

1st June 2020

Dear Parents

As we prepare to welcome the children back to school it is important that everyone is aware of the practical and safety measures needed particularly regarding children in Reception and Year 1.

- **Clean clothes** must be worn each day. To enable this to happen the children may wear home clothes on the days their uniform is being washed.
- **Shoes** must be comfortable enough for outdoor/ PE activities (trainers can be worn but NO laces).
- **Long hair** must be tied back neatly.
- **Lunch** will be provided by school – **all Infant children in school are entitled to a free school meal.** (If you decide to provide a packed lunch please the children must be able to open all packets/ containers themselves)
- **Water bottle** Please send a named bottle of water every day.
- **Coat / Sun hat** Must be named.
- **NO book bags or toys** Reading books cannot be sent home.
- **Suncream** Please apply at home in the morning. We do have suncream dispensers in school if we need to reapply for the afternoon. The children will be supervised as they apply the cream to themselves.
- **Inhalers** Must be returned to school (check they are in date).
- **Contact Information** This MUST be up to date. Please advise The Office if your mobile number has changed.
- **Drop off / Collection times** It is important that you are on time for as delays will prevent social distancing measures to run smoothly.
- **Behaviour** Please be aware that if your child is unable to follow our safety guidelines and their behaviour puts anyone at risk in school we will contact you to come and collect them. Similarly if a child is very distressed leaving a parent in the morning we will not be able to accept that child for that day.

Please be assured that we are doing everything we can to maintain the safety of the children and staff in school in these very difficult circumstances.

We would be grateful if you could read the above carefully and in sending your child to school you are agreeing to supporting our requests.

Thank you for your support.