

Rushen Primary School

Learning and Growing

Returning to School Information Booklet

To share together – parent and child

This booklet will help you prepare for your return to school. It will help to remind you of 'What We Do Around Here' and to prepare you for settling back into our school routines.



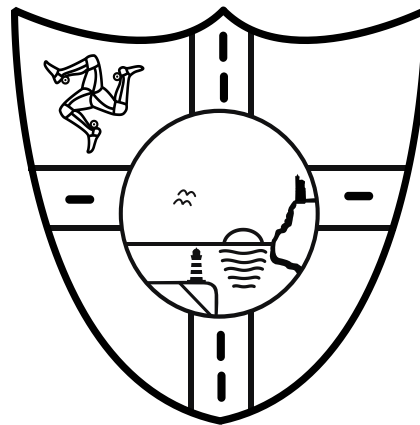
- Feel confused
- Be excited to see people again
- Feel nervous
- Have all of the above feelings.

emotions



All of these feelings are perfectly normal and grown-ups may be feeling this way too.

The recent situation has been new and strange for everyone.



The adults will:

- Aim to help you settle back as quickly and easily as possible
- Listen to your questions, any concerns and support you
- Empathise with your feelings.



The school day and expectations will remain the same but it may take a little time to adjust, so read the list on the next page to make sure that you have everything you need. We need to be at school, ready for learning and remember....

LEARNING IS FUN!



SORRY
about the
MESS
but we are
LEARNING
here.



What you need to bring:



- coat
- packed lunch (if not having a school packed lunch)
- snack
- water bottle
- PE kit
- sun cap
- sun cream
- reading bag (KS1)
- all school reading books and library books



When arriving at school you will need to:

- Wait sensibly and safely on the playground until 8.45am
- Enter school promptly, sensibly and safely as usual
- Greet other pupils and teachers politely
- Remember expectations
- Settle back into your morning learning routine

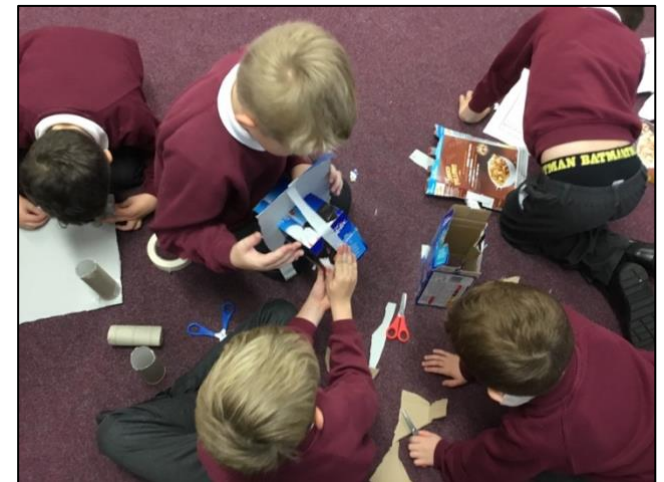


Remember our Classroom Expectations are:

- We respect others, our resources and our learning environment
- We use indoor voices
- We show empathy
- We have a positive **Growth Mindset**



I'm not
telling you
it's going
to be
easy,
I'm
telling you
it's going
to be
WORTH IT.



We also need to make sure we continue to:

- Keep following the hygiene rules i.e. catch it-bin it-kill it
- **Cover your mouth** when coughing or sneezing
- Wash our hands **carefully and regularly**
- Tell an adult straight away if we do not feel well.



Learning:

- We will continue to learn through Literacy, Numeracy, Science and a range of creative activities
- We will continue to flex our learning muscles and develop our 6Rs
- We aim to continue with our normal routine



Around school we:

- Walk on the left-hand side of the corridor
- Are polite and meet and greet other people
- Walk quietly and sensibly
- Use 'neat feet'
- 'Walk proud!'



Playtime Expectations Are:

- Have fun and enjoy each other's company
- Play responsibly and safely, showing positive relationships
- Respect playground zones and rules
- Respect equipment and use it correctly
- Respect other children and all adults



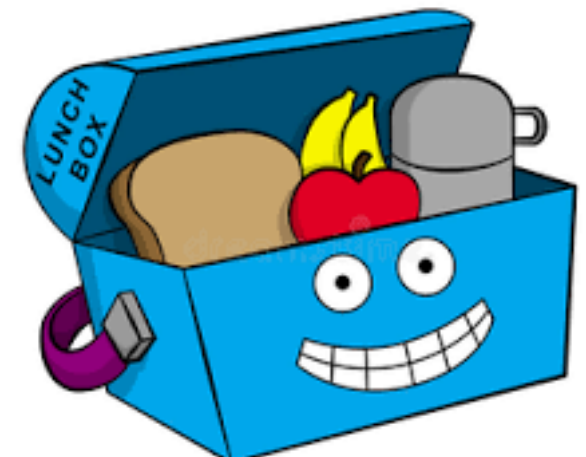
Use of the field:

- A sign will be used to show when the field is 'open'
- The sign will tell you how much of the field is open
- We play safely and carefully, sharing and using the equipment correctly



At Lunchtime we show respect by:

- Queueing politely
- Using good manners when eating
- Using a knife and fork
- Helpfully tidying up when we have finished



What we do around here...

- We welcome new children and adults to our school
- We look after, care for and help each other
- We collaborate and work together
- We are interested in each other and engage in conversations
- We are respectful
- We make sure that everyone feels safe

Relationships

- We treat each other with RESPECT
- We use our 'EMPATHY MUSCLE'
- We use restorative practices
- We use conferences to talk things through
- We 'Think, Fix and Reflect
- We build positive and meaningful relationships

**We look forward to welcoming
you back to school again!**

