

Returning to school for year 4



On Friday, everyone will be returning to school, hooray!

It will be good to see familiar faces in school again.

When I return to school, lots will be same and some things will be different. It will be reassuring to be back at school and in a familiar routine.

We will be coming into school between 8.45 and 9am and meeting our teacher on the playground. I will line up on the small playground by the year 4/5 building.



To keep the number of people in the school grounds to a minimum, school are asking parents/carers to say goodbye to us at the gate (or before). I'll be greeted by a friendly face from school on the gate who will remind me where to go if I forget! But on the first day back (Friday), our parents and carers can bring us in to the playground to meet our teacher.

When I come in we will line up on the playground. Here I will see my teacher, say hello and wait for the rest of the class to arrive. When we are all here we will walk sensibly to our classroom.

In school we have "bubbles". School bubbles are groups of people we will spend more time with in school. My bubble will be my year group. My year group will play together at break and lunch. I will not have to distance from children in my bubble, but we will try not to touch each other. I will need to wash my hands thoroughly as I come in in the morning and regularly throughout the day. This helps to keep me and those around me safe.



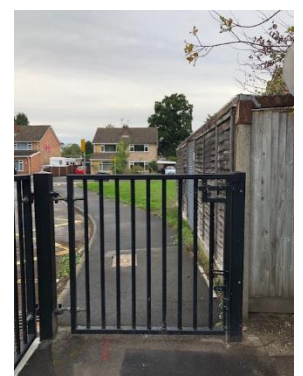
Each year group will have a separate time or space to play in. Year 3 and 4 will have their break at the same time. Year 3 will play at the top of the playground (nearest the school) and year 4 will play at the bottom of the playground.

In the classroom I will be sitting at a table as usual. The tables will all be facing forwards. I will have my own pen, pencil, coloured pencils so I don't need to share with others. I will keep my pencil case on my table. The adults will teach and support me as normal, but they will try and stay 2 metres away from everyone. Just like before, if I need to use the toilet, I will ask an adult.



At lunchtime, I will eat my lunch in the classroom, and spend half of lunchtime in here too. I will then go out to play for the other half with the rest of my year group.

At the end of the day I will leave from the outside classroom door and an adult will lead me to the gate that I am being met. I must ask my parent or carer which gate they are meeting me at so I know where to go at the end of the day. The school day will end at 3.30pm. Year 5 and 6 will leave at a different time to years 3 and 4 so it will be less crowded at the gates.



Miss Meek and all of the staff at CCJS are really looking forward to seeing me and classmates on Friday. See you soon! 😊