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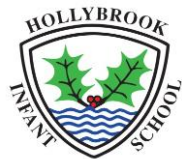
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Dear Parents,

Firstly, I would like to say how lovely it has been to see so many children back in school for the transition days. I'm really proud of how well they have coped with the new systems in place across both schools. I am really grateful to all of you for supporting the distance learning since March. I am looking forward to seeing everybody in September and I hope that this letter will give you all the information you need so you and your child can prepare for a full return to school in September.

From September we are hoping to not have to operate a staggered start but will have children entering the school through different entrances. This will rely heavily on parents following the one-way system and leaving the school grounds promptly, which is due to the amount of people needing to access the site. If this isn't adhered to, we will have no option but to introduce a staggered start and end to the day, which could prove inconvenient for many families.

### **Drop off and collection at school each day**

Infants 8:45 – 3pm

Juniors 8:45 – 3:10

CLASS	Drop off and collection
<i>Infants</i>	
Rabbits	Rabbit door
Squirrels	Squirrel fire exit
Owls	Owls door
Badgers	Badgers door
<i>Junior</i>	
Year 3	Main entrance from the playground (Hall)
Year 4	Class Fire exits
Year 5	Fire Exit on Junior Playground
Year 6	Fire exit in staff car park

The expectation is that all children should wear full school uniform from September. This includes having a PE kit in school.

### **How will school look different**

- Children will be in year group bubbles.
- The children will face forward in the classroom.
- Each child will have their own set of key resources.
- There will be regular cleaning of communal areas, including toilets.
- Children will need to continue to follow respiratory hygiene procedures (Catch it, Kill it, Bin it) and regular handwashing.
- Children will be able to bring a book bag / bag from home and will need to bring a coat/sunhat.
- Your child will not need to bring a pencil case in.



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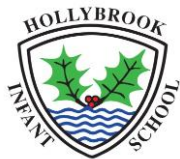
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- There will be staggered playtimes and lunchtimes to ensure bubbles do not mix.
- The school will only be providing cold packed lunches (cheese, ham or tuna) for children entitled to free school meals and at the normal rate for other children
- If you provide your child with a packed lunch, please send it in a plastic washable container if possible.
- There will not be any parent celebration assemblies. These will be held in bubbles without parents in attendance.
- There will be no large events planned for the foreseeable future.
- Teachers will be identifying any gaps in learning at the beginning of the year and will use this information to plan a supportive curriculum.

## Frequently asked questions

### **How will you inform me of any changes during the holiday?**

Please check your emails and Marvellous Me account regularly for any updates from school.

### **Will I be fined if I don't return my child in September?**

The government expects, and it is therefore a legal requirement, that all children will attend school in September normally and normal systems will be in place for absence and lateness.

### **What do I do if my child or a member of my family displays symptoms?**

If anyone in your household displays symptoms when not in school, you **MUST**:

- Book a test for the person displaying symptoms
- NOT come into school
- Your family should self-isolate until you get the results of the test and follow advice given at this point

If your child displays symptoms at school, we will:

- Isolate them in a room away from other children and adults
- You will be called to immediately collect them
- You will need to book a test and isolate until you have the results

### **What will happen if a case is found in school?**

If there is a confirmed case, we will follow the government guidance and contact the Local Health Protection Team who will carry out a rapid risk assessment and provide definitive advice on who must be sent home and isolate.

### **What will happen about before and after school clubs?**

Please check for further updates from school and Kidzclub regarding wrap around care.

There will be no additional school clubs for the foreseeable future.



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Can I please take this opportunity to remind you of the **importance of following the one-way system** this is to ensure the safety of children, parents and staff.

We look forward to seeing you all in September and hope you all have a restful break.

Yours sincerely,

Marcella Dobson

Headteacher

<b>Term</b>	<b>Start date</b>	<b>End date</b>
Autumn 2020	Thursday 3rd September 2020	Friday 18th December 2020

Half term	Monday 26th October 2020	Friday 30th October 2020
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<b>Term</b>	<b>Start date</b>	<b>End date</b>
Spring 2021	Monday 4th January 2021	Thursday 1st April 2021
Half term	Monday 15th February 2021	Friday 19th February 2021

<b>Term</b>	<b>Start date</b>	<b>End date</b>
Summer 2021	Monday 19th April 2021	Friday 23rd July 2021
Half term	Monday 31st May 2021	Friday 4th June 2021