



## Guidelines for children returning to school

Before Leaving Home	Done
Please support the school's efforts to create an environment that is as 'safe as possible' by talking to your child about social distancing, good respiratory and hand hygiene.	
Ensure the office has all your emergency contact details.	
Please ensure you read all the messages/letters/emails sent home as the guidance may change.	
Prepare your child for their return by looking at the resources on the whole school page on our website – Back to school films <a href="http://www.barham.kent.sch.uk/parents/whole-school">http://www.barham.kent.sch.uk/parents/whole-school</a>	
Check your child feels well.	
Apply sunscreen.	
Ensure your child washes their hands upon leaving the house.	

What to bring	Done
Own clothes to be worn for sporty, outdoor activities and trainers. Pupils must be able to do up their shoes independently. Plain T-shirts if possible. We recommend putting clothes straight into the washing machine when arriving at home to minimise and control the spread of infection.	
Sun hat, jumper and coat if cooler	
A packed lunch, water bottle and snacks. Please note lunch boxes will be kept by pupil's chair in the classroom not in the cool boxes.	
Bring the home-learning book, reading book and pencil case.	
Bring any medication that is normally kept in school.	

Arriving at school	Done
Check your drop off/pick up times	
Only one parent to accompany child onto premises	
Should you arrive at the same time as another family, please ensure you maintain social distancing. The cones are placed 2m apart as a guide.	
Follow the one-way system when entering and leaving the premises.	
Children will wash their hands or use hand sanitiser on arrival in school.	

### In School

Staff will create a positive, fun & nurturing environment.

There will be good ventilation in rooms and the outdoor space will be used as much as possible.

Social distancing will be enforced as much as possible when your child is in school.

Children will wash their hands frequently and be reminded about hand hygiene.

If your child is unsafe in school, he/she will be sent home and will be invited in when a risk assessment has been completed. The behaviour policy addendum is on the website.

If you become unwell with coronavirus symptoms, you must immediately contact the school and arrange collection of your child. Your child will then need to self-isolate with your family for 14 days if the test is positive.

If your child becomes unwell with symptoms in school, you must arrange for them to be tested. Information about tests can be found here:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/testing-for-coronavirus/>

If staff members are absent, we may have to close the group and the children of that group will have to remain at home. You will be informed of this at the earliest opportunity.

**By sending your child to school, you are agreeing to abide by these guidelines**

Drop off and Pick up Times/Places			
Year Group	Entrance	Drop off	Pick up
KS1 Key Worker	Wrens Door	8:45	3:10
KS2 Key Worker	Main gate	8:50	3:15
Year 6	Main gate	9:00	3:00
Year 5	Main gate	9:10	2:50
Year 4	Main gate	9:20	2:30
Year 3	Main gate	9:30	2:40
Owls	Wrens Door	9:15	2:50
Jays	Wrens Door	9:25	3:00
Wrens	Wrens Door	9:05	2:40