Dear Parents/carers,

Hope you are and your families are well.

As the end of this strange school year draws to a close our plans are already in place for September. As I said in my previous letter the DFE guidance for full reopening of schools was published on 2nd July. The guidance has been written to ensure all return to school in September, have a full curriculum entitlement, whilst also continuing to keep children and staff safe and well.

Our whole school team is delighted about this and the following plans have been made to ensure we can do this safely for all our children, parents and staff.

If you do require any additional information, please contact school either by phone or email.

Uniform

It will be lovely to see all the children returning in September in their Marine Park school uniform. Please see attached sheet regarding our uniform and PE kit.

In September the children will need to bring in their PE kit, book bag (if used) and a water bottle but no other bags or pencils cases etc will be needed in school.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club will commence on Tuesday 8 September at 7.45. Children will enter via the KS1 door as normal

Attendance

School attendance will be mandatory again from start of September. This means that the usual rules on school attendance will apply, including ‘the availability to issue sanctions, including fixed penalty notices in line with local authorities’ codes of conduct.’

School day

We have had to slightly change the start times for some children to ensure social distancing. Can you please help school by adhering to the social distancing guidance when dropping off and collecting your children. The older children who are allowed to walk home unaccompanied will leave school at 3.30.

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|  | Entry | Exit | Start of school day | End of school day |
| Nursery | Nursery door | Nursery door | 8.45-9.00 | 11.55 |
| Reception | Main entrance | Reception door | 9.00-9.15 | 3.15 |
| Y1 | KS 1 door | KS1 door | 9.00-9.15 | 3.15 |
| Y2 | Main entrance | Y2 door | 8.45-9.00 | 3.15 |
| Y3 | Door beside field steps | Door beside field steps | 8.55 | 3.30 |
| Y4 | Door beside field steps | Door beside field steps | 8.55 | 3.30 |
| Y5 | KS2 door from yard | KS2 door from yard | 8.55 | 3.30 |
| Y6 | KS2 door from yard | KS2 door from yard | 8.55 | 3.30 |