

Park View Community School

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Friday Flyer

Friday 6th November 2020

National Lockdown

Due to the national lockdown we all need to be even more vigilant about looking after ourselves and others to prevent the spread of COVID-19 in our community. When dropping children off at school, we expect parents/carers to take responsibility for social distancing by keeping 2m away from other adults as much as possible when waiting for gates to open.

From Monday 9th November, ALL adults must wear a face covering on entry to the school premises. This includes the school premises outside and on entry to the school building.

We would also like to remind parents not to enter the school building unless it is absolutely ESSENTIAL. Most day to day queries can be dealt with over the phone. Please call the school office in the first instance 0161 519 8562 and the admin staff will be happy to help. If a member of the admin team thinks that you need to come into school, they will tell you during the phone call. You can pay for dinners, school uniform or any other items associated with school over the phone by card.

Autumn Term Diary Dates
Friday 18th December - School

closes for Christmas.

<u>Tuesday 5th January</u> - School reopens for Spring term

Welcome Back

We are delighted to see the children back in school after the half term break, fresh and ready to continue with their learning. As you are aware, schools are open during this current national lockdown and we ask all parents to make sure that they follow the school's routines and procedures in the light of COVID-19.

Dream. Believe. Work hard. Achieve!

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.