

Full School Return FAQs

| Question | Answer |
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| Start of the day. | |
| What time do I need to get to school? | You must arrive to school no earlier than 10 minutes before the start time for your year group. Please don't be late as this may cause you to mix with another year group bubble. |
| Where do I go? | You will need to make your way straight to your first lesson of the day. There will be no form time. |
| What do I do if I am late to school? | Enter via main reception and report to student services. Do not go straight to you lesson. |
| Can face masks be worn? | Under review. |
| Lessons | |
| Will hand sanitiser be available in school? | Yes, hand sanitiser will be available around the school. You will need to sanitise your hands before entering a classroom. |
| Will seating plans be in place? | Yes, the teacher will set the seating plan for each lesson. These will also be recorded for any incidents requiring track and trace. |
| Will we be sat in groups in the classroom? | No, you will be in rows and all facing the front of the classroom. Teachers will be based at the front of the classroom at all times. |
| What equipment will I need? | You will require your own equipment to include, pens – blue/black and red, pencil, 30cm ruler, eraser, sharpener, scientific calculator, maths set, glue stick, highlighter pen, fine whiteboard pen, felt tips, coloured pencils and other equipment you need for the day carried in a suitable bag. |
| Can equipment and books be shared? | Yes, you can share equipment and books with other students in your year group bubble. Everyone will sanitise their hands as they enter the classroom. |
| Will music and sports equipment be used? | Yes, Equipment can be used and shared within the bubbles. You will be asked to clean the equipment used at the end of the lessons. |
| Will students have accesses to computers in school? | Yes, you will be able to use the school computers and at the end of the lesson you will be asked to wipe them clean after use. Wipes will be provided by the school. |
| Will the music lessons still be available in school? | Yes, these lessons will be able to run following the guidance of social distancing and cleaning of equipment. If you take part in these lessons, you will be collected and escorted back to the classrooms. |
| On the days we have PE, will we get changed as normal for the lesson? | No, on the days you have PE on your timetable you will come to school in your PE kit for the full day. |
| Can we go to the toilets during a lesson? | Yes, you will be able to go the toilet during lesson times, but you will be directed to a particular toilet block. |

| Break and Lunch | |
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| Where will we go for our break? | You will be advised of a specific area to go to at break time, likely the tennis courts. |
| Will food be available at break? | Yes, some food and drink will be available at break but it is advised for you to bring in your own drinks and snacks. |
| Where will we have lunch? | You will have Lunch in the dining hall at staggered times for each year group bubble. |
| Will we still use the cash top up machines? | No, money will need to be added to your accounts via the school gateway. |
| Are hot dinners still available? | Yes, there will be hot and cold food options. |
| Extra information | |
| When will we receive our timetables? | You will receive your timetable when you return in September. |
| What do I need to do with all the completed work I have from lock down which was not computer based? | All work that was requested to be seen by teachers would have been submitted via class charts. If you have any work you would like to show your teacher please bring this in for your form tutor to see and they will share this with your subject teachers. |
| If I have a concern who do I speak to? | Your Head of Year for your year group will be with you on the corridor you are working on as a point of contact. If you did want to speak to your form tutor you can also contact them via email too. |
| Will we have a school planner/ diary? | Yes. |
| Will reward and behaviour points still be issued? | Yes, you will still be able to receive reward points. Behaviour points will also still be issued when the school rules are not met. |
| What will happen if someone shows signs of Covid during a lesson? | If someone shows symptoms in school, they will be asked to leave the classroom. |