School

Parent

The school will do its best to:

- Provide an environment which has been risk assessed in response to the COVID-19 infection.
- Adhere to the social distancing rules as set out by the government as much as we reasonably can.
- Provide a curriculum that meets the needs of your child's well-being, mental health and academic needs.
- Contact parents/carers if your child displays symptoms of COVID-19.
- Inform you if staff or children in your child's 'bubble' show symptoms of COVID-19.
- Inform you if a positive test comes back for a member of your child's 'bubble' as all members will be expected to self isolate as per government guidance.
- Continue our clear and consistent approach to rewards and sanctions for children as set out in the Behaviour Policy as well as the expectations outlined in this agreement.
- Communicate between home and school through notices, newsletters, text, email and the school website.

To help my child at school, I know and understand that:

- If my child, or anyone in my household, shows symptoms of COVID-19, I will not send them to school, we will self-isolate for 14 days as a family, I will get them tested and I will let the school know as soon as possible via telephone.
- When dropping my child off and picking them up, I will adhere to the 2 metre social distancing rules and not enter the school premises without an appointment.
- When dropping off and picking up, I will follow the school timings for my child.
- My child must not bring any items into school with them or take items home from school unless it has been agreed with the school.
- On hot days, I will apply a long-lasting sun cream prior to my child arriving at school.
- My child will have their temperature taken if they present as being unwell.
- I will need to remind my child about social distancing rules but accept they are difficult to follow and that children may not always do this successfully.
- My child will need to use good respiratory and hand hygiene.
- I will read all letters/messages/emails that are sent home.
- I will keep my contact details up to date.
- If my child is deemed unsafe, he/she will be sent home and cannot return to school until they can be safe.
- I understand that my child will remain in a small group and cannot mix with other groups.
- I understand that there will be a rota of staff supporting my child who will not mix with other groups
- I need to support all staff in their efforts to create an 'as safe as possible' environment during this crisis.
- I understand that, should school be unable to provide safe staffing ratios or a safe environment as outlined in our risk assessment, school may need to close at short notice.
- I understand that the school is unable to remove all risks relating to the spread of COVID-19
- I understand that school may need to pass on information as part of the Government 'Track and Trace' program
- I will follow the instructions set out in this agreement as well as any additional instructions sent home via letter or email

Child

I will do my best to:



Keep my distance from other children.



Tell an adult if I feel



Not bring things into school form home, or take things home from school.



Only use the equipment provided to me by school and no other.



Walk sensibly with my grown-up to and from school.



Cough and sneeze into elbow or tissue.



Wash my hands regularly during the day.



Behave well at all times to maintain the safety of myself and others.

Main symptoms

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- high temperature this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- new, continuous cough this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal



If a child presents with **any**Coronavirus symptoms, however
mild, the child will be sent home
and the family will need to self-isolate
in line with government guidance and
seek testing.

If a child tests positive, all members of the school group will need to self isolate.

By sending your child to Calthwaite CE School, we will presume consent to this agreement and that you have agreed to follow government guidance on staying alert and safe.

Calthwaite CE School

COVID-19 Home School Agreement



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