



St Ann's Primary School

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PIRATE SHIP



After school - please take your children straight off the school site once you have picked them up.

We only allow children on the Pirate ship at break times and dinnertimes - and we limit this to one year group at a time to stop the spread of COVID.

Also if there are any incidents of bad behaviour, it is not the school staff's responsibility to deal with these - and there have been a couple of incidents recently which have resulted in staff having to get involved, when they should be preparing learning for the next day.

We currently are experiencing a high number of new COVID cases, in both staff and pupils, but the spread has been limited to individual classrooms because of the way we organise the school day.

Dates for your Diaries or Calendars

INSET DAY - school closed Friday 18th February 2022

School re-opens Monday 28th February 2022

WE'VE SIGNED UP TO THE



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We are up to 71% of
parents
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we can contact you with
news, or in celebration of
your child's learning.

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School Times

The school day starts at 8:45am



We have too many children arriving after this time which is not acceptable for a number of reasons:

1. **The lost learning time** - coming late severely affects your child's learning - even 10 minutes a day adds up to 50 minutes a week which is a whole lesson behind their classmates.
2. **The effect on their self-esteem** - when your child enters a classroom late, all of their classmates notice this and some children can feel very anxious, worried or embarrassed at this time.
3. **The effect on other school protocols** - it affects the teachers' teaching, the cooks' orders for lunches as well as the staff at the main entrance.
4. **Being late is not a good trait or characteristic** - Would you turn up to work late regularly? Questions about attendance and punctuality are always asked in a job application - so please do not a poor routine for your child.

IF YOUR CHILD ARRIVES LATER THAN 8:45am AND THE REGISTER HAS BEEN TAKEN, THEN THEY MAY NOT RECEIVE THEIR MARK FOR THEIR MORNING.

THIS CAN AFFECT THEIR ATTENDANCE FIGURE.

IF YOUR CHILD HAS AN ATTENDANCE OF LOWER THAN 90% THEN THEY ARE PERSISTENT ABSENTEES - THIS COULD RESULT IN A FINE OF £60 PER PARENT PER CHILD (e.g. 2 parents with two children who are PA - £120 fine for each parent = £240.) Mr. Rowan.

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