



MERIDIAN COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY

Learning for Life



Thursday 8th July 2021

Coronavirus COVID-19 UPDATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Step 4 Announcement

As you will know, the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, announced this week that lots of the current restrictions will be lifted on the 19th July. However, we have decided that as the number of positive cases in the local community continue to rise, we will not be lifting any of the current safety measures in place at school for the last week of term. This means that all the current systems, such as year group bubbles, staggered drop offs and pick ups and adults wearing masks on the school site will remain in place. I will contact parents at the end of August with details of arrangements for September. In the meantime, thank you for your support and understanding with this.

Meet the teacher

I know that lots of parents, carers and children will be wondering when they are going to find out about and meet their new teacher. I would like to reassure you that everyone will find out about new teachers before the end of term. At the moment, with the number of bubbles that have had to close recently, our plans for telling the children have been delayed. The plan still remains that children will get to meet their new teacher all on the same day to avoid creating any worries. However, should there be further bubble closures that impact on this happening, we will adapt the plan whilst still ensuring children know who their teachers are before the end of term. Thank you for your patience and understanding with this – I really appreciate it.

Take care and best wishes to everyone.

Yours sincerely

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