

**Lower Heath CE Primary School**

**Covid-19 Home-School Agreement**

# Welcome



**THE SCHOOL will do its best to...**

- Provide an environment which has been risk assessed in response to the COVID-19 infection;
- Adhere to the social distancing rules as set out by the government as much as we reasonably can;
- Provide a curriculum that meets your child's well-being, mental health and academic needs;
- Contact parents/carers if a child displays symptoms of COVID-19;
- Inform parents/carers if staff or children in their child's 'bubble' show symptoms of COVID-19, as this will mean you will all need to self-isolate for at least 14 days or until a test comes back negative;
- Continue our clear and consistent approach to rewards and sanctions for children as set out in the Behaviour Policy as well the expectations outlined in this agreement;
- Communicate between home and school through notices, newsletters, text messages, emails and the school website/Facebook page.

**PARENTS: To help my child at school, I know and understand that...**

- If my child, or anyone in my household, shows symptoms of COVID-19, I will not send them to school, we will self-isolate following government guidelines, I will get them tested and I will let the school know as soon as possible via telephone;
- If my child, or another child in the group, shows symptoms of COVID-19 at school, I will collect my child from school immediately;
- When dropping my child off and picking them up, I will adhere to the rules in place to ensure distancing between groups of parents and groups of children;
- When dropping off and picking up my child, I will strictly stick to the school timings for my child's group;
- My child must not bring any items into school with them (other than those specifically requested in school guidelines) or take items home from school;

- My child may have their temperature taken on arrival and during the day if they feel or present as being unwell;
- I will need to remind my child about social distancing rules but accept they are difficult to follow and that my child may not always do this successfully;
- My child will need to use good respiratory and hand hygiene;
- I will not be allowed into the school without a pre- arranged appointment, and meetings with staff (if requested) will take place by telephone where possible;
- I need to support all staff in their efforts to create an environment which is 'as safe as possible' during this crisis;
- I must read all letters/messages/emails that are sent home;
- I need to inform the school immediately of any changes to parents/carer and emergency contacts details;
- If my child is deemed unsafe, he/she will be sent home and cannot return to school until they can be safe.

**PUPILS: I will do my best to...**

- Adhere to the social distancing rules in class and in the playground;
- Tell an adult if I feel unwell;
- Not bring things into school from home, or take things home from school;
- Only use the equipment provided to me by school;
- Not mix with any other 'bubbles' of children in the school;
- Only enter the areas which my 'bubble' is allowed to access;
- Only visit the toilet when there is space to do so (maximum THREE children at any one time, from ONE class), and follow the rules for hand-washing and wiping down taps after use;
- Follow good respiratory hygiene: coughing and sneezing into elbow or tissue (catch it-bin it-kill it);
- Follow good hand hygiene – use soap and water for 20 seconds/ hand sanitiser;
- Behave well at all times to maintain the safety of myself and others;
- Follow these expectations and know that if I don't, I will be sent home and will not be able to come back into school until I can be safe.

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Name of child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

If you have accepted a place to return to school on 1st June 2020, as part of the phased school return programme, we require you to accept the home-school agreement.

Please look through it with your child/ren so they are clear on these expectations.

- Yes, I accept
- No, I do not accept (if no, please contact the school)

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Carer)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE POST RESPONSES IN THE RED POST BOX, JUST INSIDE THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO  
THE SCHOOL**