



Christ Church School News

Friday 18th September 2020

This week feels as though we have all settled into the 'new normal'. We have adapted to the new routines and found different ways to enjoy key elements of our learning and time together.

Collective Worship was usually the one point every day when we came together to be still and peaceful, learning and worshipping as a school. For many of us, not being able to do this has been one of the most difficult aspects of the bubble way of life. This week though, we have been exploring Collective Worship via Zoom and it has been a great success! The children have been able to see the other bubbles as well as discussing thoughts and ideas and praying together. We are looking forward to Revd. Ruth leading Collective Worship in this way on Monday.

On Thursday morning next week, the photographer will be in school to take individual photographs of the children. This will be done in a COVID secure manner and therefore there will be changes made to the usual arrangements:

- Sibling group photos, including younger siblings not in school, will not be possible.
- Children will stand, not sit, for the photograph.
- Bubble staff, not the photographer, will direct the children.

These steps have been taken to allow everyone to still have this precious school memory.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Cooper and all at Christ Church School

Covid-19 Update

Please note that **if your child is in Bubble C (Class 4 or Class 5) they must be in school by 8.45am.** This is because this bubble has an earlier finish time (3.10pm) and therefore lessons for this bubble begin earlier.

It is very important that drop off and collection happen at the allocated times in order to minimise contact between bubbles and to assist with social distancing on Craven Street. Please **do not arrive** for drop off and collection **any earlier than 5 minutes** before your child's allocated time. As a reminder, children in Bubble B (Class 3) should not arrive on the upper playground before 8.50am (unless they are being brought to early drop off at 8.35am).

If you are collecting from Bubbles B or C please move, when you can, towards the double gate at the far end of the cobbles and wave so that the staff can send your child to you. We will ask your child to wait with us until you have indicated to us that you are aware they will be sent to you. Thank you for helping us to keep everyone safe.

Presents with symptoms

STAGE 1	STAGE 2	STAGE 3
Pupil or staff member presents with COVID-19 symptoms. (a new, continuous cough or a high temperature or a loss of taste / smell)	Individual sent home and advised to follow the guidance which sets out that they must self-isolate for at least 7 days and should arrange to have a test to see if they have coronavirus (COVID-19). Other members of their household (including any siblings) should self-isolate for 14 days from when the symptomatic person first had symptoms	If test is negative, individual returns to school and households end self- isolation. If test is positive, move to 'confirmed case' scenario below.

Positive result

<p>STAGE 1</p> <p>If someone tests positive, they should follow the ‘stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection’ and must continue to self-isolate for at least 7 days from the onset of their symptoms and then return to school only if they do not have symptoms other than cough or loss of sense of smell/taste. This is because a cough or anosmia can last for several weeks once the infection has gone. The 7-day period starts from the day when they first became ill. If they still have a high temperature, they should keep self-isolating until their temperature returns to normal. Other members of their household should continue self-isolating for the full 14 days</p>	<p>STAGE 2</p> <p>Those people who have been in close contact with the person who has tested positive will be sent home and advised to self-isolate for 14 days since they were last in close contact with that person when they were infectious</p> <p><i>close contacts - face to face contact with an infected individual for any length of time, within 1 metre, including being coughed on, a face to face conversation, or unprotected physical contact (skin-to-skin)</i></p> <p><i>proximity contacts – extended close contact (within 1 to 2 metres for more than 15 minutes) with an infected individual travelling in a small vehicle, like a car, with an infected person</i></p> <p>School will contact the local health protection team.</p>
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