

BUSHFIELD ROAD INFANT SCHOOL



Regional Winner
THE CHARACTER AWARDS 2015



Dear Critical Workers,

Thank you for providing information about your current working situation. If we require further information from your employer we will be in touch over the next few days.

If you are not sending your child in full time, please let us know your requirements in advance by Thursday evening each week in preparation for the following week.

If your child is absent due to illness you must inform us in the normal way by calling the office, leaving a message or sending an email. This is especially important if this is due to any COVID related absence.

We have continued to work incredibly hard since the start of the pandemic in March to keep our school as safe as possible, and we would like to take this opportunity to remind and reassure you of some of the safety measures in place at our school:

- Children and staff are expected to remain in their allocated bubbles both indoors and outdoors.
- Children are encouraged to wash their hands regularly throughout the day.
- Tables, chairs, toilets and equipment are disinfected regularly throughout the day.

Please note we are trying to work with windows open in classrooms for ventilation. As the cold days have returned, and with the need for ventilation in mind, pupils may need a few more layers of clothing, such as sweatshirts, tights or leggings underneath skirts.

You can view our latest risk assessment on our school website.

Children will be grouped and taught as a year group bubble with the staff they are familiar with. Collection and drop off times will remain the same for each year group (Year 2 - 9.15am 'til 3.15pm, Year 1 - 9.05am 'til 3.05pm, Reception - 8.55am 'til 2.55pm). Each year group bubble will be allocated a classroom. Teachers from each year group will share the teaching and will be based in the following classrooms:-

Year 2 Mrs Davie's classroom
Year 1 Miss Miller's classroom
Reception Miss Buccieri's classroom

Please use the outside classroom doors as normal and maintain social distancing whilst waiting to drop off and pick up. If you are collecting your child any earlier please arrive at the main office and we will collect your child for you.

Children need to wear their school uniform and bring all their usual belongings with them every day:

-Book bag

-Packed lunch, if required. Otherwise a school lunch will be provided for children as normal.

-Wear PE kits on PE days. PE Days are as follows:-

Year 2 - Monday & Tuesday

Year 1 - Thursday & Friday

Reception - Monday

The children in school will be taught the curriculum content that has been planned for the spring term. Children working from home will be sent similar content, via MS Teams. If your child is in school full time you don't need to complete any of the home learning activities as your child will complete similar activities in school. We will not be sending homework out but we will still continue to change reading books weekly.

We kindly ask that you keep us updated with any changes to your current circumstances.

Thank you once again for your support.

Kind regards,

Mrs T Bass

Head Teacher