher if
  you need to speak to him/her or use the class email to contact them go to
  the website and press the COVID button on the right hand side of the button
  bar at the top of the page for information about emailing the teacher

We are working hard to organise a remote Parents' Evening system and we will send you more details about this after the October half term.