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Issue 2

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# **Danson Primary School Newsletter**

Head Teacher's Notice Board

Dear Children, Mums, Dads and Carers,

It has been a fantastic week at Danson, it has been lovely seeing all our children and adult learning socially distant

games and enjoying their mindfulness and sporting wellbeing active minutes this week. I would like to give a special mention and welcome to our new Nursery children who have joined Danson this week. They have had lots of fun meeting their new class teacher, Mrs Evans, Pupil Support Assistant, Mrs Longley and their new classmates. They have had lots of fun experiencing their new environment.

This week you will receive a Year Group letter from your child's teacher giving you information on the online platforms that we use in Danson. Please support your child in logging onto them during the course of this weekend/next week.



You will also receive a letter today from Mr Corley who is our Sports Coach at Danson. He will be sharing with you when your child has PE and PE kit expectations. Please engage with this letter so that your child comes in with the correct kit on the correct day.

Thank you again for your continued support with our morning and afternoon arrangements, everyone is becoming so adept at knowing where to stand and when to come in. To help us even further we would ask that if you are dropping off and collecting children from different playgrounds, please join the queue in the designated area or wait until those who have queued in the designated area have passed through the gate.

## Scooters

If your child comes to school on a scooter, the scooter should be walked into and out of school, children or siblings should not be riding or being pulled along on it.

## Adults on site

Now that children are becoming more confident with the procedures for the drop off and collections, we would also ask that only one parent comes onto school site so that we can keep the number of adults on school site as low as possible. Please know that if your child is confident to come into the playground independently they can walk through the gate by themselves, you can just drop them to it.

We have seen more parents and carers wearing masks onto school site in light of the Government changes that came into effect last Monday. Please try ensure to maintain social distancing and/or have a face covering when on school grounds, especially if you need to speak to a member of staff/your child's class teacher. The safest way to communicate to the school is still via telephone/email. If it is urgent Senior Leaders, Office Staff, Year Group Leads and Pupil Support Assistants are available onsite, socially distant with face coverings to reduce the risk to the teacher and in doing so to all the children in your child's class. Thank you again for you continued support and helping us to keep everyone safe.

I hope you have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing you all next week.

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#### **Social Media**

The school has no links to any social media sites and has no control over content or comments. If you have a query relating to your child's class, education or events happening within the school, please speak to the school directly.



'Please think before you post'



# **Use of mobile devices**

Mobile phones and tablets should not be used to take photos or videos when inside the school grounds without the prior consent of the Head Teacher to ensure the Safeguarding and Child Protection of our pupils. Use of such equipment contravenes Section 6 'equipment and digital content section' of the LGFL E-Safety Policy.

'The recording, taking and sharing of images, video and audio on any mobile phone is to be avoided except where it has been explicitly agreed otherwise by the Head Teacher.'

Failure to adhere to this may jeopardize attending any future school events or access to school site.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.

## **Uniform**

Please ensure that your child's uniform is labelled with their name. Please ensure that your child is in the correct colour of pinafore (green)/school trousers (grey).

#### **Sickness**

If your child is unwell please provide as much specific information relating to the symptoms of the illness to assist the office staff.

# **Safeguarding-Medical Information/Medicines**

Please ensure you have completed all asthma and EpiPen forms and return to the office with the appropriate medication. Please contact the School Office to make an appointment to do this or speak to a member of staff on the school gates for further information/support.