

Roskear Primary and Nursery School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Reference: Returning to school week beginning June 1st 2020

If you received a text message yesterday (Monday 25th May 2020) informing you that your child is able to return, as you requested, then please read this letter carefully to ensure that you follow the new procedures for the school day, along with the phased plan for pupils to return.

To ensure that children return safely and social distancing is maintained at the start and end of the school day, we are asking that children return gradually. We have had over one hundred parents/carers request for their child(ren) to return and children have been placed into 'bubbles' of up to 15. Once established, due to social distancing the bubbles can not be changed.

There are a number of new routines and systems that we kindly ask that every parent/carer and child follow when they return.

New Routines and Systems

- * Every child must be escorted to/from school and accompanied until they enter/exit their bubble.
- * Children are not permitted to play on any equipment before or after school and MUST remain by their adult's side at ALL TIMES.
- * Only ONE member of your child's household may bring your child to and from school each day e.g. Parent A on Monday and Parent B on Tuesday as long as they live in the same household as the child.
- * Your child will have gone through the 'Returning to School Story' before returning (this can be found on the school website on Thursday).
- * Parent/carer is to arrive with their child(ren) at the time given as this helps avoid congestion and maintain social distancing. I am afraid the new routines and systems are there for everyone's safety and as such this means that no exceptions can be made.

Lunchtime: Children may bring a packed lunch with them or order a packed lunch from the kitchen. The choice of sandwiches are cheese or ham. Packed lunches are free of charge to Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 due to the government universal free school meals initiative. All FSM vouchers for children attending the setting will cease from June 5th.

Nursery/Pre-school Reopening on June 1st (only if you have received a text) Please note the information below about the nursery/
Pre-school designated 'bubble' and session times also applies to Key Worker's children

The children in nursery and pre-school have been placed in a bubble together.

Bubble Leader: To be confirmed, along with additional adults supporting in the bubble.

Where: Pre-school building, not the nursery classroom. When: Monday and Tuesday only

Timings: 9am-12pm and afternoons 12.30pm—3.30pm. If children are staying during the day please remember there is an additional charge for lunch and/or lunch staff cover. Mrs Lagdon will be in contact with parent/carers on Thursday 28th May to find out which sessions you would like.

Reception Reopening June 2nd (only if you have received a text)

The children from both reception classes have been placed in a bubble together.

Bubble Leaders: Mrs Lagdon and Mrs Staples along with additional adults supporting in the bubble.

Where: Porthcurno classroom

When: Tuesday 2nd June lining up outside the classroom in the reception playground through the pencil gates.

Timings: 8.40-8.55am and 3.15pm *Children of key workers to arrive between 7.45-8.15am and be collected between 3.45-4.15pm*please. (Please arrive on time as the main office will not be accepting late pupils due to the need for social distancing and there is no

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Year One Reopening 3rd June (only if you have received a text)

The children from both Year One classes have been placed into two bubbles, one for the Poldhu children and the other for the Gwithian children.

Bubble Leader: Mrs Keast—Gwithian classroom and Miss Yelland—Poldhu classroom

Where: Poldhu will enter and exit via the back door near the back of nursery and Gwithian will enter and exit via the normal KS1 door used in the mornings, before lockdown.

When: Wednesday 3rd June

Timings: 9.00am-9.15am and 3.35pm *Children of key workers to arrive between 7.45-8.15am and be collected between 3.45-4.15pm please.* (Please arrive on time as the main office will not be accepting late pupils due to the need for social distancing and there is no after school homework club so we ask that you collect your child promptly. Thank you)

Year 6 Reopening 3rd June (only if you have received a text)

Due to large numbers returning Year 6 have been placed into two bubbles, Helston (for Helston class children) and St Petroc (for St. Petroc class children).

Bubble Leaders: Mrs Williams (St. Petroc) Mrs Cutler and Mr Savage (Helston) along with additional adults supporting in the bubble.

Where: Helston classroom and St. Petroc classroom

When: Wednesday 3rd June lining up outside the classroom through the external classroom doors.

Timings: Helson 8.40-8.55am and 3.15pm and St.Petroc 9am-9.15am and 3.35pm *Children of key workers to arrive between 7.45-8.15am and be collected between 3.45-4.15pm please.* (Please arrive on time as the main office will not be accepting late pupils due to the need for social distancing and there is no after school homework club so we ask that you collect your child promptly. Thank you)

Please know while I do not anticipate these plans changing please remember that they are provisional and first and foremost are dependent on the governments final decision around schools opening which will be made on Thursday and the availability of staff at this time.

ALL key worker's children, who have received a text, may return their child(ren) on the 1st June.

Key Worker's Children who are Year 2, 3, 4 or 5 (only if you have received a text)

The children have been split in to Year groups and so four bubbles have been created.

Year 2—Leader: Miss Boyling, Marazion classroom, 7.45-8.15am handover and pick up 3.45-4.15pm from the external classroom door.

Year 3—Leader: Mrs Dagg, Portreath classroom, 7.45-8.15am handover and pick up 3.45-4.15pm from the external classroom door.

Year 4—Leader: Miss Kessell, St.Blazey classroom, 7.45-8.15am handover and pick up 3.45-4.15pm from the external classroom door.

Year 5—Leader: Miss Morris Marsham, St.Piran classroom, 7.45-8.15am handover and pick up 4.15pm from the external classroom door.

Finally, I would like to thank you for your continued support and patience. I know that these changes will take time to get used to but they have been made to help keep everyone as safe as possible.

Should you require any additional information please do not hesitate to email me on secretary@roskear.cornwall.sch.uk.

Kind regards and stay safe

Miss Nicola Furnish

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