



## Parent/Carer Update 3 February 2022

### Changes to Covid mitigations

From **Monday 7 February** we will no longer use a staggered timetable and will return to a normal whole school timetable. All students will follow the school day as outlined below:

Monday – Thursday	
<b>Registration</b>	8.30 – 8.40 am
Period 1	8.40 – 9.30 am
Period 2	9.30 – 10.20 am
Period 3	10.20 – 11.10 am
<b>Interval</b>	11.10 – 11.25 am
Period 4	11.25 – 12.15 pm
Period 5	12.15 – 1.05 pm
<b>Lunch</b>	1.05 – 1.50 pm
Period 6	1.50 – 2.40pm
Period 7	2.40 - 3.30 pm
<b>School Closes</b>	<b>3:30pm</b>
Friday	
Registration	8.30 – 8.40 am
Period 1	8.40 – 9.30 am
Period 2	9.30 – 10.20 am
<b>Interval</b>	10.20 – 10.35 am
Period 3	10.35 – 11.25 pm
Period 4	11.25 – 12.15 pm
<b>School closes</b>	<b>12:15pm</b>

To maintain high levels of health and safety, there will still be a number of mitigations in place:

- Facemasks and strict hand sanitising in all areas
- One way system
- 2m distancing between staff and students at all times
- **The school will not open until 8:25am.** All students (S1-S6) will be expected to be in registration by 8:30am. Students will still be expected to **enter via year group specific doors** (which will be clearly labelled) and hand sanitise on entry/exit.
- We will continue to **monitor lateness and issue appropriate time-back sanctions to students who are repeatedly late for school.**
- The following **break and lunchtime restrictions** will be in place with staff supervision:

## Lunchtime / Break Venues

Year Level	Normal Venue Break/ Lunch	Wet weather venue
S1	Bitesite	Bitesite
S2	Bitesite	Hall
S3	Bitesite	Hall
S4	Green seats	Green seats
S5	Green seats	Green seats
S6	Common room	Common room

## Where Are Students Able to Go?

Students have already operated under normal whole school Timetable arrangements but here is a reminder of what is expected.

Year Group	Break	Lunch
<b>S1-S6</b>	<p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or area between green seats and Bitesite.</p> <p><i>Students should not congregate in staff car parking areas or be at the front of the school.</i></p>	<p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or area between green seats and Bitesite.</p> <p><i>Students should not congregate in staff car parking areas or be at the front of the school.</i></p>
<b>S1</b>	<p>Bitesite</p> <p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or area between green seats and Bitesite.</p> <p><b>Students are not permitted to leave school premises at break.</b></p>	<p>Bitesite for those who wish to eat their packed lunch indoors (students are welcome to eat outdoors – use bins provided) or for those who have purchased food from the Bitesite.</p> <p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or area between green seats and Bitesite.</p> <p>Students are not permitted to leave school premises at lunch unless special parental/carer request has been made to go home for lunch.</p>
<b>S2/S3</b>	<p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or the area between green seats and Bitesite.</p>	<p>Bitesite for those who wish to eat their packed lunch indoors (students are welcome to eat outdoors – use bins provided) or for those who have purchased food from the Bitesite.</p>

	<p>When bad weather indoor areas will be made available.</p> <p>Students are not permitted to leave school premises.</p> <p><i>Students should not congregate in staff car parking areas or be at the front of the school.</i></p>	<p>Use of outdoor space at the back of the school and/or the area between green seats and Bitesite.</p> <p>Students have permission to leave the school premises at lunch.</p> <p>When bad weather indoor areas will be made available.</p> <p><i>Students should not congregate in staff car parking areas or be at the front of the school.</i></p>
<b>S4/S5</b>	<p>Green Seats</p> <p>Students have permission to leave school premises at break but must return promptly for period 4. This allowance will be removed if late-coming becomes problematic.</p>	<p>Green Seats</p> <p>Students have permission to leave the school premises at lunch.</p> <p>Take away food can be purchased from the Bitesite and brought to the Green Seats.</p>
<b>S6</b>	<p>S6 Common Room</p> <p>Students have permission to leave school premises at break but must return promptly for period 4. This allowance will be removed if late-coming becomes problematic.</p>	<p>S6 Common Room</p> <p>Students have permission to leave the school premises at lunch.</p> <p>Take away food can be purchased from the Bitesite and brought to the Common room.</p>

**PLEASE NOTE - New mitigation:**

To reduce overcrowding at lunch time **students who chose to leave the school premises at lunch time are not permitted to re-enter the school building until 1:40 pm**; students can congregate in the outdoor space at the back of the school and/or the area between green seats and Bitesite. This is inclusive of students who return home for lunch or those who decide to use local shops to purchase food.

Only packed lunches should be consumed on school premises.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Craig Biddick', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Craig Biddick

Head Teacher