



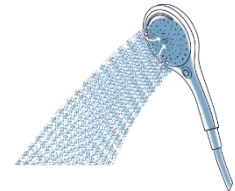
Mount C of E Primary School

Information on returning to school from
September 2020

Reducing the Risk of Transmission

Daily Home to School Routine

Clean Uniform every day	School	Straight Home	Shower immediately
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It is the school expectation that all children and staff wear clean uniform every day, arrive in school without visiting different settings, depart school and return home without visiting different settings, shower immediately upon arriving home and wash their clothes in preparation for returning in clean uniform the following day.

Uniform should still be washed after attending school, even if you have an alternative set of clothing.

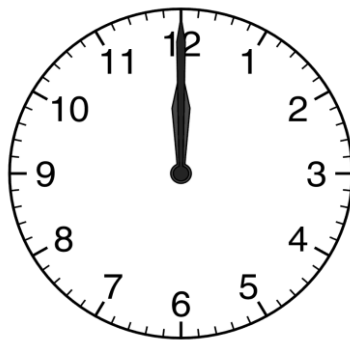
Uniform is available to buy or alternatively we do hold some preloved uniform in school if you require. Should you wish to purchase uniform, the money should be sent in a clearly marked envelope with your child.

These guidelines are set out to protect the public and other household members.

Arriving at School



Only 1 adult per family will be permitted access to the school playground and no adults will be allowed near the school building. Drop off points will be clearly marked.



Children attending school will be given an allocated drop off/collection time prior to school opening. This is to control the number of children and adults on the school site at any one time. To support the safety of our children and staff, please arrive as close to this allocated time as possible and remain 2 metres apart from other adults and children. Please keep your child with you at all times until handed over to a member of school staff.

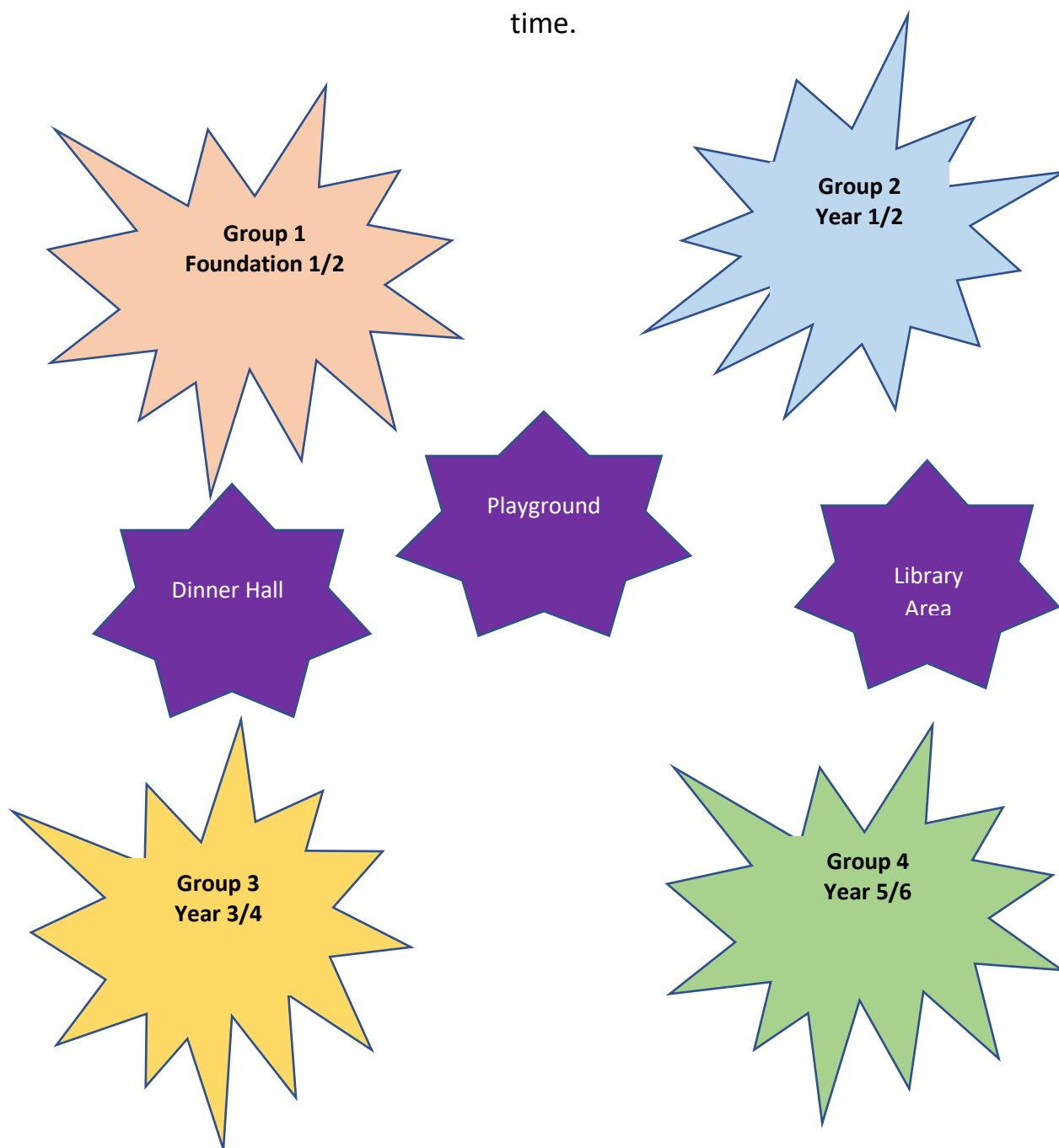
Please leave the school site and the school entrance immediately after handing your child to staff.

On the rare occasion that you may miss your allocated drop off time, please contact school and you will be given a one-off alternative time where possible.

Please adhere to the social distancing rule of 2 metres apart from anyone outside your household including school staff.

The School Day

Only one of these groups of children will be allowed in the purple areas at any one time.



Within these separated 4 groups we feel we will be unable to socially distance them whilst in school.



P.E. Kit



P.E. will take place in school but it will be light physical exercise which the children will do in their school uniforms.

To reduce the amount of clothing coming in and out of the building, P.E. Kits should **not** be in school.

School Dinners



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Our school kitchen is open as usual to provide hot meals. The charge remains £2.30 per day (for every child in Foundation 1 and Year 3 to 6) and this should be paid at the beginning of the week and sent with your child in a clearly marked envelope. School dinners will not be provided unless paid for in advance. Parents should not attempt to gain access to the school office to make payment.

Your child is welcome to bring a packed lunch in their own lunch box should they wish to do so.

PPE Equipment



The Government are not stating it is essential for school staff and primary age children to wear PPE in school.

We also feel that the use of this equipment would be harmful to their emotional health and wellbeing.

Therefore, we will not be using PPE in school.

Hygiene



Following Government Guidelines the children and staff will be washing their hands with antibacterial soap followed by antibacterial gel throughout the day.

This may cause sore and dry hands and would therefore recommend that your child brings hand cream from home that **must** be left in school.

No child will be excluded from these procedures for any reason.

Travel

Using Public Transport

The use of public transport is permitted ensuring the social distancing rule and the wearing of face masks for adults is adhered to. This should be clearly marked out by the Public Transport provider. If you feel that this is not the case this is reportable to the Health & Safety Executive under the current Government Guidelines.



Travelling Abroad

Should you wish to travel outside of the UK, please refer to <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-corridors> for the latest list of countries and territories that you can travel from without having to self-isolate for 14 days.

