**Behaviour Policy Covid19 Appendix June 2020**

In these unprecedented circumstances, it is necessary to implement some new, agreed behaviour practices that all staff, pupils and parents will adhere to in order to safeguard all members of the school community. All breaches of the rules will be recorded and School leadership informed.

The following practices will be followed until Local Authority guidelines suggest it is safe to relax the guidance.

**Parents will:**

* Remain in the playground and not enter the school building.
* Ensure a distance of two metres between families.
* Follow guidance regarding keeping children at home, including for 48 hours after visiting another school or relatives who are in hospital.

**All Members of the school community will:**

* Have their temperature taken on entry to school each day. A designated member of staff will be responsible for this task each day.
* Pupils will enter the building at their designated door and at their designated time.
* Wash hands using soap and water for 20 seconds before eating, after using the toilet and at the following additional times:
  + Upon arrival at school each day.
  + Before and after playtime.
  + Before and after lunchtime.
  + At any other time upon leaving or re-entering the classroom.
  + Before leaving the classroom at the end of the day.
* When travelling through communal areas, walk to the left-hand side, stopping and waiting in the widest possible space should another person walk past in the other direction.
* Take active steps to avoid the need for queuing for any activity / need.
* Avoid the need for any pupil to go to the office or staff room.
* Limit what is brought into school from home to a coat, sunhat, drinks bottle, snack and lunch.
* Remain in their allocated areas for as much of the day as possible.

**Inside the classroom environment, pupils will be expected to:**

* Only sit at their allocated desk, in their allocated chair as positioned by their teachers, storing their bag under their desk and their coat on the back of their chair.
* Listen carefully to the teacher’s instructions regarding health and safety.
* Use the resources prepared for them, taking care to look after them for the duration of this pandemic and not sharing with others.
* Remain seated and raise their hand when they require support with learning, or they wish to use the toilet.
* Behave considerately towards others and respect each other’s personal space.
* Refrain from any physical contact, even when a friend is upset (staff will deal with such issues).
* If they become unwell, inform the teacher immediately.
* When using tissues put them in the bins provided. If they need to cough, cough into their elbow or into a tissue. (catch it, bin it, kill it!)

**Inside the classroom environment, staff will:**

* Ensure that children are kept socially distanced as much as possible.
* Plan activities that are mindful of resources and need for social interaction.
* Provide individual resource packs to learners. In cases where manipulatives are needed, teachers will ensure pupils have access to their own personal set and these will be kept near their table.
* Ensure that all members of the class regularly wash their hands.
* Ensure only one child is in the toilet area at any time.
* Wipe table surfaces, door hands and chairs regularly.
* Respond to children’s work orally; leaving feedback on post-it notes where needed.
* If a child becomes unwell, ensure that arrangements are made for them to be collected.
* Name boxes of toys to avoid sharing these items.
* Not send reading books home.
* Regularly plan outdoor learning, using woodland classroom and outside learning areas.
* Avoid the use of water / sand / mud play / soft toys etc.
* Maintain the Ask, Tell, Send Policy

**During playtimes staff will:**

* Ensure that there is no physical contact between staff and pupils.
* Encourage imaginative games to be played that do not require any resources.
* Ensure any shared resources are cleaned regularly.
* Ensure use of the toilets is limited to one pupil at a time.
* Snacks should be able to be opened by children independently and wrappers put into bins immediately.

**School Leaders will:**

* Ensure that provisions of protective clothing are available where needed. (Gloves, face masks, Visors, aprons)
* Provide hand sanitisers in each room of the building.
* Contact parents and carers where a child is unwell.
* Ensure that door handles and surfaces in communal areas are kept clean.

**Behaviours Deemed to be unacceptable:**

Children will need constant reminders about staying apart from each other, and staff should be compassionate and kind about this. However, incidences where members of the school community are found to be deliberately putting others at risk of danger, or infection will not be tolerated. In line with the school behaviour policy, ‘ask, tell, send,’ the actions listed below will be considered an ‘immediate send’ to the headteacher or senior member of staff.

We will not accept:

* Spitting.
* Deliberately coughing towards people.
* Throwing used tissues towards people, leaving them lying around on surfaces.
* Licking, kissing or touching each other.

Where repeated incidents of these undesirable behaviours occur, it may be deemed unsafe for that child to be in school. Therefore, home schooling provisions will be put in place.