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# Attenborough School Sennelager Garrison BFPO 16



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COVID update from Mr Chapman

## Extended 'in school' provision 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> July (extensions in red)

Year Group	Day	Start time	Snack	Lunchtime	Finish time
Y5 and 6	Monday and Tuesday	0835hrs	1000-1020hrs	1145-1230hrs	1335hrs
Y3 and 4	Monday and Tuesday	0850hrs	1020-1040hrs	1215-1300hrs	1340hrs
Y1 and 2	Monday and Tuesday	0840hrs	1010-1030hrs	1145-1230hrs	1330hrs
FS1 and FS2	Monday and Tuesday	0845hrs	Mid-morning snack		1215hrs
Nursery	Monday and Tuesday	0845hrs	Mid- morning snack		1300hrs

#### In school provision and fixed learning groups from Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

We have planned to re-open in September to all FS1-Y6 pupils on a **full-time basis**. We will have two fixed learning groups FS, Y1 and Y2 / Years 3-6. This will reduce the likelihood of an enforced 'whole school' closure as a result of a confirmed case. Should we have to close a, or both, learning groups from September, the school will continue to provide high quality education for all FS1-Y6 pupils. This will occur remotely via our Seesaw platform as was the case during the previous lockdown period.

#### **Drop-off and Collection arrangements**

We are required to stagger school day start and finish times. The current drop-off and collection arrangements will therefore remain the same until further notice.

Nursery, FS1 and Fs2 – Drop-off: Park and escort to setting/ Pick-up: Park and collect from the setting.

**Years 1-6** – Drop off: One-way car system with children entering the school through the main school entrance.

Pick-up: Park and children will be dismissed via the main school gate. Please do remain by your vehicle and exercise social distancing. (For all of the above options, families may walk or cycle to school also).

## Timings for September (FS1 timings may vary based on take-up of 30 hour provision)

Year Group	Day	Start	Breaktime	Lunchtime	Finish time
		time			
FS1, FS2, Y1 and	Monday - Friday	0840hrs	1010-1030	1200-1300hrs	1450hrs
Y2			Playground 1	Lunch sitting 1	
Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6	Monday- Friday	0830hrs	1010-1030	1200-1300hrs	1500hrs
	-		Playground 2	Lunch sitting 2	







#### **School Dinner Provision**

Hot school meals are planned to commence from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September for Fs2 to Year 6 pupils. Our Autumn term hot dinner menu will be available on our school website in the coming days. We will add a link to our end of year School Bulletin on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July. From Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September to Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September, KS2 children (Years 3-6) will require a packed lunch each day. **KS1** and **FS2** children may order a free packed lunch as part of the free school meals initiative from the main school office. An order form will be emailed today to all returning Fs1, FS2 and Year 1 families- please can these be completed and returned to the School Office by Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July if you wish for your child to have a provided free packed lunch between Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September. New families will be provided with the order form during the induction week in August or prior to the start of the Autumn term.

## **School Uniform and Attendance Compulsory**

From Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September in line with current UK guidance, attendance for all FS2-Year 6 pupils will once again be compulsory. As will the wearing of school uniform for all FS2-Year 6 pupils. From September, as stated earlier in the school year, our PE kit will also become a compulsory element of the school uniform alongside our green Attenborough polo shirts, jumpers or cardigans. (All required Attenborough branded uniform will be available to purchase from our main school office. This will re-open from ogoohrs on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September).

#### **Illness and presentation of symptoms**

Parents will need to continue to exercise extreme caution. Children or staff **should not attend school** if any of the following apply:

## **Symptoms**

- The individual has been ill, with a high temperature OR cough, in the last 14 days
- The individual experiences a loss of, or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

#### **Preventative measure**

Anyone in your household has been ill with a high temperature OR cough in the last 14 days

We kindly request that you closely monitor your child's health and if in doubt, please keep your child(ren) at home and **inform the school prior to 0910hrs on the first day of absence**. Should any child demonstrate any of the above symptoms, the school will isolate the child in our First Aid Room until collection by a parent can be achieved. Families will then need to report the symptoms to the Garrison Medical Centre for further advice and next step action.

## **Day Trips and Clubs will resume**

Class Educational visits in the local area and after-school clubs may recommence as of September 2020. The usual Risk Assessment procedures will apply and further guidance sort from MOD Schools AEO ROW (Mr Rowley Bucknill) if required. Further information regarding Educational Visits and after-school clubs will be communicated during the autumn term.

#### A broad and balanced Global Citizenship Curriculum to continue

As a school, due to the success of our remote learning provision, your outstanding support and subsequent face-to-face learning opportunities in school this term, we feel that the following adjustments will allow us to continue our normal Global Citizenship Curriculum from September.

Adjustment 1: Core learning to occur in smaller learning groups during AM sessions to achieve accelerated progress. Adjustment 2: 1:1 coaching sessions for any pupil who is at Risk of, or currently working below age-related expectation in a core skill (reading, writing or mathematics) during an afternoon session.

(All additional needs provision programmes will also continue to run throughout the autumn term)

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Chapman Headteacher