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## ***Learning and living as children of God***

*(Ephesians 5:1) (You are God's children whom he loves. Try to be like God)*

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2022

### **Revised Update in relation to COVID**

Having had a change of COVID situation in school (currently staff and pupils are absent with confirmed cases in different year groups across school). I am writing to inform you that this setting will reinstate face coverings when coming onto the school premises, including picking up outside the buildings please. School will reopen the one-way system to avoid any cluster gathering. This will help to mitigate the spread of COVID.

Class 2 pick will be from the area at the front of Class 2

Class R, 1 and 3 pickup will revert to children being brought to you onto the field

We will keep our COVID protocol until half term and I will revise it once again.

Any face to face meetings with staff will continue you to wear a face covering to mitigate any risk either to yourself or the school setting.

### **PARENTS EVENINGS**

**I have spoken with staff and they very much wish to keep the face to face parent evening appointments. However the following protocol will be adopted:**

- **All parents will need to arrive as close to their appointed time as possible**
- **All parents are asked to enter and exit through the outside door of all the classrooms**
- **All parents will need to wait outside the classroom until the parent discussion before them has finished. Staff will look for the next appointment**
- **All sessions will be very timely to avoid any clusters gathering outside**
- **Staff will know who were unable to make book looks and the books will be available for you to look at during the meeting**

### **Clubs**

Clubs will continue to run as usual

Thank you for your support with these measures.

Best wishes,

Mrs Jayne Neveu

Headteacher

