

# Hollinswood Primary School & Nursery

## Code of Conduct in School

February 2021



## Protective measures for pupils, staff and parents/carers

Your child's safety and that of our staff will continue to be of paramount importance, however the government acknowledges that younger children (ie primary aged children) are unlikely to adhere to social distancing. Therefore, if and when we open, we have been asked to implement instead the following protective measures:

- avoiding contact with anyone with symptoms
- frequent hand cleaning and good respiratory hygiene practices
- regular cleaning of settings
- minimising contact and mixing

## We recognise that

### In order to support a safe school environment, I understand that:

- If my child or anyone in my household shows symptoms of COVID-19, I will not send them to school, and we will self-isolate for 14 days as a family.
- If my child becomes ill with the symptoms of COVID-19 whilst in school, I will collect my child and any siblings immediately.
- If a child or adult in the same group as my child is tested positive for COVID-19 then I will be informed, and my child and household will self-isolate for 14 days.

All pupils will have access to a test if they display symptoms of coronavirus, and parents are encouraged by the Government to get their child tested.

### When dropping off and collecting my child from school I need to:

- Keep to drop-off and collection times that have been allocated for my child and adhere to drop-off and collection arrangements i.e. which entrance to use.
- Avoid gathering at entrance gates or doors or entering the school building.
- Office areas are to be avoided any queries by phone or email.
- Only one parent/carer to drop-off and collect.

### In order to reduce the use of shared resources I will:

- Avoid sending my child into school with unnecessary resources such as PE kits and pencil cases.
- Make sure my child is sent to school wearing suitable footwear and clothing for PE and outdoor learning.

### **Government Guidance on the use of face masks**

Wearing a face covering or face mask in schools or other education settings is not recommended. Face coverings may be beneficial for short periods indoors where there is a risk of close social contact with people you do not usually meet and where social distancing and other measures cannot be maintained, for example on public transport or in some shops. This does not apply to schools or other education settings.