



Education Resources
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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope all of our families are keeping safe and well. You will have no doubt seen the news from the First Minister regarding the return of P1 to P3 to the school building from Monday 22.2. Arrangements for the drop off and pick up will continue as per the pre January lockdown. For those children brought to school by an adult, children should be dropped at the school gate and will then be expected to make their way round to their area of the playground or the entrance for their class. We would advise parents to aim to drop off just before 9am. Arrangements are as follows:

- P1 to P3 in school 9am to 3pm daily
- P4 to P7 continue remote learning as before
- School Hub – 10am – 2pm

Staffing

- P1/2 – Mrs Lyon (Mon – Thu) & Mrs Percy (Thu – Fri)
- P2/3 – Mrs Jack (Tue to Fri) & Miss Murphy (Mon)
- P4/5 – Miss Fraser (Mon – Thu) & Miss Murphy (Thu – Fri)
- P6/7 – Mrs Brown (Tue – Fri) & Miss Steele (Mon)
- Remote Learning Support – Miss Shearer (Mon – Fri)
- School Hub – Miss Steele

A home time routine will be established, as before, so that families can exit the school together. The aim of this is to avoid any gathering at the school gate and we request that parents continue as before by waiting for their child on the pavement area across from the school to avoid any congestion. **Please do not park in front of the school.**

We are delighted to be welcoming back our P1 to P3 next week and hope that our remaining pupils will be able to join us soon. I would like to say a really big thank you to all of our parents and carers for your support throughout the lockdown. It is always a pleasure to chat to any of you when I get the chance, and our strong partnership has certainly made a difficult time a good bit easier to get through.

Take care,

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Head Teacher

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