

# Eastlands Primary School

## May 2021 Coronavirus Information Update

### Hello to all our families,

Thank you to all our families staff and children who have worked hard to keep the number of Covid cases down to a minimum in school. Parents support and co-operation has been much appreciated by all the school staff.



We do have vulnerable families in school who have families members with life threatening conditions. For this reason as we go into the final few weeks of term it is worth thinking about the lockdown roadmap and implications for school.

STEP 3 No earlier than 17 May	STEP 4 No earlier than 21 June
At least 5 weeks after Step 2	At least 5 weeks after Step 3 All subject to review
<b>EDUCATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As previous step</li> </ul>	<b>EDUCATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As previous step</li> </ul>
<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum 30 people outdoors</li> <li>Rule of 6 or two households indoors (subject to review)</li> </ul>	<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No legal limit</li> </ul>
<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor hospitality</li> <li>Indoor entertainment and attractions</li> <li>Organised indoor sport (adult)</li> <li>Remaining accommodation</li> <li>Remaining outdoor entertainment (including performances)</li> </ul>	<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remaining businesses, including nightclubs</li> </ul>
<b>TRAVEL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic overnight stays</li> <li>International travel (subject to review)</li> </ul>	<b>TRAVEL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic overnight stays</li> <li>International travel</li> </ul>
<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most significant life events (30)</li> <li>Indoor events: 1,000 or 50% (plus pilots)</li> <li>Outdoor seated events: 10,000 or 25% (plus pilots)</li> <li>Outdoor other events: 4,000 or 50% (plus pilots)</li> </ul>	<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No legal limit on life events</li> <li>Larger events</li> </ul>

- \* Step 4—June 21st is when country wide restrictions will be lifted. This will leave 22 school days to the end of term.
- Currently, Public Health England PHE are advising that schools are slower to ease restrictions as the local community will be relaxing on country wide restrictions. As we have seen in the past that there are spikes in cases when schools have returned at different stages. Therefore, it is likely that number of cases will see a spike. Rugby has been consistently high, relatively, in terms of cases so we are trying to avoid a local spike.
- Clearly whilst hospital admission are going down there are good reasons for continuing with great caution e.g. some children are sitting exams and these measures are to reduce risk of impacting on their exams through isolation.
- PHE will advise each school as needed if a concerning variant is detected.

### Safeguarding is Everybody's Responsibility

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## General information continued...

- \* On site, until the end of the school term we will continue the measures of control recommended by the government until the end of term:-
  - \* using a one way system in corridors to try to maintain a 2m distance,
  - \* Maintain class /phase bubbles where possible
  - \* More children in the hall for hot dinners with full ventilation
  - \* use face coverings on site,
  - \* continue with additional hygiene procedures, breaktime and lunchtimes will remain staggered, etc.
  - \* This is simply because schools are 'vectors of transmission'.
  - \* Furthermore, COVID is not going away so plans need to be adapted as .....
  
- \* We ask that you:-
  - \* Follow the current practices until the end of term with us
    - \* Face coverings, distancing on playground etc.
  - \* This approach does seem eminently sensible to ensure all families are safe and well over the summer break. Furthermore our vulnerable families remain at reduced risk for a little longer.
  
- \* Transition day at secondary school for year 6
  - \* Each school will have its own approach to transition. Please be aware that your child will not be able to come back on site here when they have been to another school earlier in the day.
  
- \* January parent survey Parents requested:-
  - \* Morning drop off remains the same with staff outside supervising—looks like our High Viz—jackets are here to stay!
  - \* The one way system is maintained in some form—there is a new path near the car-park to make this possible.
  - \* Children with bad coughs, temperature, sneezing etc are sent home to recover and reduce risk of spread. This will continue.

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## In September

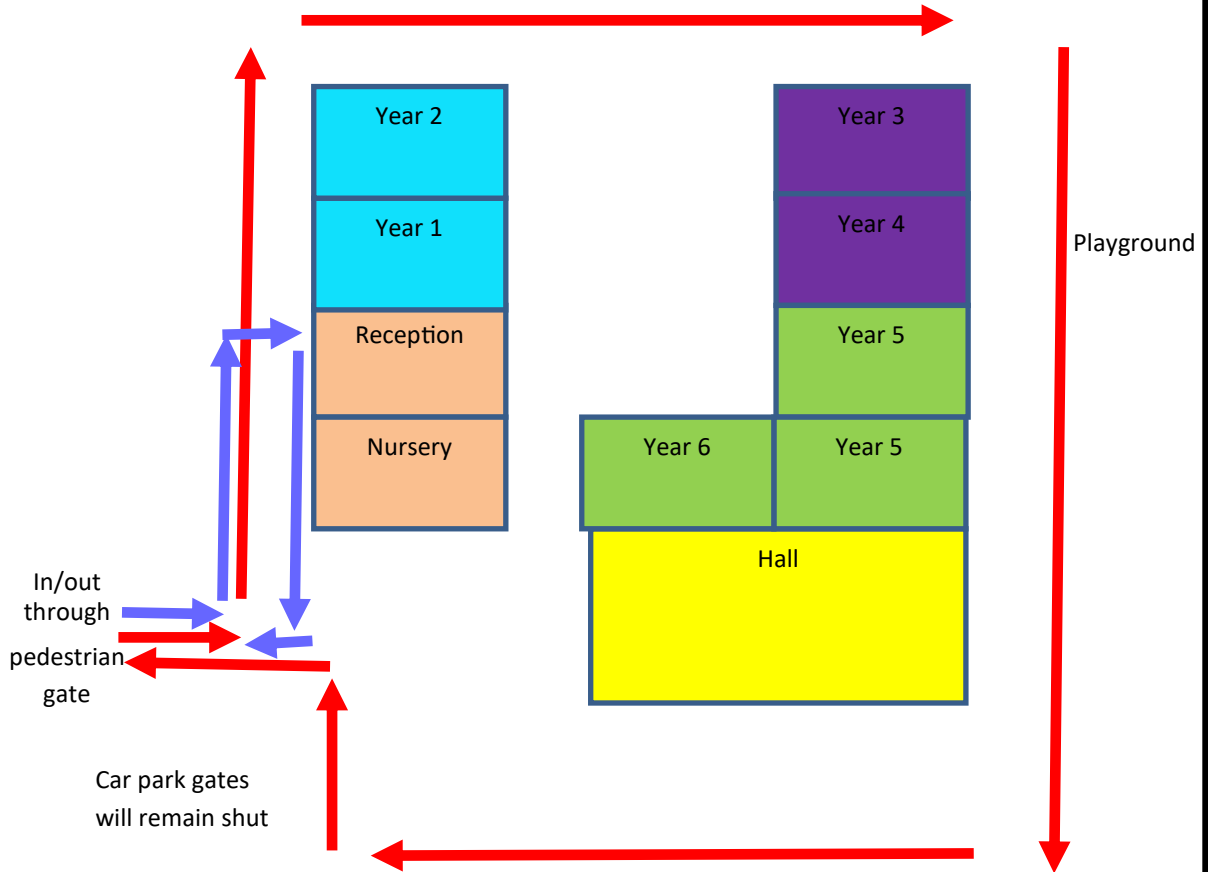
- ⇒ In September—all being well:-
- ⇒ Morning drop off **year 3– 6** pupils will walk on site independently.
- ⇒ **Nursery and Reception** children will be escorted onto site by an adult.
- ⇒ **Year 1 & 2** can walk in with an older sibling **or** with their parent. School start time will be 8.45 and the end of the school day will be 3.20.
- ⇒ End of day collection - an adult to collect all children from their classroom doors.
- ⇒ **Nursery & Reception** parents will be able to use the EYFS playground to wait and exit straight back onto the main path through the nursery gate. **As shown by blue arrows on diagram on the next page.**
- ⇒ Year 1– 6 parents will walk around the site using the one way system and rejoin the main pedestrian path to the front entrance by the school office. **As shown by red arrows on diagram on the next page.**
- ⇒ Children should wear full school uniform. Your child's PE days will be indicated in their HSCB. Your child should bring appropriate PE kit to school on these days.
- ⇒ Children to bring on their own labelled water bottle. Please send your child in with fruit for morning break.
- ⇒ Staff will wear gloves, masks and aprons when dealing with First Aid or any intimate care. As with any illness, if you child has any symptoms please do not send them to school and inform the school.
- ⇒ There will still be an isolation room in school for suspected Covid cases. If your child shows any symptoms of illness whilst they are in school you will be contacted in the normal way and you will be asked to come and collect your child immediately.

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**September 2021** - One Way Route for Children and Parents around school site.



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