

Welcome back!

We are so looking forward to seeing you on Thursday 11th June. We thought it might be useful for you and your children to see the classrooms beforehand and I hope that you have found the reintegration booklet useful but as there is a lot of information for you to get your heads around, I have also added some of the key pieces of information on here.

- Year 6 will come into school from 9:10am until 3:30pm. Children continue to be eligible for a free school meal but these do need ordering via Aspens as usual, the night before at the latest.
- Mrs Eaton has done a little video showing the children where they will be dropped off and collected and this can be found on the website.
- Please can you make sure that your child has a named water bottle in school every day.
- Please can you apply a long wearing sun cream if the weather is due to be fine before they arrive at school. They will then need to have some additional, named sun cream in their bag which they can apply at school if necessary. A spray or roll on would be ideal.
- Children should come to school in uniform and trainers- no PE kit is necessary.

See you all soon, the Year 6 Team



This is where you will line up in the morning when you come into the school grounds. Mr Rumbelow has sprayed some lovely yellow paint on the playground so that you can keep 2 metres apart!

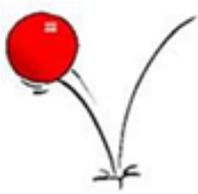


Indoor learning



When we are learning inside the classroom, the children will be working in 2 separate bubbles: Team 6a and Team 6b. As the number of children wishing to return to Year 6 is so big, you will be put into one of the two bubbles. This is simply to try to reduce the potential spreading of germs. Each child will have their own table and drawer so they can keep their stationery, drinks bottles and belongings in one place. You will be given your own pack of learning materials with a pencil case, glue stick, white board pen, scissors etc. You can also bring in and use your own pencil case too, but cannot share your stationery with others. Team 6a will be led by Mrs Crowle in the Year 6 classroom; Team 6b will be led by Miss Atkinson in the Year 5 classroom. All learning and work will be planned by Mrs Crowle so that both bubbles do the same activities every day.

On this next slide, there is a timetable for our two bubbles.



Year Six – Week One – Getting Back on Track (commencing Thurs 11th June)

Group 6a

Group 6b

Children arrive at designated point. Wash hands and sit for register.	9:10 -9:20	Children arrive at designated point. Wash hands and sit for register.
Session 1 Bounce Back activity/transition	9:20 -9:40	Session 1 Bounce back activity/transition
Session 2 Maths	9:40-10:20	Session 2 Maths
Break	10:20-10:50	Break
Session 3 Reading/English	10:50 -12:15	Session 3 Reading/English
Lunch (picnic outside if weather allows)	12:15 – 1:15	Lunch (picnic outside if weather allows)
Session 4 Creative /topic	1:15 – 2:15	Session 4 Physical Activity (Mr Crowden)
Session 5 story		Session 5 Creative /topic
Session 6 Physical activity (Mr Crowden)	2:15 – 3:15	Session 6 Story

Where possible, we will try and ensure that the children are able to access the outdoors as much as possible.



We know the children will want to spend time together but, for your reassurance, we do have things in place, such as using toys for wet playtime that can be easily cleaned. We will do our very best to try and ensure that the children distance, but children are children and their natural instinct will be to get close to each other.



Whilst we will be encouraging the children to socially distance, we want to encourage this in a safe and positive way. 'Go away, you're too close' is not the kindest of phrases, but you could understand why, in these circumstances, children might say this. Within school we will be using the phrase, 'Be careful not to step on somebody's rainbow' to remind them about social distancing. Staff and children will be able to say to each other, 'Please don't step on my rainbow' without hurting somebody's feelings.

*Don't step on
somebody's rainbow!*

We really hope that your child's return to school is a positive one and we will do all we can to ensure this is the case. We will be teaching daily Bounce Back sessions which will focus on themes such as friendship and resilience. Additional resources for parents can now be found on the school website.

It might not be as easy for us to talk on the gate as usual as it will be busy in the mornings with a number of parents waiting and the children will need supervising in the classroom. However, if you have any worries or concerns at all, please drop us an email or call the school office and one of us will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you on Thursday.

Mrs Crowle and Miss Atkinson

