



COVID -19 Behaviour Policy addendum

The Health and Safety of our pupils and staff is always of paramount importance, even more so during this pandemic. The following additions to the Behaviour Policy are to help ensure that all pupils and staff stay safe and healthy while attending school during the COVID-19 outbreak.

In addition to the main behaviour policy, we expect all pupils to:

- Follow instructions on handwashing and hand sanitising
- Use a tissue to blow their nose or sneeze (where possible), throw the tissue into a lidded bin straight away and wash their hands
- Cough or sneeze into their arm – never cough, sneeze or spit in anyone’s direction
- Tell an adult straight away if they feel unwell
- Follow an adult’s instruction on walking around the school safely. If walking around the school independently, follow the signs and arrows
- To use only the equipment on their desk unless an adult gives them permission to use other equipment
- If working in class, to stay in their seat unless an adult has given them permission to move around the classroom
- To not touch any furniture or equipment belonging to others
- To ask an adult if they need to use the toilet (Year 2 upwards – to use the toilets one at a time)
- To follow instructions to only play with children in the same bubble
- To follow any social distancing rules as reminded by the adults

Breaches of these rules will be dealt with in line with the main Behaviour Policy and, as always, the age and capacity of each individual pupil will be considered, while keeping safety our top priority.

If a pupil has Special Educational Needs and / or a disability which may impair their ability to follow the Behaviour Policy, the school will work with parents and any relevant outside agencies in order to make any reasonable adjustments to provision and policy in order to help enable the pupil to succeed and also for them and the other pupils and staff to remain safe. For all pupils with particularly complex needs (impacting on behaviour or otherwise), as per government guidance, the SENCo will work with parents (and the Local Authority if appropriate) and agree a risk assessment which will determine if their needs can be met safely in the educational environment.