

Carrington Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers

As the summer holiday draws to a close, we are writing to update you on a few points prior to the start of the Autumn Term.

Start and end times

The start and end times for the school day are as follows:

	Year 3 and Year 4	Year 5 and Year 6	Blossom Class
Start	8.30am - 8.40am	8.40am - 8.50am	8.40am - 8.50am
Finish	3.05pm	3.15pm	3.15pm

At the end of school collection time, the top gate to the field will be opened to let you collect your child. The gate at the front of school will be open for you to exit the site.

If your child arrives by taxi, Mrs Williams will meet them at the taxi to escort them into school.

New arrivals – Year 3

Your teachers will be in the grassed area just inside the school gate ready to welcome you at the start of school. You will be able to wave your child goodbye when you drop them off at the gate.

Children in other year groups should enter the gate as normal and walk round to their classrooms.

What to bring

Your child will need their water bottle, pencil case, fruit or vegetable break time snack, packed lunch (if you have not ordered a cooked lunch) and PE kit. Children should be wearing Autumn uniform. Please ensure all items are clearly labelled with your child's name — this will help lost items to be returned to your child. All PE kits should return home, after your child's last weekly PE lesson, to be washed.

NHS test and trace

The most recent guidance states that children under 16 will no longer need to isolate in most cases if they have had a close contact with a positive case, unless they are directly contacted by NHS test and trace. However, it is still the case that if a child or a person in their household has symptoms of Covid-19 or tests positive, the whole household should isolate for 10 days (or until the person with symptoms has a negative result to a PCR test). Please let us know if this situation applies to your child. If your child is isolating and well, we will provide online learning for them via Teams.

I hope you enjoy the last few days of the summer holiday and look forward to welcoming your children back on Thursday, 2nd September.

Yours sincerely

Mrs A Majcher Head Teacher