

Returning to School Plan for September

Whatever the scenario in September, the key elements of our response will involve the following:

Well-being



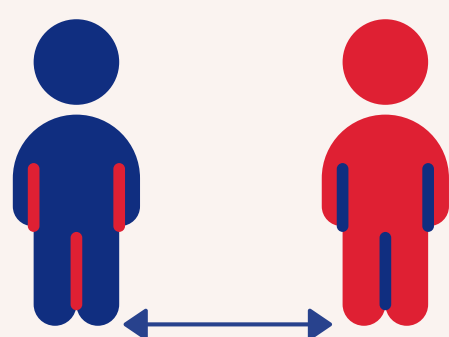
- Safe play and social interaction
- Reintroduction to school routines
- Counsellor available
- Staff training in Mental Health First Aid
- Positivity and calm
- Safe arrival and departure (students under 14 to be collected)

Hygiene



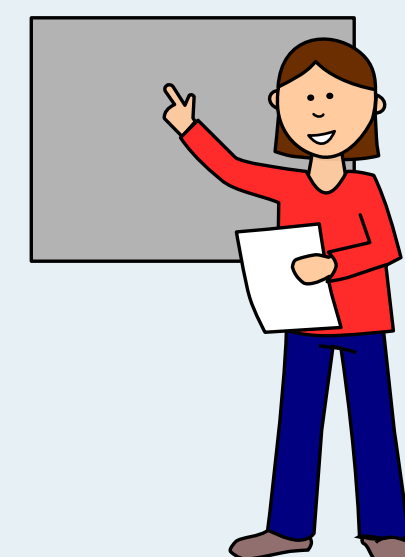
- Use of masks and gloves according to health guidelines
- Regular hand-washing routines – hand sanitiser available in every classroom
- Deep-clean, and cleaning of frequently touched surfaces
- Temperature checks
- New behaviour protocols
- Play equipment cleaned (no soft toys)
- Bins emptied regularly
- Improved ventilation
- Quarantine protocols followed as required

Social Distancing



- Maximum class sizes, as required by authorities
- One-way circulation in corridors
- Re-organisation of desks
- Timetable to minimise movement about building
- Minimise mixing of classes, children staying in the same classroom and at same desk as far as practicable
- Staggered breaks
- Staggered entrances and exits (only one parent dropping off)
- Tape on the floor to designate work and play areas
- Outdoor spaces exploited – increased supervision
- Lunches brought to classrooms

Teaching & Learning



- Online element simultaneously with class teaching as required for some year groups

Training

- Students, staff and parents to receive training in all of the above

