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# COOMBE ROAD CHAT

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## WINTER IS COMING:

You can certainly feel the chill in the air as winter is now on its way. Please make sure that children have a warm, waterproof coat in school every day as we continue to be outside as much as possible.

## DROP-OFF/PICK-UP:

Don't forget that we have changed the routine slightly in order to get the children into school as quickly as possible so there is not as much crowding on the pavements.

From Monday, the routine will be as follows:



Bubble	Class	Drop-Off	Pick-Up	Location/Gate
Lower	Poppy (R)	8:50am	2:50pm	Bottom Milner Rd
Lower	Buttercup (1)	8:45am	3:00pm	Bottom Milner Rd
Lower	Sunflower (2)	8:50am	3:05pm	Middle Coombe Rd
Middle	Emerald (3)	8:45am	3:00pm	Middle Milner Rd (main office)
Middle	Sky (4)	8:45am	3:00pm	Middle Milner Rd (main office)
Upper	Indigo (5)	8:50am	3:05pm	Top Milner Rd
Upper	Amethyst (6)	8:50am	3:05pm	Top Coombe Rd

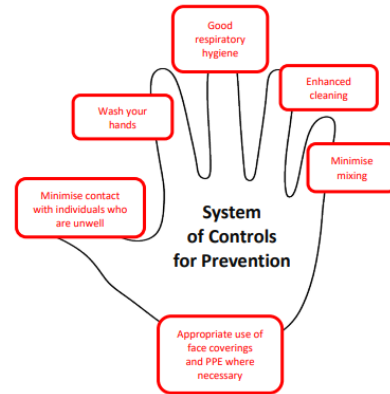
We will review this after half term if necessary.

Please continue to support our systems by arriving at your allocated gate at the time stated. Please keep your physical distance from others, or wait in your car/across the road if it is particularly crowded. Please queue as guided (by the markings) and do not crowd around the gate entrance. Many thanks.

## ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL:

Please call us if your child is unable to attend school. It is really important that you also give us the reason for the absence. If your child has any of the following symptoms, the household must self-isolate for 14 days (I have attached the guidance for your information):

- High temperature/fever (38°C or more)
- Persistent, new cough
- Loss of taste
- Loss of smell



What to do if...	Action needed...	Return to school when...
...my child has COVID-19 symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Self-isolate the whole household</li> </ul>	...the test comes back negative OR 10 days have passed since the first day of symptoms and your child feels well
...my child tests positive for COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Agree an earliest date for possible return (min. 10 days)</li> <li>▪ Self-isolate the whole household (including siblings) for 14 days</li> </ul>	...they feel better. They can return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of taste/smell. These symptoms can last for several weeks
...my child tests negative	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Discuss when your child can come back</li> </ul>	...your child feels well enough to return
...my child is ill with symptoms that are not linked to COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Check temperature (should not be 37.8°C or more)</li> <li>▪ Ring on each day of illness</li> </ul>	...as per attendance policy or advice from your GP/111 and as long as they are showing no symptoms of COVID-19
...somebody in my household has COVID-19 symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Self-isolate the whole household (14 days)</li> <li>▪ Symptomatic household member to get a COVID-19 test</li> <li>▪ Inform the school of the test result</li> </ul>	...the test comes back negative and no other member of the household has developed symptoms
...somebody in my household tests positive for COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Agree an earliest date for possible return (min. 14 days)</li> <li>▪ Self-isolate the whole household</li> </ul>	...the child has completed a minimum of 14 days isolation and has not developed any symptoms
...NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Agree an earliest date for possible return (min. 14 days)</li> </ul>	...the child has completed a minimum of 14 days isolation and has not developed any symptoms
...NHS test and trace has identified a household member (not my child) as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The household member contacted must self-isolate for 14 days</li> <li>▪ If the person contacted through NHS test and trace does not have any symptoms of COVID-19, other people in the household do not need to self-isolate at home with them</li> </ul>	...the child can continue to attend school (unless any member of the household develops symptoms of COVID-19)
...we/my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as a period of quarantine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Do not take unauthorised leave in term time</li> <li>▪ Consider requirements and FCO advice when booking travel</li> </ul>	...the quarantine period of 14 days has been completed and you/your child has not developed any symptoms

	<p><b>Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Agree an earliest date for possible return (min. 14 days)</li> <li>▪ Self-isolate the whole household</li> </ul>	
...we have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Contact school to inform us</li> <li>▪ Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again</li> </ul>	...restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again
...my child's bubble (whole school) is closed due to a positive case of COVID-19 in school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Do not come into school</b></li> <li>▪ Your child will need to self-isolate for 14 days</li> <li>▪ At home, support your child with remote education provided by the school</li> </ul> <p><i>Please note – advice at present is that siblings in other bubbles do not need to self-isolate unless a member of the household develops symptoms</i></p>	...school informs you that the bubble will be re-opened
...a sibling's bubble (at a different school) is closed due to a positive case of COVID-19 in their school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The sibling must self-isolate for 14 days or until their bubble re-opens</li> <li>▪ The sibling attending CRPS can continue to attend school as long as nobody in the household has symptoms of COVID-19</li> </ul>	...sibling at CRPS can continue to attend school UNLESS anybody in the household develops symptoms of COVID-19
...I am unable to get a test for a member of my household who has symptoms of COVID-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ If you are not able to get a test in the first 5 days of having symptoms, the symptomatic person must self-isolate for 10 days</li> <li>▪ The rest of the household must self-isolate for 14 days.</li> <li>▪ Anyone in your support bubble must also self-isolate.</li> </ul>	...the child has completed 10 days of isolation if they were symptomatic OR 14 days if another member of the household was symptomatic. The child needs to be well before returning to school

There is a symptom-checker on our website, as well as details of what to do if you suspect your child or anybody in your household has contracted Covid-19.






## SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS (CURRENT YEAR 6):

You can apply for a secondary school place now and the deadline is 31st October 2020.

Apply for schools through our website <https://www.coomberoad.brighton-hove.sch.uk/e-office/school-admissions>

HOUSE POINTS AND GOLDEN PUPILS:

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR TOP SCORERS AND GOLDEN PUPILS

BRUNSWICK	PALMEIRA	REGENCY	SUSSEX
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	4 <sup>th</sup> place	1 <sup>st</sup> place 
	TOP SCORERS		
Winter Oliver & Elliot Juliana Hunter Finlay B Emily Rike	Atlantis Dan Nyla Phoenix Oscar Cai Salma	Bertie Mila Eddie Charlie Regan Kieran Mia	Isabella Poppy Maddie Angel Finley TL Archie & Alfie Natan
GOLDEN PUPILS			
	Ruby Labiba Maddie Charlie Oliver & Preston Cai Jayden M		

HAPPY WEEKEND EVERYBODY – SEE YOU ON MONDAY!

# Coombe Road Primary School

## Term Dates 2020-2021



### AUTUMN TERM

First Day of Autumn Term	Monday, 7 <sup>th</sup> September (INSET Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> and Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> September)
Half Term (1 week) (children return to school on Monday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> November)	Monday, 26 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday, 30 <sup>th</sup> October
Last Day of Autumn Term	Friday, 18 <sup>th</sup> December
Christmas Holiday (children return to school on Tuesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> January)	Monday, 21 <sup>st</sup> December – Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> January

### SPRING TERM

First Day of Spring Term	Tuesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> January (INSET Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> )
Half Term (1 week) (children return to school on Monday, 24 <sup>th</sup> February)	Monday, 15 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday, 19 <sup>th</sup> February
Last Day of Spring Term	Thursday, 1 <sup>st</sup> April
Easter Holiday (Children return to school on Monday, 19 <sup>th</sup> April)	Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> April – Friday, 16 <sup>th</sup> April

### SUMMER TERM

First Day of Summer Term	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> April
May Day Bank Holiday	Monday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> May
Half Term (1 week) (children return to school on Monday, 7 <sup>th</sup> June)	Monday, 31 <sup>st</sup> May – Friday, 4 <sup>th</sup> June
Last Day of Summer Term	Wednesday, 21 <sup>st</sup> July (INSET Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> and Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> July)

#### **INSET Days (5 days in every academic year have to be set aside for staff training):**

To try and help parents, we have attached our staff training days to existing holidays. The school will be closed on the following days for INSET:

~Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2020    ~Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2020    ~Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021  
 ~Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2021                      ~Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021