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DROP OFF AND PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS

Dear Parents and Carers,

The new staggered drop off and pick up times introduced on Thursday 5th November have greatly helped to improve congestion on our narrow pathways, social distancing and have enabled our children to come to school safely.

As the 'National Restrictions' come to an end and we are placed into Tier 2, we still feel it important to keep the existing measures in place at drop off and pick up to ensure the safety of all our families and children. **Therefore, the existing staggered drop off and pick up times will remain the same until Christmas.**

Please note from January, there will be a slight change to our staggered drop off and pick up times. Please see below. These changes will be in place until February when they will be reviewed.

NEW TIMES FROM JANUARY 2021

STAGGERED STARTS TO MINIMISE ADULT TO ADULT CONTACT

DROP OFF TIMES

The following changes will be in place from Tuesday 5th January. All families must follow the following **drop off arrangements**. We are continuing to use your <u>child's last name as an initial</u> for this and if you have children with different last names then use the initial of your eldest child *(this includes childminders)*.

8:30am LAST NAMES STARTING WITH A B C D E F G H I J K L M

8:40am LAST NAMES STARTING WITH NOPQRSTUVWXYZ















Morning nursery come in as per the drop off staggered times but all get collected at 11:30am unless they stay for lunch.

Afternoon nursery to continue to come in at normal time of 12:15pm but observe the pick-up times.

ALL OWL CLASS REMAIN THE SAME 9:00am - 3:00pm

ALL children in Reception to Year 6 must continue be left at the gate and no parent/ carer will be permitted on the playgrounds at drop off unless walking between sites.

MASKS MUST BE WORN PLEASE. CONTINUE TO KEEP YOUR DISTANCE AT ALL TIMES PLEASE.

PICK UP TIMES

If your child is old enough and capable enough to walk home (Year 4-6) they should continue to do so. If not please stick to the following collection times. Early Years classes queue at the gates and Key stage 2 either meet your child outside the gate or there is space to wait on the yard and maintain social distancing. ALL GATES WILL BE MANNED BY STAFF FOR SAFETY REASONS BEWEEN 8:30am-08:45am and 3:00-3:15pm – please be punctual.

3:00pm LAST NAMES STARTING WITH A B C D E F G H I J K L M

3:10pm LAST NAMES STARTING WITH NOPQRSTUVWXYZ

If any of this presents you with difficulty due to your own personal circumstances then please email contact@darnhall.cheshire.sch.uk and we will do our very best to accommodate in any way we can.

Thank you for helping keep us all as safe as we can. We appreciate your continued support.

With kindest regards,

Sarah Tomlinson

Headteacher











