



St Mary's Primary School

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Principal: Mr. M Meehan

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Dear Parents

The safety measures our school have put in place from August have been very successful to date. Our children are safe in their bubbles and we strive each day to ensure school continues to be fun, interactive and engaging for our pupils. The staggered breaks and lunches have become routine for the children and we will continue to evaluate new strategies and implement governmental changes as they occur. However, we all have a responsibility to ensure our community remains safe. As stipulated by the Department of Education:

'Parents and carers are asked not to congregate at school gates when they are dropping off their children. Always practise good social distancing and wear a mask and try to avoid going beyond the school gate unless you have an appointment. If you need to speak to a teacher ring or email first.'

Therefore, we ask parents not to enter the school premises when dropping off or collecting their children. Mr Meehan will be at the main reception area each morning to welcome the children. If a message needs to be passed to a teacher please inform Mr Meehan, call the school or email the teacher directly.

Contact with Teachers

To reduce the foot-fall in school we ask parents to make direct contact with class teachers through email or call the school and a member of staff will return their call. Parents are required to wear face coverings when visiting the school or attending meetings with teachers.

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We are continually reviewing safety measures to ensure our entire school community stays safe throughout this pandemic. Please stay safe and exercise caution as we continue to live through uncertain and challenging times.

Your Sincerely

Mr M. Meehan (Principal)