



Plumcroft Primary School

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Dear Parents & Carers

In order to comply with government guidance regarding children staying in their year group pods we have had to make some alterations to the school day for when all children return to the Plum Lane Campus from Monday 7th September 2020. We feel that these changes will enable us to welcome all our children back and keep us all as safe as possible. ***This letter was first updated on 1st September and again today on 22nd September.***

School Day – Times for the Plum Lane Campus

Year	Start times	Collection times	Playground for arrival and collection
Nursery- AM	8.45am – 9:00am	11.45am	Nursery playground entrance
Nursery – PM	12.15pm – 12:30pm	3.15pm	Nursery playground entrance
Nursery – Full-time	8.45am – 9:00am	3.15pm	Nursery playground entrance
Year 1	8.45am – 9:00am	3.15pm	Nithdale playground (arrival), Middle playground (Collection from covered area)
Year 3	8.45am – 9:00am	3.15pm	Astroturf Playground
Year 6	8.45am – 9:00am	3.15pm	Genesta playground
Reception	9.00am – 9:15am	3.30pm	Nithdale Playground
Year 2	9.00am – 9:15am	3.30pm	Middle playground – Plum Lane entrance
Year 4	9.00am – 9:15am	3.30pm	Genesta Playground
Year 5	9.00am – 9:15am	3.30pm	Astroturf Playground

It's really important that all Year Group Learning Pods follow the start times and NOT arrive earlier than the allocated 15 minute time-slot. This helps ensure social distancing by all parents, reduces congestion and keeps our Year Group Learning Pods separated.

I also need all parents to 'drop & go' in the mornings and 'collect & leave' in the afternoons. Please do not gather on the pavements to watch your child go into school – This applies to all parents of all age groups, including Nursery & Reception (*Apologies for sounding grumpy, but we need to ensure social distancing for all parents*).

School Lunch arrangements (initially until October half-term)

- ✓ All children who have school dinners will have a cold school packed lunch from September. This will allow them to eat their lunch in their classroom.
- ✓ If your child is in Year 3 and above, you will need to pay for the lunches using the [Magic-Booking App](#) as normal, unless you are entitled to a free school lunch. In which case, we will provide a packed lunch for them.
- ✓ The lunch will include a sandwich or wrap, fruit, yoghurt, plus one of the following: cake, crisps or a biscuit.
- ✓ The children will be able to choose the filling for their sandwich/wrap each morning.
- ✓ Parents do have the option to send their child in with a packed lunch.

More detailed information about our plans for September, as well as an **updated Risk Assessment (18/9/20)** are available on the [school website](#).

Note: After School Year Group Clubs started this week – book places via [Magic-booking](#).

Regards

Richard Slade
Headteacher

