

Primary School



Hello Children,

It seems such a long time ago since we last saw you all in school. We have been keeping in touch every week and know you have been working and playing hard at home. You have been amazing, staying at home and helping us all stay safe.

Now we are ready to start welcoming you back to school. School will look a little different when you return, so this booklet will help you understand what it will be like. We are really looking forward to seeing you all!

Love from everyone at Queen's Park CE/URC Primary School

What is Coronavirus

Coronavirus is an illness that affects people's breathing and lungs. It can be spread from person to person by coughing or touching surfaces.

Children who get corona virus will usually only get a little ill, like a cold. Lots of children don't get it at all.

The same goes for your mummy and daddy, if they get it. Grown-ups with healthy bodies are not likely to become very ill.

But coronavirus can make people very poorly especially if they are old or have illnesses already.

We must do everything we can to protect everyone around us.



There have been big changes in our lives because of coronavirus.

Schools have closed and we have needed to stay at home.

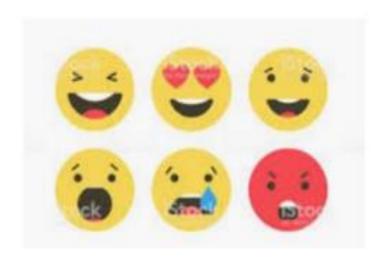
So, coronavirus has probably made your life feel very different for a number of weeks.

All these changes might have made you feel worried or scared.

That's ok.

It's totally normal to feel like this.

When you are back in school we will be doing lots of things to help you with all these feelings.



How will we keep you safe in school.

Keeping everything clean

There will be lots of cleaning going on around school during the day to keep everything clean.

You will be asked to wash your hands properly lots of times during the day



Can you practice washing your hands at home?

If you cough - remember you need to cough into your elbow.



If you sneeze or blow your nose you need to use a tissue. You will need to put your tissue straight into a bin.

We need to remember to - "catch it, bin it, kill it."



Year Group Bubbles

When you come back in school, you will be in bubbles. Your bubble will include all your class friends. There is an EYFS, YI, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 Bubble.



We need to keep your bubble safe, so you will have playtimes and lunchtimes with your bubble in different zones on the playground and in the hall.

But don't worry about this - your teachers have all the information and will make sure you know where to go.

You will be given all your own equipment so you don't need to bring any pencil cases in from home.



When you come to school in the morning, you will be greeted by an adult and go to your class. We will need to wash our hands and use hand santisier all the time throughout the day.





The toilets are very clean and you will be able to go to the toilet as often as you need. The adults in your bubble will tell you when your bubble can go.

For lunch, you can either have a dinner or bring a packed lunch. You can bring your lunch (in your clean lunchbox), with a water bottle every day (please make sure you bring in water – not juice). You cannot bring anything else to school – please leave your toys at home.

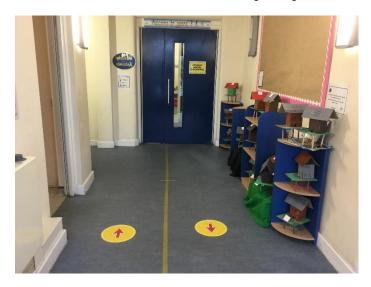
Most days, when the weather is nice, we will be spending time outside in the playground. We will spend lots of time learning outside!



This is Mrs Haughey, one of TAs, who has some special things on called PPE. This is only worn during breaktimes for first aid.

Inside our school, we have made some changes to help keep us all safe but there is nothing to worry about.

We have a one-way system to help in the corridors.





We have signs all around the school reminding us to keep our distance, how to use hand sanitiser and advice if you sneeze.







This is most important one! We must remember to wash our hands regularly to help keep us safe.



Our classrooms look just the same - we have just moved our tables around a bit and had a tidy up!

We can't wait to see you all back in school in September. Have a lovely safe summer. ©

