

School start and end times for September 2022



In September we are changing our start and end times of the day to meet new Governmental legislation. All children will be able to be dropped off between **8.45-8.55** through the inner black gates on the Key Stage (KS) 1 playground with school officially starting at 8.55am.

A member of staff will be on the KS1 inner black gate to welcome the children entering through the gate. The children will then walk directly to their classes through their allocated doors where the teacher will have a starter activity ready in their classroom. This reduces congestion in the corridors and enables a calm, quick and efficient start to the school day with registration commencing at 8.55am. At 8.55am the inner black gate will be locked and any late arrivals will need to wait at the front office for admittance.

Please continue to use the one way system for drop off as this allows a swift 'drop off and go' for all parents which has worked extremely well. Please wait outside the inner black gate for it to be opened promptly at 8.45am.

At the end of the day our priority is for the safe 'hand over' of the children. Having the children lined up on a designated spot on the playground allows teachers to hand over the children safely.

We would ask that you wait at the inner black school gate until it opens at **3.25pm** for the collection of EYFS and KS1 children. The children will be placed on the same spot each day for ease of hand over. You are now able to walk directly to your child and back out again.

For those parents with children in EYFS/ KS1 and KS2 you may wish to collect all your children in one go. Therefore please come at the later time of 3.30pm as the younger children will be placed in a 'waiting area' until you arrive.

At **3.30pm** the Year 3/4 and 5/6 children will enter the playground and stand on their spots ready for collection. Please may Year 3/4 and 5/6 parents wait at the inner black gate to allow the rest of the school to exit.

Any Key Stage 2 parents wishing their child to walk out of the school gate at the end of the school day unaccompanied must confirm this in writing prior to starting the new term. A google form will be sent out before the beginning of next term to confirm your arrangements. Please complete and return this form to confirm pick-up arrangements for September 2022-2023 even if you have previously given consent.