FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Foundation Phase Parents – Reception to Year 2.

Dear parents / carers,

Foundation Phase classes (Nursery to year 2) will be returning to school after the half term holiday, in line with Welsh Government guidance.

KS2 children (years 3-6) will continue with online learning after half term.

On Monday 22nd February school no children will attend school, to allow staff to prepare classrooms and resources in line with social distancing procedures.

Children will return gradually from Tuesday to Thursday, with each class being split into 3 and each group attending for 1 day.

All children will attend on Friday 26th February.

Therefore each child will attend school for a total of 2 days in the week beginning 22/2/21. Please see the day your child will attend school in the table below.

Monday 22nd February	No children in school	
Tuesday 23rd February	Group A children attend school	
Wednesday 24th February	Group B children attend school Group C children attend school	
Thursday 25th February		
Friday 26th February	ALL children attend school	
Monday 1 st March	ALL children continue to attend every day	

Online learning will be available during this week, in line with Fairfield's Blended Learning policy. There will be 3 pieces of literacy and numeracy work uploaded to each classroom at the beginning of the week for children to complete when not in school. There will not be daily video registration.

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Procedures in school

- Pupils are to wear uniforms. However, we understand children will have grown and shops aren't accessible, so consideration will be given (children can wear just jumpers/cardigans).
- Snack and milk will be provided £5 for this half term
- During this first week, children can bring a packed lunch to school or choose a school packed lunch. These will be eaten in classrooms.

Hot school dinners will begin from Monday 1st March.

Times for the day remain the same as last term

• School day starts: 8.50am - 9.10am

• Collection times:

Reception	3.15pm
Shakespeare	3.20pm
Dahl	3.25pm
Kipling	3.30pm

Social distancing measures

- All adults must wear a mask around the school gates and maintain social distancing.
- Classes will be in bubbles and not mix with other classes.
- Hand washing / sanitiser will be used.
- One way system in place around school.
- Children will sit side-by-side and face forward, where possible.
- Staff will wear masks around school and in class where necessary.
- School is involved in weekly testing of staff.
- Playtimes and lunchtimes will be staggered during the day for each class.
- There will be no Breakfast Club or After School Club provision.

Please note: If your child or a family member has Covid-19 symptoms, you must inform school and they must self-isolate at home.

Please note: Covid-19 restrictions continue outside of school, so children are unable to mix in home circumstances.

Yours faithfully,

S. Lewis

Headteacher

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