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Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Dear parent/ carer,

I hope that you are well and have enjoyed some rest and family time over the Summer. All the staff at Highampton Primary are very much looking forward to welcoming your child(ren) back to Highampton Primary School for a new academic year. We will have some new pupils also which will be wonderful!

With restrictions easing, there will no longer be the need for us to be in class bubbles which means that children can mix socially and for collective learning once again. We are however, taking safety and pupil and staff health/ wellbeing as a top priority and so measures are still in place to reduce contraction and transmission of Covid-19. These include regular handwashing, sanitising, regular LFT testing by staff (twice weekly) and use of masks by staff in communal areas as required. The link to our updated risk assessment is [Directorate/Department \(highampton-primary.devon.sch.uk\)](https://www.highampton-primary.devon.sch.uk/Directorate/Department).

For drop off and collection, we ask that you adhere to the following -

**Drop off** - all children are dropped off at the main school gate from 8.45am. Register is promptly at 9am so punctuality is essential.

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September - teachers will be on the gate to welcome your child(ren); from Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> EYFS pupils can be brought to the KS1 class entrance by a parent.

**Collection** - children are collected from outside the main school gate as usual at 3.15pm

Smart school uniform and sensible black school shoes as well as a PE kit with trainers (not plimsoles) is essential. Your child will also need their water bottle and packed lunch if required. School dinners are booked in advance on School Gateway.

Please do contact the school on [admin@highamptonprimary.org.uk](mailto:admin@highamptonprimary.org.uk) if you have any queries and we will do our best to help you.

With best wishes and kindest regards,

and all the staff at Highampton.