# Southam Primary School School Booklet: Year 1 - Puffins

**Information Booklet** 

# 1. Will my classroom look different?

Your classroom will look different, the chairs and tables have been moved. You may be asked to sit somewhere specifically.





Your adults may be doing more cleaning than you have seen before. They may clean items before or after you use them.

You will be given resources like pencils/pens/scissors/rulers/crayons that are just for you to use and not for sharing. Please place all stationary into your clear pencil case. Your teacher will decide what will go in your pack. This is to help keep you safe.



Year 1 Resource Pack

You will be using the same toilet area to normal and it will be only be one child at a time using the sink area. You will wait at your desk until it is your turn to use the toilet or the sink.

### 2. Who will be in school?

School is open for all children.

To keep everyone safe the adults that you work with will always be Miss Startup, Miss Reeves, Mrs Perry and Miss Woodward. You may also interact with Miss Gill and Mrs Lucas.







### 4. What are bubbles?

During lockdown you were in a 'bubble' with the people who live in your house.



When you come back to school you will join your own 'school bubble'. This will have some children from your class and members of school staff. You will stay with your bubble all day; in your classroom, at lunch and out at play. This is to help keep everyone safe.



### 5. Do I have to wear anything different?

You **do** need to wear school uniform with appropriate shoes because we will be completing PE sessions daily. Please make sure you wear appropriate clothing for forest school days (Monday & Tuesday). Please bring your lunch unless you have school dinners, your water bottle and a waterproof coat.



If adults need to get very close to you, they will be wearing special equipment. They will wear an apron, gloves, a face mask and a visor. This is to keep you safe and stop germs spreading. Adults will wear this

equipment if they need to come very close to you, like helping you with bleeding knee or helping you with the toilet.







# 6. How do I get in to school in a morning?

To help keep everyone safe only one adult will be allowed to bring you to school. Your bubble may be given a different start time so that there are not too many people coming into school at once. You will arrive at school between 8.45am and 8.55am ready to begin at 9.00am.

You will come in through the middle gate on the key stage 1 playground (there will be a sign on the gate) and go straight to the classroom. You will say goodbye to the adult on the playground not at the classroom door. Miss Startup/Miss Reeves will meet you at the door.

You will be shown where to put all of your belongings and you will wash your hands with soap and water or use sanitizer.

To help keep everyone safe your adult (mum/dad/nan/childminder etc.) will **not** be allowed to come into the school building. They can always ring or email school to get in touch.



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### 7. Will I get to go out to play?

Yes, you will go out to play with your bubble, so you will have lots of the playground to play on! The playground will have a barrier on it so that you play in a different part of the playground to other 'bubbles'.



### 8. What will happen at lunchtime?

At lunchtime you will have your lunch in your classroom. You will bring your own lunch or choose a deli option which will be either a hot or cold choice.

You will have a set place to sit and eat your lunch. Once you and your bubble have finished your lunch you will have a time to go out to play which means that your bubble will be able to play out safely.

# 9. Can I play with my friends?

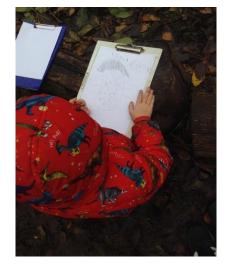
You can play with your friends in your bubble. At the moment you will not be able to play with friends who are in a different bubble. This is to help keep everyone safe. You will be helped by your adults who will suggest what games could be fun. These will need to involve you not holding hands or getting too close to anyone. Games such as racing or passing a football could be great fun in a big playground!

# 10. What will my lessons look like?

Your lessons will be just as fun as usual and similar to what they were before but you may be sat in different places and using your resources differently. When you need help your adult will not be able to sit close to you as they used to. They will still help you but from a distance.

We will still be going to Forest School but we will be doing activities

further apart from each other than we are used to and we may be using the field more than Forest School.



We will also be using the outdoor classroom a lot more. There will be a maximum of 4

children using one area at a time and we will not be sharing toys and resources as much as we used to.



The outdoor classroom

# 11. Will other parts of the school day be different?

There will not be any assemblies with all children sat together and there will be no singing in your classrooms. There will be no offsite activities happening this half term (swimming, library trips). This is to help keep you all safe and well.

### 12. What will happen at home time?

At home time, your adult will be waiting on the playground. They will have been given a specific time to come and collect you (3.00pm).

### 13. What will I need to remember in school?

In school it is important to remember to:

- Be really good at washing your hands
- Not to touch your face/mouth with your hands
- Never put anything in your mouth unless its food or water!
- Try and keep your distance from everyone
- Listen and follow what your adults say
- Try your best (as you always do!)
- And most importantly remember to stay safe and enjoy yourself!



# 14. Handwashing and hygiene information





