

4th March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Primary – March Return

We are so looking forward to the whole school being together on Monday. You have already had a letter go over the drop off/pick up times and the measures that are in place on our return.

As always, our priority is the safety and wellbeing of the children, your family, and our staff. With this in mind I need to remind you of some of our school guidance followed by the government guidance. Following this guidance you will be helping to keep each other and staff safe.

Please adhere to social distancing rules whilst dropping off your children and picking them up, and do not gather close to the school gates. When collecting your child please come into the grounds to the allotted areas to avoid adults gathering at the gates. We are asking that you are considerate and please wear a face-covering when on school site or close to other parents and families.

What happens if a child has symptoms?

As previously it is so important that children or staff do not come to school if they or a member of their household

- Have symptoms or have had a positive test
- Live with someone who has symptoms or has tested positive and are a household contact
- Are a close contact of someone who has coronavirus (COVID-19)

Book a test if you or your child has symptoms (by searching '[NHS Test and Trace](#)', or calling NHS 119). The main symptoms are:

- a high temperature
- a new continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

Parents must inform the Academy immediately of the results:

- if you or your child tests negative, and if you or your child feel well and no longer have symptoms similar to coronavirus (COVID-19), you can stop self-isolating.
- if you or your child tests positive, you should follow the '[Stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus infection](#)' and must continue to self-isolate for at least 7 days from the onset of their symptoms and your child may only return to school if they do not have symptoms other than a cough.

If anyone develops symptoms at school, they will have to be collected immediately and return home to self-isolate.

If you have any questions/concerns please contact us by email on [*admin@oasistemple.org*](mailto:admin@oasistemple.org)

Thank you for your ongoing support of the staff and the Academy. To open safely, we will need everyone to continue to follow all the safety measures carefully.

Yours sincerely,

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