



Townsend Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Returning to School with Covid-19

We can't wait to see everyone on FRIDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER. The Government has sent guidance to all schools communicating that there are no longer any bubbles or masks to be worn. It will be good to get back to our normal routines. The following systems are now in place.

- School entrances – EYFS Gate for Reception class (Mason Street)
KS1 Gate for Years 1, 2 & 3
KS2 Gate for Years 4, 5, 6

8.30am **KS1 & KS2 gates open**

8.50am **EYFS gate will open**

8.55am **Learning begins for all children**

3.15pm **School finishes – Collect your child from the playground**

- Masks do not need to be worn, but can be worn by staff when speaking with parents
- Regular timetabled handwashing will continue
- High level of sanitising routines will continue
- Staff will check for covid twice weekly using lateral flow tests
- Windows will be kept open to ensure a good air flow throughout the school.
- Assemblies will take place in Key Stages rather than whole school assemblies.

We ask that all parents ensure that they and their children are well enough to come to school. Please DO NOT send your child if they are unwell. Please keep them at home.

We look forward to seeing everyone on Friday when a pack of information will be sent home.

Best Wishes

Anne Stonell

Headteacher