

Hello Year 6!

We know some of you might be wondering how school has changed and how it might look when you return.

This document tells you some of the new rules and things that you will have to get used to when you come back to school. All of the things that have changed about Year 6 are designed to keep everybody safe. It might feel strange or different at first, but it will still be Coleridge and we will still try to have lots of fun!

There is also a video (sorry about the bad acting!) that tells you some of the things in this guide. You can find it here - <https://youtu.be/tR16qMyPREo>.

When you arrive:



6R and 6B will come into school through the main gate. Your parents will say goodbye at the gate. You will walk up to your classrooms keeping 2m apart from your friends.

6R bubbles – arrive at 8.45

6B bubbles – arrive at 9.00

It is important you are on time!



6P and 6O will come into school through the car park on Crescent Road. Your parents will say goodbye to you at the gate. You will walk down the carpark (someone will show you where to go!) to your classrooms keeping 2m apart from your friends.

6O bubbles – arrive at 8.45

6P bubbles – arrive at 9.00

It is important to you are on time!

Entering the classroom:

Please line up on the markings outside your classroom. Your teacher will send you into class one at a time to wash your hands.

You will wash your hands one at a time in either the middle area or the toilets (we will tell you where).



Then you will get your tray and sit down at your desk with all of your belongings. Everything you bring to school with you must be kept at your desk – we will not be using the cloakrooms.

Get your tray

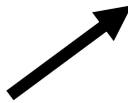


Sit down with your things and read



What to bring to school:

- A pencil case (we have things if you don't have one).
- A raincoat (in case it is going to rain), or sun cream and a hat if it is hot.
- A reading book (we have some books if you need).
- Clothes and shoes that are ok for outdoor PE.
- A packed lunch.
- Water bottle.
- Fruit snack.
- A cheesy grin like this guy...



The school day:

When we are in the classroom, you need to stay at your desk. You will have everything at your desk that you will require for your learning. If you need something else or to want to use the toilet, put your hand up and ask.

6R and 6P will use the Year 5 toilets

6O and 6B will use the Year 6 toilets

You will be asked to wash your hands a lot throughout the school day.

You will only see your bubble at school. You will eat lunch in your classrooms or outside, and at the end of the day, an adult will collect you from your classroom.

We will explain more about break and lunchtime on your first day back.



Things to remember:



You cannot share any resources with each other – so no sharing books, pens, pencils, horrible notes about teachers, or anything else!

When walking in the corridor or parts of the playground that are marked, keep on the **left hand side** and **make space for other people**.



Keep your distance. When you are playing, you have to try to stay 2 metres apart. A good rough measurement is that you can both stretch your arms out and leave some space between your hands as modelled here...

Some people might be feeling nervous about coming back to school (it looks like Kate is!). You can help people to feel better by being kind to one another and keeping a safe distance.

All of the things we have put in place are to keep you safe and make you feel safe too. On your first day back, we will talk about other things that will be different (there is a lot!). This is everything you need to know before arriving at school and we don't want to make your brains explode!



For those of you coming back, we are looking forward to seeing you. If you can't come back to school, we hope you are keeping well and staying safe – we will be in touch with you – remember you are still in Year 6 and we are still your teachers!!

Take care,

Miss Edge, Mr Grimadell, Miss Henry and Mr Skrein