



Friday 6th November 2020

National Lockdown Update

Dear Parents /Carers,

As we are now in a second national lockdown, I need to write to you to explain in detail the expectations and measures that are in place at Corpus Christi. I also want to reassure you of the measures that we have put in place and that at the heart of every decision that I make, I have the safety of the children, staff and parents and the forefront.

It is recognised locally and nationally how important it is that, despite national restrictions, our children can hopefully maintain as normal a way of life as possible. We are fortunate to have a wonderful school, with excellent dedicated teachers and staff, and we believe that all children should be in school, not only to learn, but also for their own mental and physical wellbeing.

We are pleased to be helping your child/children to continue with their education. Where pupils do need to self-isolate, school will support them with a combination of learning packages, LBQ, Teams, SeeSaw and Tapestry.

We continue to take every measure to make sure that Corpus Christi is as safe as it possibly can be, and I would like to thank you for your continued support in helping us reduce Covid 19. We continue to review our Risk Assessment, this can be found on the Romero website, and it is updated regularly to ensure that we can continue to remain open safely.

As we are now in a National Lockdown position, there are obviously tighter restrictions for people to adhere to and as a parent or carer there are a number of things that you can do to help make our school as safe.

These are:

- Not sending your child/children to school if they are showing Coronavirus symptoms or if someone in your household is showing symptoms
- Keeping your child/children at home when they have been identified as having close contact with a confirmed case either in school or elsewhere
- Arranging a test if you or your child/children develop symptoms- no matter how mild-and informing us of the result
- Ensuring that the whole household self-isolate where a household member is awaiting a result, and continued self-isolation for 14 days if the test is positive
- Reinforcing with your child/children how to wash hands, make space and minimise contact
- Adhering to the current national guidance which will help reduce transmission
- Adhering to the school rules when you pick up and drop off your child/children at the school site, including not entering the school grounds in a vehicle at **ALL** times including breakfast and after school club
- Ensuring that direct contact with staff, including the office is in an emergency only
- Returning the home school agreement
- Keeping children by your side at all times
- Not using outdoor equipment
- Wearing a mask at all times

The times for drop off and collection have been designed to allow you to choose the most appropriate time depending on the year that your child/children are in. The following table will help you to choose the correct window to arrive at school.

School drop off times

Time	Class	Location
8:30-8:45	Nursery	Reception garden gate
9:00-9:15	Years 1 & 2	Langbank Ave gate
8:45-9:00	Years 5 & 6	Electric vehicle gate
8:45-9:00	Years 3 & 4	Langbank Ave gate
9:00-9:15	Reception	Reception garden gate

Please do not arrive before your time slot

School collection times

Time	Class	Location
11:30	Nursery	Nursery garden gate
3:00	Nursery	Reception garden gate
3:00	Reception	Reception garden gate
3:00	Years 1 & 2	Langbank Ave gate
3:15	Years 3 & 4	Langbank Ave gate
3:15	Years 5 & 6	Electric vehicle gate

Please do not arrive before your time slot

Wrap Around

Apart from yr 5 & 6 football after school clubs, **ALL** other clubs will continue as normal (including breakfast club) until further notice.

Kind regards



Charlotte Miller