



# Nunnery Wood Primary School



Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you all enjoyed your weekend. I am sure the children were very excited when we had a sprinkling of snow!

## COVID-19 UPDATE

As you are aware, from government announcements over weekend, there is currently an increasing concern over the rise in Covid-19 cases. As a school we are determined to minimise the impact on the school community and lower the rate of transmission as far as possible.

Having reviewed our risk assessment, we will now reintroduce some measures to support everyone.

### From Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November (tomorrow):

- All staff will wear face coverings in communal areas unless they are exempt.
- We will limit the number of staff in our communal areas (staffroom/toilets).
- We will continue to limit the number of parents onsite and social distancing will be in place.
- At drop off and collection times, we ask that all adults and high school children wear a face covering (unless exempt).
- We are eager to limit the number of adults/young people onsite to avoid large gatherings.
- We ask that **only one adult/high school child** comes onsite to drop off or collect their child or brother/sister.

Throughout this pandemic, it is only when everyone works together that we can ensure that we limit the impact on the children. It is therefore essential, that everyone plays their part. Whilst it might be inconvenient and annoying our aim as a school is to remain open and provide the best for the children in school.

We will continue to review our risk assessment and keep parents updated. We are eager and currently aiming for our planned Christmas Events to take place, but once again we have additional measures in place. These events will be under constant review.

## CHRISTMAS EVENTS

Strict measures are in place:

- Only parents of the children performing will be invited to attend (no younger siblings);
- There will be two performances for each year group (apart from the Carol Service);
- Two seats per child will be available, and you will be asked to book these online via 'ParentPay'. Therefore, you can book either **two** tickets for the same performance (morning or afternoon) or **one** ticket per performance.
- Parents must wear a face mask in the building (unless exempt).

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- All adults are recommended to take a Lateral Flow Test on the day of the performance, as it would make it even safer for all of us.
- We will ventilate the hall as best we can, by ensuring windows and doors are open. Therefore, it might be chilly!

## Dates are:

- Tuesday 7th December Year 2 (Apple & Aspen) 10am and 2pm 'Strictly Come Christmas'.
- Thursday 9th December Year 1 (Cherry & Chestnut) 10am and 2pm 'A Little Bird Told Me'.
- Thursday 9th December Year 5 (Mulberry & Maple) 1.30pm Carol Service - St Martin's Church.
- Friday 10th December Early Years (Oak & Willow) 10am and 2pm 'Happy Birthday Jesus'.
- Monday 13th December Year 3 (Spruce & Sycamore) Christmas Enterprise Event 9am and 2.30pm.

Tickets will go live tomorrow morning at **9am (30/11/21)**, each event has its own closing date.

## SCHOOL SITE:

The weather has turned much colder this week. As a school we try to ensure that all paths and playgrounds are gritted. If the forecast predicts a temperature drop, the Site Manager grits after school or first thing in the morning. Unfortunately, with the nature of having a large site – the gritting is not always as effective as we would hope. Please take care when you come onsite if it is icy or snowy.

Thanks for your continued support,

Mrs Higgins and The NWPS Team.

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