



Park End Primary School Parent/carer newsletter



Following Monday's announcement regarding the Government's 'roadmap' out of lockdown and the implications for schools, we are delighted that we will be able to welcome the pupils back into school on the 8th March and are really looking forward to seeing them in person once again. We would therefore like to take this opportunity to outline a few key messages ready for our pupils' return.

Until the 8th March, school remains open only for children of key workers and children classed as vulnerable. The government advice remains: **children of key workers should stay at home if they can.**

Online lessons will continue on Seesaw for all children until Friday 5th March.

Start and end of the school day

To avoid critical 'pinch points', the school gates will be open for an extended time.

Arrival: 8:40am—9 am
Collection: 3 pm-3:15 pm

Please avoid gathering in groups on the playground and ensure you observe social distancing measures. If you need to speak to your child's class teacher, or any member of staff, please telephone the school office.

Attendance

Attendance is once again compulsory from 8th March 2021. It is important that school are informed of the reason for any absence.

A newsletter from Mrs Richardson will follow soon with further information.

Breakfast club and after school provision

Breakfast club will be available to children of key workers only.

Children will be grouped by year group bubbles and have an allocated member of staff for their bubble.

Unfortunately, there will be no after school provision.

Visitors to school

Only essential visitors will be allowed to visit school from the 8th March. We ask that parents and carers continue to contact school via telephone if they wish to speak to a member of staff.

We are excited to welcome the pupils back to school. Until then, the teachers will continue to provide high quality remote learning for all pupils. We send our sincere thanks to all parents and carers for your continued support.