

# RIBCHESTER ST. WILFRID'S C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

We look forward to welcoming all year groups into school on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September. This letter is to give you the initial plans for this. However, if there are any further changes or developments we will keep you updated.

We are splitting our school into 2 larger 'bubbles' with each 'bubble' being split into 2 smaller bubbles. All classes will have their own allocated areas of the building and times to access shared areas, which will limit any mixing of groups as much as possible.

The 'bubbles' will be:

- EYFS/KS1
  - Calder class
  - Hodder class
- KS2
  - Ribble class
  - Wyre class

By having the 2 larger bubbles we will still be able to provide before and after school care along with any other clubs. Before and after school care will restart on the 2<sup>nd</sup> September – Breakfast club from 7:45am and After School club from 3:20pm to 5:30pm.

We will ensure there is supervised, regular hand washing and hand sanitisation. Furniture will be cleaned at mid-day, at the end of the day. The children will have separate/staggered playtimes and lunchtimes. The children will have their own pencils, books, pencil crayons etc. to minimise the sharing of resources.

## **Arrival and Pick up at School:**

For the autumn term, there will be staggered starts and finishes to the school day. The children will be lining up in the front yard in their year groups at allocated times. These times are listed below.

We ask that parents keep to the allocated times for their child(ren). If you do arrive early to school that you do not enter the school grounds until your allocated time. If you have children in several classes, please do not let them run around the playground whilst they are waiting for their class to line up.

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children:

- Reception: Calder classroom, EYFS outdoor area and infant playground / field
- Year 1 and Year 2: Hodder classroom, back of Calder class and infant playground / field

Arrival:

- Enter playground at 8:50am (once Y3/Y4 have left the playground)
- Line up at 8:55am to enter school.
- **Start of lessons at 9:00am**

End of the day / Pick up: **3:30pm**

- Children will be brought to the side gate.

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Year 3 and Year 4 children: Ribble classroom and infant playground / field

Arrival:

- Enter playground at 8:45 (once Y5/Y6 have left the playground)
- Line up at 8:50 to enter school.
- **Start of lessons at 8:55am**

End of the day / Pick up: 3:25pm

- Children will be brought to the side gate.

Year 5 and Year 6 children: Wyre classroom and junior playground

Arrival:

- Enter playground at 8:40
- Line up at 8:45 to enter school.
- **Start of lessons at 8:50am**

End of the day / Pick up: **3:20pm**

- Children will be brought to the side gate.

We ask that parents do not to enter the school building but to telephone or email any messages to school and to ensure distancing from other families when dropping off and picking up children.

## Lunches:

Full hot lunch service will restart in September with the children eating in the hall at staggered eating and playtimes

- Reception, Year 1 and Year 2:
  - 11:30 to 12:30 (eating at 11:30)
- Year 3 and Year 4:
  - 12:00 to 1:00 (eating at 12:15)
- Year 5 and Year 6:
  - 12:30 to 1:30 (eating at 1:00)

This allows for 15 minutes cleaning between each sitting in the hall.

## School uniform / PE kits:

We will be asking children to return in their school uniform. Summer uniform may be worn. For the first half of the autumn term, weather permitting. A reminder of school uniform expectations is at the end of this letter.

Presently the guidance from the DfE is not to allow children to change into their PE kits in school but to arrive wearing them for the day. This being the case we will be tightening up on expectations of PE kits, as this will be your child's school uniform for two days a week. Once timetables are set you will be informed of your child's days for PE. (There will be no PE in the first week of 3 days.)

- Warm weather:
  - Plain red T shirt
  - Navy blue shorts
  - School sweatshirt/cardigan
  - Black or white trainers (not multi-coloured)

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- Cooler weather:
  - Navy or Black tracksuit or jogging bottoms (not leggings)
  - Plain red T shirt
  - School sweatshirt/cardigan
  - Black or white trainers (not multi-coloured)

PE lessons will be taken outdoors as much as possible as there are restrictions on the number of children who can participate indoors for physical activities.

If you do have any questions, please do feel free to email me at [head@ribchester-st-wilfrids.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@ribchester-st-wilfrids.lancs.sch.uk).

Thanking you in anticipation of your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Angela Cottam  
Headteacher

School uniform:

Winter	Summer
<b>Boys</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Red sweatshirt with school logo</li><li>• Red polo shirt</li><li>• Navy tailored trousers</li><li>• Socks: grey or black</li><li>• Smart black school shoes</li></ul>	<b>Boys</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Red polo shirt</li><li>• Navy tailored trousers or navy shorts</li><li>• Socks: grey or black</li><li>• Smart black school shoes or sandals</li></ul>
Winter	Summer
<b>Girls</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Red sweatshirt / cardigan with school logo</li><li>• Red polo shirt</li><li>• Navy skirt / pinafore or navy tailored trousers</li><li>• Tights: red or navy</li><li>• Socks: white, navy or red</li><li>• Smart black school shoes</li></ul>	<b>Girls</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Red &amp; white check gingham dresses</li><li>• Red polo shirt</li><li>• Navy skirt or navy tailored shorts</li><li>• Socks: white, navy or red</li><li>• Smart black school shoes or sandals</li></ul>