

# Peppard CE Primary School

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Creating a Love of Learning

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## Change to seating plans

From Monday, classroom furniture will be moved so that children will be sitting in groups. We'll have tape measures out, over the weekend to ensure that children facing each other are at least one metre apart. The decision has been agreed by the governors' Premises, Health and Safety Committee and all the staff. We feel that there will be no increased risk regarding the virus, whilst children's learning will be positively impacted.

## Shifting temperatures

We will continue to ventilate the classrooms to minimise our Covid risk. This is different in each of our four classrooms, as the number of windows is different in each one. Unfortunately, this means that on days like today, the temperature will fluctuate between 10°C when doors have been open during break and lunchtimes, and 20°C.

This is far from ideal for staff and children but scientific evidence has shown that this is the most effective method of minimising risk in schools.

## Parking

Please continue to consider our local residents when parking in the neighbourhood, particularly driveways. If you have any difficulty finding a space to park, we will always empathise and keep your children with us until you arrive.

<i>Calendar for week beginning 23rd November</i>					
	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
Before School	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club	Running Club	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
AM					
PM					
After school		Tea Club	KS2 Netball Club FS/KS1 Cookery Club	KS2 Cookery Club	Football Club
<b>Future Dates for Diaries (new/revised dates in red)</b> Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> December – Reading Museum Virtual Visit – Highmoor Class Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December – School Christmas Lunch				<b>Term Dates 2020/21</b> <b>Term 1:</b> 02/9/2020 – 23/10/2020 <b>Term 2:</b> 04/11/2020 – 18/12/2020 <b>Term 3:</b> 05/01/2021 – 12/02/2021 <b>Term 4:</b> 22/02/2021 – 31/03/2021 <b>Term 5:</b> 19/04/2021 – 28/05/2021 <b>Term 6:</b> 08/06/2021 – 22/07/2021  <b>INSET Days:</b> 01/09/2020 02/11/2020 & 03/11/2020 04/01/2021 07/06/2021	

If you or anyone in your household experience any symptoms of Covid-19, no matter how mild, please follow the guidance at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>