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Dear Parents



Rainbow School

I would like you to offer my thanks for responding so positively to our Rainbow School Provision. Today was the first day, and the arrangements have so far worked very well.

I would just like to formalise the day to day running of the Rainbow School, which you can use as a reference for the future.

Times of the Day

The school will run from 9.00 – 3.15 each day.

Uniform

We expect the children to wear their normal school uniform. Trainers may be worn as their footwear. If the children have been asked to bring in other shoes such as wellingtons, they will need to stay in school. Please label all of your children's clothes.

I also expect their clothes to be freshly laundered each day. If you run out of clean uniform, fresh clean and sensible clothes may be worn for one day.

Drop off and Pick Up

We would prefer if only one parent / adult dropped off and picked up your child, even if they are in the same household.

Please use the main school gate, closest to the office, unless spoken to by your child's teachers.

School Lunches

There will be no hot meals at school. Caterlink can supply a packed lunch if you so wish. However, being a parent myself, - I would not recommend these, and would recommend instead a packed lunch provided by you at home.

If you wish to have a Caterlink packed lunch, please remind the teacher when they are collected at 9.00

Behaviour

We always expect exemplary behaviour from our pupils. If this is not the case, we always follow our positive behaviour policy. If we feel your child is deliberately putting people in harm's way because of issues around COVID eg. spitting you will be telephoned and asked to pick your child from school immediately. They will then not be allowed back into Rainbow School for 3 school days, and after you have had a conversation with myself.

This has not been an issue in the past.

Temperature Checks

Staff will check your child's temperature as they arrive at the school gate. If your child has a high temperature they will not be allowed in school, and you will need to take them home and monitor them. You will need to take them for a COVID test if their high temperature persists.

Belongings from Home

Your child should not bring in any items from home. This has been the arrangement for the last term, up until Christmas.

I may add to this list as we progress. However, please remember that all of these measures are designed to protect pupils and their families, as well as staff and theirs.

Curriculum

Whilst in school we will be expecting the children to be following the work set for the rest of their class, by their teachers. They will also be working on some other activities, especially in the afternoons. This may include art and less formal aspects of school.

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Thank you for your support, and of course, take care.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brett Stevenson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brett Stevenson
Headteacher