Year 1

Your child will start school on **Thursday 3rd September**.

From looking through the 'Returning to School' tab we hope it has answered many of your questions and reassured you about your child's return to school.

You will be given a 10-minute time slot to drop off and collect your child. Please see below for times and drop off/collection points. It is important that these times are adhered to. Each class has separate times.

Please scroll below to see your entrance way and which Class Teacher will welcome you.

| Class 3 | 8.45am-8.55am | Class 3 External door | 2.45pm-2.55pm |
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| Class 4 | 9.00am-9.10am | Class 4 External door (located by School Office) | 3.00pm-3.10pm |

Dropping Off and Collecting Times

Class 3 Teacher

Class 4 Teacher



Mrs Grindle

Mrs Burke

Year 1 Learning

Our first priority is to ensure that your child adjusts to the new school routine as smoothly as possible. Opportunities to promote wellbeing and mindfulness will be prioritised in the first instance upon your child's return to school. Alongside this, your child will complete English, maths, topic and physical activities in school to develop their learning further.

Welcome back Year 1

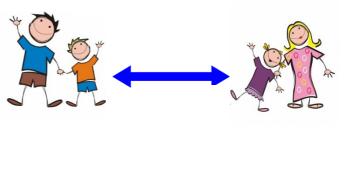
Over the past few months, I have not been to school. I have been staying at home because of the coronavirus. Most of my friends from school have also been staying at home while school is closed to keep us safe. Now it is time for me to go back to school, see some of my friends and do my school work with teachers. My teachers and friends will be happy to see me back at school. When I go back, most things will be the same. My teacher will be there to help me with anything that is different.



Arriving at school

I will try to walk or cycle to school with one adult. When I arrive, I will enter the school through the gate on Coalway Road, by Mrs. Moore's crossing place. I will follow the pathway to my class.

I will stay close to my parent/grown up to keep me and everyone else safe, and to keep apart from the



New classroom and teacher



Dropping off

When I arrive at my class, I will wait outside safely with my grown up until my teacher opens the door or gate, says good morning and tells me to go inside. I will say goodbye to my grown up and go straight into my class.

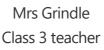
My class

I will be in my classroom with all of my class. I will stay with these children all day. We will have lots of fun learning and playing together every day.



I will be in a different classroom this year and will have a different teacher teaching me but that is OK because we are all part of Coalway Infant School and they are here to keep me safe. My new teacher will be really excited and pleased to meet me.







Mrs Burke Class 4 teacher

The 6 Steps of Hand Washing



Washing hands

While I am at school I will be asked to wash my hands lots of times. I must wash my hands for 20 seconds to keep me safe and well. If I am going to sneeze or cough, I must do this into a tissue then put the tissue in the bin and wash my hands. My teacher will show me how to do this and I will have pictures in my room and around the school to remind me of this.



Using the toilet

If I need the toilet I will ask my teacher and an adult will show me where to go. I must remember to wash my hands afterwards. The teachers in school will be there to help me do this.

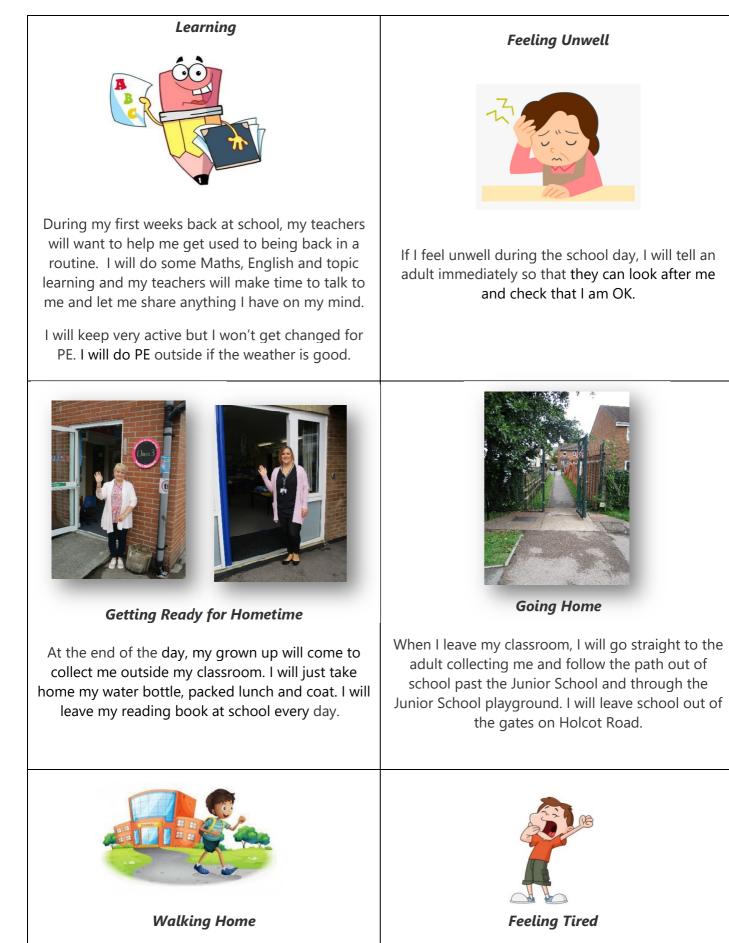
Playtime and Lunchtime



I will play with my class friends at break times and lunchtimes.

At lunchtime I will eat my packed lunch in the classroom with my friends.





When I leave school, I will stay close to my grown up to keep myself safe. I can smile and wave at my friends. It is OK to say hello and talk to them from a distance but I must remember to stay by my grown up to keep everyone safe.

I might feel very tired after being at school and this is normal because my body has been in a different routine. It will take several days to get used to these changes.



Going back to school will be fun and my teachers can't wait to see me. My teachers will be proud of me for trying to remember what I need to do to keep safe at school.