

Park Primary School

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School Holiday

School closes for October half-term on Thursday 14th October and re-opens on Monday 1st November.
(It is a two-week October half-term this year).



Dear Families,

Welcome back to school! We re-open as planned on **Thursday 2nd September**.

We cannot wait to see you all and look forward to a more stable academic year (fingers crossed!) Although Covid rates are still high, we will be returning to as much normality as possible.

However, please read the important information below.

Kind regards,

Mrs Fagg and the Park Team

- School will revert back to its usual start and finish times (ALL classroom doors will open at **8:45am** and children should be in their seats ready for registration by **8:55am**. The school day will end at **3:15pm**).
- Breakfast Club will be open from **8am**.
- Classes will no longer need to be in bubbles – however hand hygiene and extra ventilation will continue so please ensure your children have their jumpers with them.
- We will no longer ask you to use a specific gate – please use the most convenient, but please try to maintain social distancing. We would also ask you to kindly consider wearing a mask when on school premises.
- If you need to visit the school office, please note that the staff will continue to use the intercom system rather than the main desk. Please keep visits to those that are essential, urgent or pre-planned.
- Please support us by continuing to use Class Dojo or email parents@park.doncaster.sch.uk if you would like to speak to the admin team or your child's class teacher. If you need to speak to a member of staff urgently at a classroom door, please continue to maintain social distancing.
- ParentPay will soon become the only method of payment to school. If you have not yet signed up, please do so as soon as possible. If you need help, please email parents@park.doncaster.sch.uk . (Cash will only be accepted at classroom doors – not the school office. It must be in a sealed envelope with your child's name, class, amount enclosed and reason for payments clearly shown)
- **IF YOU ARE CONCERNED THAT ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD HAS CONTRACTED COVID PLEASE CONTACT SCHOOL FOR ADVICE BEFORE SENDING YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL.** (Current guidance states if you have tested positive for Covid-19 yourself, you do still need to self-isolate for 10 days but anyone who has been identified as a close contact of a positive case no longer has to self-isolate, **providing they have been fully vaccinated or are under the age of 18 and are not displaying any Covid-19 symptoms**. Instead, you/they will be advised to take a PCR test as soon as possible and, if this is negative, you do not need to take any further action unless you go on to develop symptoms.)
- Children can continue to come to school in their PE kits on PE days. This should consist of, white t-shirt, black or dark plain shorts/jogging bottoms, black or dark plain sweatshirt or tracksuit if cold. Children should have trainers for outside PE lessons. Outdoor PE will take place for as much of the year as possible.
- School uniform consists of royal blue sweatshirt (with or without school logo), grey or black skirt or trousers and a white/pale blue/royal blue polo shirt. Children must wear black shoes. Plain black trainers (with no visible logos are accepted). We did allow our uniform standards to drop slightly last year due to Covid but we would very much like to get back to our usual high standards this year.)