

# YSGOL EYTON



## NEWSLETTER 11<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parents,

Please find below the drop off and collection details for your child's class:

Eyton Church in Wales Primary School UPDATED Return to School Plan Sept 2020

-	Mon 14th	Tues 15th	Weds 16th	Thurs 17th	Fri 18th
F.Phase	In 9.05am				
Front door	Nursery	Nursery	Nursery	Nursery	Nursery
	12.45pm	12.45pm	12.45pm	12.45pm	12.45pm
	Home 3.00pm				
Y2/3/4	Y2/3/4 in				
Side Gate	school at				
/	8.55am side				
	gate	gate	gate	gate	gate
	Home 3.10pm				
Y 5/6	In school				
Driveway Gates	8.50am	8.50am	8.50am	8.50am	8.50am
	Home 3.15pm				
	Driveway	Driveway	Driveway	Driveway	Driveway
	gates	gates	gates	gates	gates

#### Welcome back!

It has been lovely to see the children returning to school this week. They have returned with smiles and have adapted to the changes that we have put into place; the heart is back in the school!

Breakfast Club and Eyton Extras will be open, please come to the main entrance as usual. School lunches are available, the menu is on the website. Please pay online or put money in an envelope for your child to give in.

We need your support to help us keep everybody as safe as we can. Please read the measures below so that we can work together to provide the best for our children.

Please keep sandwiches simple and as disposable as possible. Drinks bottles or yoghurt pots/sachets that leak and spill over everyone else's lunch or down the corridor are a health risk that we need to avoid. Children are to bring bottles and packets that they can open themselves. Please avoid packing cutlery that can be dropped, fall out of lunch boxes and so on. School dinners are using disposable crockery and cutlery, so if your child needs cutlery with their packed lunch, please make it disposable. Fruit: please could satsumas be pre-peeled and apples pre-sliced, if necessary. Please could sandwiches be brought to school in disposable bags, to keep home-school-home items to a minimum.

We will continue to do PE outside in our normal clothes next week so PE kit bags will not be needed whilst we all settle back in. We will review our procedures for week 3, starting 21<sup>st</sup> September and inform you of the changes next Friday.

Children will not need pencil cases, toys, cuddlies etc. Please make sure that these are left at home. Please keep school bags and other items from home to an absolute minimum.

The no jewellery policy will be strictly adhered to, only plain earrings are permitted. Beads, jewellery with stones in and such like can harbour dirt, bacteria and viruses, so please leave these at home.

If your child shows any symptoms of any illness, please keep them at home and take advice from the medical services, because children can show different symptoms to adults. Please apply for a test by calling 119 between the hours of 7am-11pm. If you have hearing or speech difficulties please call 18001119 to book a test.

Should your child display any symptoms during the school day, they will be isolated with a member of staff nearby for support. You will be contacted to come and collect your child immediately, so please ensure that you have an emergency plan in place, in case it is necessary.

If, on arrival at school, your child becomes distressed, please don't worry. Keep things stress-free, take them home again. Calm them down, wipe them down and change clothes if necessary. Contact us at school and we will arrange a return to school plan with you.

Face Masks: Staff will be wearing face masks or visors, especially if someone requires first aid or becomes unwell. The children will have seen people in shops, out and about, in face masks or visors, so they are becoming, "the new normal." The current guidance from Public Health Wales is that primary aged pupils do not wear masks in school. If you feel that your child needs to wear a mask, please contact me at:

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Mr Griffiths has formally written to myself and the governors to announce his retirement at Christmas. He has worked at Eyton School for over 20 years and he will be very much missed. I would like to thank Mr Griffiths for his hard work and dedication to the children and families of Eyton School. The governors and I will now start the process of recruitment, but Mr Griffiths will be very much missed by everyone. I will keep you updated with news as the term progresses, but we will need to plan a very special celebration for Mr Griffiths' retirement and of his time at Eyton School.

Thank you for your continued support; it is very much appreciated,

### Louise Whitgreave

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Headteacher