



Annex 1a: **Pupil** **Behaviour** **Principles**



In light of current circumstances, the following behaviour principles will be introduced on a temporary basis. These expectations are school-wide and we would ask parents to seriously consider whether or not their child's return to school is appropriate if they foresee any difficulties with any of the following stipulations.

1. Arrival & departure

1a. ONLY 1 Parent/Carer to line up on the drive at the Kerry Drive entrance to bring child(ren) to the double iron gate on lower school playground.

1b. Parents will not be allowed past the main school double grey gates/taped zones on the Kerry Drive entrance when dropping off or collecting their children unless specifically invited to do so by a member of staff – additional health and safety measures will apply if they do (Annex 7 & 8).

1c. Ensure social distance from other adults whilst waiting for gates to open – as per government guidance (please do not arrive too early to avoid congregation).

1d. Children must arrive and depart from school within the time bracket allocated to their group – this may differ to usual school hours. If allotted time missed, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

1e. Children must line up sensibly at the specified entrance for their group and use floor markers to ensure appropriate distancing.

1f. Collect your child as soon as possible (ASAP) if called regarding illness/symptoms.

1g. Sun cream must be applied prior to arrival on the school site.

2. Hygiene

2a. Everyone will be required to wash their hands upon arrival – this will be closely supervised by staff to ensure effectiveness and safety.

2b. Children may be asked by an adult to wash or sanitise their hands at any given time throughout the day – specifically if they have sneezed, coughed or had contact with something which may have been touched by somebody else.

2c. Children must inform a member of staff as quickly as possible if they are experiencing symptoms of Corona Virus and such claims will always be treated with appropriate gravity: the child will be isolated, any supervising staff will wear full PPE and a parent or guardian will be required to collect the child from school urgently.

2d. Children will be required to wash or sanitise their hands before and after consuming their dinner or any snacks.

2e. Children are asked to avoid touching their mouth, nose and eyes with their hands where possible and may be asked to wash or sanitise if they do so.

2f. Coughing, sneezing or spitting towards or around another person is prohibited.

2g. Children only use their own water bottle.

2h. Children not to share any food/snacks/lunch or touch other children's lunchboxes.

3. Classroom expectations

3a. In accordance with our current behaviour policy, children are still expected to follow our Smalley Stars rules.

3b. Children will not be allowed to move around the classroom unless explicitly instructed to do so.

3c. Children will have their own individual table and their own equipment which will be provided by school.

3d. Children bring a bag their coat, water bottle and lunchbox (if required) kept with child at their desk and chair. Children will not require any other equipment including PE Kit.

3e. No child phones in school unless by prior arrangement by phone call with school.

3f. The sharing of school equipment or personal items is prohibited.

4. Break & lunch

4a. Children will eat their dinner at their allocated space in the classroom.

4b. Any school dinners will be delivered to the classroom by staff.

4c. Children will receive 30 minutes of morning break – half of this will be outside and half will be in the classroom.

4d. Children will receive 1 hour of lunchtime break – some of this will be outside and some of this will be in the classroom, where they will eat their dinner (see mid-day bubble rota).

4e. Break times are subject to change.

5. Movement around the school

5a. Children will not be allowed to leave the classroom unsupervised, meaning that opportunities to go to the toilet will be very limited.

5b. Sanitisation stations will be set up in every classroom to limit children having to leave the bubble room to wash their hands.

5c. A one-way system will be implemented throughout most of the school to avoid separate groups coming into contact with one another.

5d. Some areas which are usually available to children will be 'out of bounds' during this time – e.g. outdoor wooden equipment, school office.

5e. Children to enter the building separately and patiently.

6. Contact

6a. Children are responsible for ensuring that they practice social distancing and must remain at least 2 metres apart whenever physically possible.

6b. Children will be limited to their bubble and, as a result of this, they will not be allowed to socialise with children in a different group – this will be enforced by staff.

6c. Children not sticking to the NO TOUCHING rules will be reminded and parents informed to support with reinforcement.

6d Children must not play games that include touching others (e.g. tag, stuck in the mud etc...).

The above principles have been introduced to help ensure the safety of children and staff during these unprecedented times. Constant and clear reminders will be given but any pupil who commits serious or persistent breach of the new COVID-19 protection rules may be sanctioned by the headteacher using the full range of sanctions available in the school's behaviour policy, dependent on the seriousness of the breach, up to and including in extreme cases permanent exclusion.