

## Controlling the Virus

To reduce the risk of spreading the virus:

- Parents/carers are reminded to maintain social distancing and not gather outside the school.



- Parent/carers are not permitted into the school building without an appointment.

*Thank you for your support*

## Contact Us

We understand that it is an unsettling time and are very much still here to support our families. Please contact us by:

Phone: 020 8808 2053

Email: [admin@devonshirehill.haringey.sch.uk](mailto:admin@devonshirehill.haringey.sch.uk)

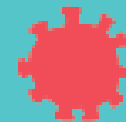


*You must be registered to ParentMail to receive all communication.* Once registered you can download the free ParentMail app to receive messages instantly to your phone.

There is also plenty of information on the school website, including copies of letters, policies, information about home learning and coronavirus guidance.

Website: [www.devonshirehill.com](http://www.devonshirehill.com)

# Opening During the Coronavirus Outbreak



This leaflet give details of measures the school is taking to control the spread of coronavirus to help protect our pupils, staff and community.

Please help the school by following the guidance in this leaflet and reminding your children about good **hand and respiratory hygiene.**



The Devonshire Hill Nursery and Primary School

Successful Learners

## Coronavirus Symptoms

- high temperature (37.8°C)
- new, continuous cough
- loss or change to your sense of smell or taste.



**You must NOT bring your child to school if anyone in your household has any of these symptoms or have tested positive in the last 10 days.**

**You MUST self-isolate for at least 10 days and arrange to be tested**

## How Coronavirus Spreads

- The main route of transmission is from cough and sneeze droplets from an infected person.
- People contract the virus by breathing in droplets OR touching contaminated surfaces and then touching their eyes or mouth.



## Hand Hygiene

**Every classroom has a handwash basin.**

1. Wet hands
2. Use soap
3. Scrub for 20 seconds
4. Rinse off soap
5. Dry thoroughly with paper towel

**Try not to touch your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.**

## Respiratory Hygiene

**CATCH** coughs or sneezes with a tissue

**BIN** the used tissue

**KILL** germs by washing your hands

*If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow*



## Protective Measures

- Only bring essential items such as coats, books, bags and lunchboxes to school.
- If your child arrives with a reusable face covering, please provide a plastic bag it can be stored in until the end of the day.

*In addition to promoting good hand and respiratory hygiene, the school will:*

- Stagger timings to avoid year groups mixing during the school day.
- Keep children with their own class, except for break and lunchtimes when they may mix with children in their year group only.
- Have desks forward facing and spaced as far apart as practical.
- Enhance our cleaning regime and have disinfectant widely available for staff to use.
- Social distance when and where possible.



## Drop-off and Collection

**Below are the staggered start and finish times for different year groups.**

It is more important than ever to ensure you drop off and collect children **on time AND at the correct times**

Year/Phase	Start	Finish
Early Years	8:45am	3:00pm
Years 1 & 2	8:55am	3:10pm
Years 3 & 4	9:05am	3:20pm
Years 5 & 6	9:15am	3:30pm

- If you have more than one child, **drop off your children at the start time of the youngest child**. Older children can go straight to their class.
- If you have more than one child, **collect your children at the finish time of the oldest child**. Younger siblings will be supervised until that time.
- Parents/carers **MUST** maintain social distancing when waiting and NOT congregate outside the school.
- Parents/carers **MUST** follow the one-way systems and directions from staff.
- Only one parent/carer should drop-off/collect their child to limit the number of people on school grounds.
- Year 6 children with parental permission to go home alone are encouraged to do so.