

Plumcroft Primary School

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Monday 22nd June 2020

Dear Parents & Carers

It was great to see almost all of Year 5 back this morning. Many thanks to everyone for being so patient on the first day back. I was very impressed with how mature and calm every child was today. I hope we see the few remaining Year 5 children yet to return, back at school from tomorrow.

We understand that many more Year 5 parents and carers than normal will be collecting children from school today. I therefore wanted to give you a quick update about the best way for you to collect them. As with this morning, we'd ask for your patience this afternoon so we can ensure a calm and safe handover of all children. If your child is making their own way home this afternoon, they will leave after the other children in their class have been collected by parents. If we or your child are not sure about collection then we will ask them to wait and we'll call you to check.

So, here's what we need you to know and do for this afternoon:

- Remember Greenwich Council have installed Parking Enforcement Cameras around the school on Nithdale Road, Plum Lane and Genesta Road please park legally and away from the school..
- If you arrive before the Genesta double gates and pedestrian gate are opened, please wait in the distancing circles along the pavements **DO NOT gather in groups at the gates or on the pavements outside the school.**
- From 2:55pm Classes 5K & 5LM Parents/carers should come into the Genesta Playground and each wait in one of the distancing circles.
- 3:00pm to 3:10pm Children from Classes 5K & 5LM will be brought to the Genesta Playground main steps and asked to identify their parent/carer – DO NOT Leave your distancing circle, your child will come to you.
- You MUST wait for them in your distancing circle to come to you and then leave the playground with them.
- **DO NOT** wait in the playground or on the pavements around the school as we have about 100 Year 5 children leaving school for the first time in this way. We also have almost 100 keyworker and vulnerable children leaving the Nithdale building around the same time.

I'd ask that parents/carers of children in classes 5HW & 5M are patient and wait in the distancing circles along the pavements as we hope to be ready for you by 3:10pm but as this is the first day of our 'new normal', I want to ensure we get into good habits from day one and then we can speed things up as the days progress.





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I hope that all makes sense.

Regards

Headteacher

