

Southam Primary School

Return to School Booklet:

Ladybird Class

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Information Booklet**

1. Will my classroom look different?

Your classroom has some things that are the same and some things that are different.



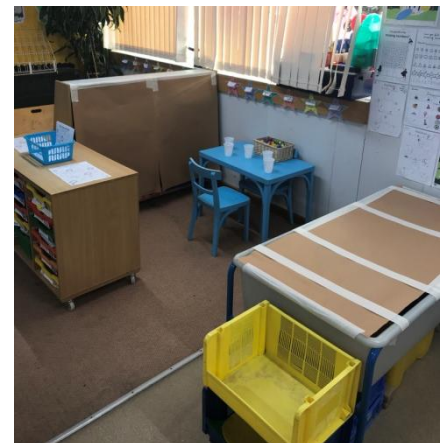
The classroom still has different areas of learning for you to choose from: writing/drawing, creative area, water area, malleable area, maths area and construction area. Lots of things are still in the place.



Writing Area



Water Area & Malleable Area



Maths Area

There are fewer chairs and the tables have been spread out. Most of the tables are set up for just 1 or 2 children to work at. There is currently no sand-pit.



The pegs have been spaced out.



We have a new mat on the carpet.



The books have been shared between bubbles.

Your adults may be doing more cleaning than you have seen before. They may clean items before or after you use them.



You will be given resources like pencils/pens that are just for you to use and not for sharing. Your teacher will decide what will go in your pack. This is to help keep you safe.

Some of the sinks in the toilet area are taped off so that children don't get too close to each other. Some toilets are for Pre-School children only and some are just for Ladybirds. We need to use paper towels to dry our hands. This is to keep you safe.



2. Who will be in school?

School is open for children in Preschool, Reception, Year 1, Year 6 and Key Worker Children.

Not all children will be coming into school, some of your friends may be in school, some may have remained at home. You will only come to school for 2 days, so the school can keep being cleaned

To keep everyone safe the adults that you work with will always be Miss Hiles and Mrs Nixon



4. What are bubbles?

At the moment you are in a 'bubble' with the people who live in your house.



When you come back to school you will join your own 'school bubble'. This will have some children from your class and members of school staff.

You will stay with your bubble all day; in your classroom, at lunch and out at play. This is to help keep everyone safe.



5. Do I have to wear anything different?

You do **not** need to wear school uniform. To help keep you safe it is important to wear **clean** clothes **every day**. You won't bring anything to school with you except your lunch, your water bottle and a coat.



If adults need to get very close to you they will be wearing special equipment. They will wear an apron, gloves, a face mask and a visor. This is to keep you safe and stop germs spreading. Adults will wear this equipment if they need to come very close to you, like helping you with a bleeding knee or helping you with the toilet.



6. How do I get in to school in a morning?

To help keep everyone safe only one adult will be allowed to bring you to school. Your bubble may be given a different start time so that there are not too many people coming into school at once. You will start school between 8.45am-9am.



You will come in through the top gate near to the pirate ship (there will be a sign on the gate) and through the double wooden gates to get straight to the classroom. You will say goodbye to the adult in the top part of the outdoor area not at the classroom door.



Miss Hiles will meet you at the door. She will take your temperature using a thermometer. It doesn't have to touch you, she will point it at your head – you can't feel anything.



Then you will say goodbye to your grown up and then they will have to leave the playground.

To help keep everyone safe your adult (mum/dad/nan/childminder etc.) will **not** be allowed to come into the school building. They can always ring or email school to get in touch.



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7. Will I get to go out to play?

Yes, you will go out to play with your bubble in the outdoor area. The outdoor area will have a barrier on it so that you play in a different part to the other 'bubbles'. This is where we will have our lunch play too.

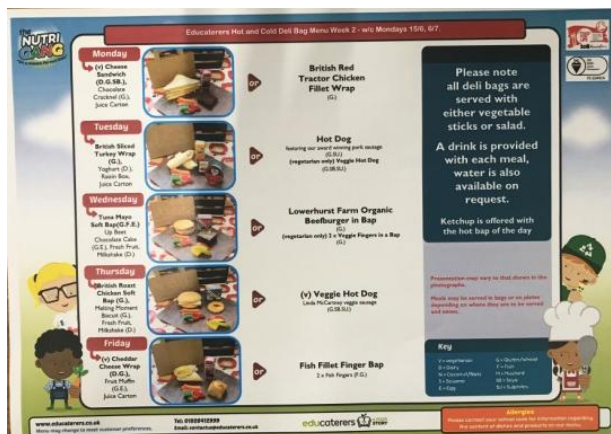


8. What will happen at lunchtime?

At lunchtime you will have your lunch in your classroom. You can bring your own packed lunch or you can order a deli bag from school.



WB: 8/6, 29/6



WB: 15/6, 6/7

You will have a set place to sit and eat your lunch. Once you and your bubble have finished your lunch you will have a time to go out to play which means that your bubble will be able to play out safely.

9. Can I play with my friends?

You can play with your friends in your bubble. At the moment you will not be able to play with friends who are in a different bubble. This is to help keep everyone safe. Each class will have a tub with some playtime equipment in. There is a different tub of equipment for each day. You will be helped by your adults who will suggest what games could be fun. These games will need to involve you not holding hands or getting too close to anyone.



10. What will my lessons look like?

Your lessons will be just as fun as usual and similar to what they were before but you may be sat in different places and using your resources differently. When you need help your adult will not be able to sit close to you as they used to. They will still help you but from a distance.

11. Will other parts of the school day be different?

There will not be any assemblies with all children sat together. This is to help keep you all safe and well.

12. What will happen at home time?

At home time, your adult will be waiting on the playground. They will have been given a specific time to come and collect you.

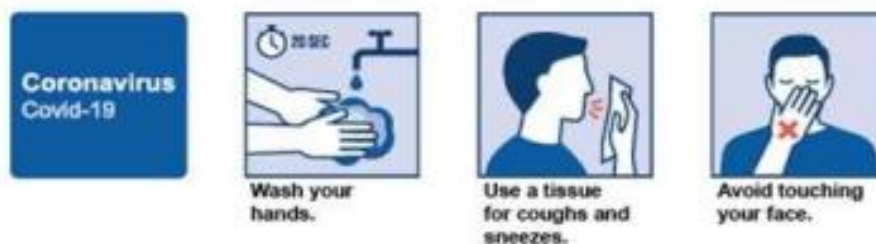
13. What will I need to remember in school?

In school it is important to remember to:

- Be really good at washing your hands
- Not to touch your face/mouth with your hands
- Try and keep 2m away from everyone
- Listen and follow what your adults say
- Try your best (as you always do!)
- And most importantly remember to stay safe and enjoy yourself!



14. Handwashing and hygiene information



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