



Pilgrims' Way Primary School

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Dear Parents, Carers and Children

I hope that you all have had a safe and happy summer.

At Pilgrims' Way, all the staff have been working hard, throughout the summer, preparing for the return of all our children on Wednesday 2 September. We are all very excited to see you all – there are so many new things to see and experience!

All children, in Years 1 to 6, must return to school on Wednesday 2 September. The front and back gates will be unlocked at 8.40 and locked at 9.15. Please take your child to their allocated door. Mrs Campbell and I will be on the playground to help if you are unsure of which class your child is in or which door to use.

Late arrivals must go to the main reception. Adults must wear face coverings.

POD	Class	Teacher	Year group	Entrance door
1	Nursey	Mrs Bolt	Nursery	Nursery building main entrance
2	Rabbit	Miss Anecchiarico	Reception	Reception classroom door
	Butterfly	Miss Tombs	Year 1	Library door
	Penguin	Mrs Read/Miss McCarthy	Year 2	Year 2 classroom door
3	Toucan	Mrs Pursey	Year 3	Year 3 Toucan classroom door
	Raccoon	Mrs Webb	Year 4	Year 3 classroom
	Eagle	Mr Hawthorne-Nelson	Year 4	Year 3 classroom
4	Lion	Miss Hilliary	Year 5	Original entrance (KS1 playground)
	Tiger	Mr Hillier	Year 5	Original entrance (KS1 playground)
	Polar Bear	Miss Kleebaum	Year 6	Original entrance (KS1 playground)
	Dolphin	Miss Hager	Year 6	Original entrance (KS1 playground)

Our kitchen is fully open so all children, who require cooked school lunches, will have a meal – please see our menu published on the website. Year 3 parents/carers, please remember to pay for school lunches via School Gateway, unless you are eligible for Free School Meals. Should you have any difficulties in moving from Free School Meals to paid meals, please make an appointment to speak to Helen our FLO. We are keen for as many children as possible to have school dinners and will help where we can. Lunchtime and break time Pod rotas are in place with dedicated spaces on the playground in place for each Pod

To continue in ensuring the safety of all our pupils, families and staff please continue to follow the agreed guidance.

- Follow the one way signs to and from your child's classroom entrance door
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- Only one adult per family on site at drop-off and pick up times
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- Everyone to maintain socially distancing expectations
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- Face masks must be worn if entering the school reception area
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- Parents are not allowed into the school unless they have a prearranged appointment.
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- Appointments with staff i.e. HT, DHT, SENCO, FLO can be arranged by telephone 01227 760084 or email office@pilgrims-way.kent.sch.uk or via office.
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- Please leave the school grounds as soon as your child is safely in school to help us mitigate any risks. Thank you.
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High levels of hygiene will be in place throughout the day. All children will hand gel their hands on entry and exit from the school. All Pods have their own allocated toilets.

Additional information

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- Please return all reading books (a suitable box will be in each classroom) so that we can audit how we re-fill our library – Thank You. You do not need to return the books with Book Exchange sticker.
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- Only bring PE kit, lunchboxes and school reading books into school
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- All children must be wearing the correct uniform in September including suitable, black school shoes – no trainers
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- If your child has medication in school, please bring new, in date medication when they return in September when a new medical form will need to be completed.
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- Outdoor PE will continue so please ensure your child has their PE kit in school on their allocated day.
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- Currently, there is no breakfast and after school provision. We will be regularly reviewing the need and keep you fully informed.
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Warm regards to you all – See you on Wednesday 2 September.

Miss AM Middleton
Headteacher