

# Water Primary School

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Dear Families

Please can I give you all further details with regard to our reopening to all children next week.

- Start times 8.50am Acorn (Reception) Willow (Year 1) Hazel (Year 2/3) normal entrance points
- Start Times 9am Maple (Year 2/3) Entrance through the main doors. Blossom (Year 5) Old After School Club entrance and Sequoia (Year 6) Minibus entrance
- Finish times 3.25pm Acorn, Willow and Hazel
- Finish times 3.30pm Maple, Blossom, Sequoia
- Breakfast Club 7.30am – 8.50am This will now be in school and children can enter through the Old After School club. This needs to be booked in advance through ParentPay.
- After School Club – 3.25pm – 5.25pm again this will be in school. This needs to be booked in advance through Parent Pay.
- Full School uniform unless it is your child's PE Day (See below)
- PE Days Acorn – Thursday, Willow – Tuesday, Hazel – Monday, Maple – Thursday, Blossom – Wednesday, Sequoia – Tuesday
- Lunches can be booked via the normal ParentPay route and packed lunches can be brought into school.
- Reading bags/packets can also be brought into school.

For the first few weeks we feel it is extremely important that our curriculum focuses on the whole child and their well-being, therefore you may notice extra PSHE and circle time sessions, as we spend more time nurturing and developing social skills and needs, which we feel this is necessary following a number of weeks in isolation and time away from friends. We have increased the length of break time in the morning and we have added an extra break in the afternoon, in order to allow for the children to spend more time socialising and being active. In addition, we have ensured that all children in school receive at least one Forest School session each week. Please see below for the timetable.

Day	Class
Mon AM 9.30am- 11.15am	Reception Acorn
Mon PM 1.30-3pm	Y6 Sequoia



<b>Tues AM</b> 9.45 – 11.45	<b>Y3</b> <b>Hazel</b>
<b>Tues PM</b> 1.30-3pm	<b>Y5</b> <b>Blossom</b>
<b>Wed PM</b> 1.30pm – 3.15pm	<b>Y4/3</b> <b>Maple</b>
<b>Fri AM</b> 9.30am – 11.15am	<b>Y1</b> <b>Willow</b>
<b>Fri PM</b> 1.45pm – 3.15pm	<b>Y2</b> <b>Hazel</b>

Please can you ensure that your child has the correct clothing for their session. We have been lucky enough to secure a number of new items from Regatta free of charge, however we are still awaiting delivery of these but if you are struggling with any pieces of equipment then we can help. Please do get in touch.

The children and adults in school we still be following a strict handwashing and hygiene routine within school and can we also ask that parents and adults follow social distancing measures when collecting and dropping off their children. Please can I ask that only one parent attends school to drop off and pick up. The children will still be in their class group bubbles and normal teaching and learning will take place. The staff are currently testing using the Lateral Flow Tests twice a week in order to help stop the spread of this disease. Unfortunately this may result in class bubble closures. It is also important that you inform me of any positive tests and you follow government guidance regarding self-isolation.

I personally cannot wait to see you all and the children on the 8<sup>th</sup>. We have really missed you. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any further questions or worries.

Take care

Mr Willan  
Headteacher