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Reminders for September 2020

Dear parent / carer,

We hope you have had been able to have some sort of 'normal' this Summer and enjoyed time with your families, who are hopefully all still safe and well?

This letter is to remind you of the organisational elements in place for returning to school on Weds 2nd September. It also includes a few updates on our safety measures.

Firstly some staffing updates, during lockdown we said goodbye to Chelsey Murden and Polly Malone as they secured posts in other education settings. We thank them for their hardwork and commitment to St George's and wish them well in their new ventures. We are delighted that Mrs Mel Wright will be joining us as the administration officer later in Term 1. In the meantime, we are very grateful that Mrs Naomi Grist (School Governor) and Emma Cottle (THWF Business Services Manager) will be supporting us in the office. Please do not hesitate to continue calling/ mailing with any questions or concerns.

On another positive note, our new teacher for Swans class, Mrs Laura Osayamwen, landed safely back in the UK and is busy getting the classroom ready as we speak. I would like to warmly welcome her to the St. George's team.

Wearing of masks

We strongly recommend that all pupils above nursery and reception age, and parents wear a mask when entering and leaving the school. The expectations are also being made of staff, and we have provided two washable masks and a number of disposable masks for each member of staff. Staff and pupils will also be instructed how to correctly remove and dispose of masks.

Travel to school

We encourage all families to come to school in one-household groups and, if at all possible, so walk or cycle to school.

Drop off and collection arrangements from 2nd September

	Entrance / Exit	Drop off time	Collection time
Ducklings	Back gate	8:55-9:00	3:10-3:15
Herons	Carpark up the ramp	8:55-9:00	3:10-3:15
Swans	Back gate	8:50-8:55	3:05-3:10
Kingfishers	Carpark large green gate	8:50-8:55	3:05- 3:10



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Parents are respectfully asked to be prompt and are asked to not come onto the school site and to socially distance whilst waiting outside the premises. If you wish to contact a member of staff, please do so by email or by ringing the school.

At collection time children will be led to the gates by a member of school staff in a socially distanced line to ensure safe collection by adults.

Uniform reminder

Children should wear the normal school uniform, it only needs to be washed as regularly as you usually would according to the washing instructions. **Children should bring their PE kits to leave in school all week for the first 2 weeks.** We are encouraging all children to wear trainers to school as we want to use the outside allocated areas as much as possible.

Recovery Curriculum

As mentioned in a previous communication, we will be focusing on missed learning and reinforcing skills previously learned. Alongside this, during this first term, a holistic approach to ensuring children are safe and settled will be used. Your children will be coming home talking about reconnecting, celebrating our strengths and feeling safe. As part of this, in the first week, you will receive a questionnaire to answer about how your child has responded to lockdown and this will support our future planning for your child. I am really happy to communicate more about this curriculum should parents wish to have this information.

Safety Measures

Please refer to the school website for more detailed information on how school staff have prepared classrooms for your children's return.

Finally, I am really looking forward to joining the school officially on Sept 1st!

Thank you for your continued support throughout this time.

Kind regards,

Principal from September 2020

Acting Head of School



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