



St Pius X Catholic Primary School & Little Lambs Nursery

Bubble Closure – Additional Information for Years 1

I would like to thank the families for their quick response and support this morning. It was not how we intended to start the week.

Summary

- Year 1 staff and pupils must isolate (this is a legal requirement) until Friday 27th November at 1.30pm.
- Year 1 staff and pupils can return to school on Monday 30th November.
- Isolation only applies to the staff and pupils - NOT other household members, unless they start to display any of the signs or symptoms.

School Lunches

If your child receives Free School Meals or Universal Infant Free School Meals (Reception to Year 2), please order lunches as normal via LunchShop and we will arrange delivery. 🍱 We have been advised by Orian (kitchen provider) that we can only offer packed lunches for deliveries - not the hot options. *Please update your lunch orders.*

Remote Learning

Mr Bolton will be in touch with more information regarding Remote Learning.

Remote Learning will commence today. Staff are working hard to prepare for this.

We ask that parents make themselves familiar with the Remote Learning section of our website: <https://stpiusx.schooljotter2.com/parents/remote-learning>. The web page also has video tutorials to support parents with Showbie and Zoom. This is being updated regularly, so please do keep checking back.

Furthermore, you will also find a link to our Remote Learning Policy on the web page. Hopefully, the web page and policy will answer some of your questions.

Device & Internet Access

We have a limited number of devices available. If you need a device, please contact the School Office as soon as possible.

Isolating

We would like to remind parents and carers that if you or your child are told to self-isolate you must do so. They must stay at home. It is not guidance - it is the law.

More information can be found at: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/>

'Restore all things in Christ'

Childcare

Some parents/carers have previously asked if children can move between parents (who have separated) or be cared for by their childcare/support bubble. The advice received from Public Health is as follows:

'Ideally, only one household should care for a child who is isolating, but if there is no other option children may move between households (house-car-house). However, both households must be prepared to isolate, until a test result is received, if the child was to develop symptoms.'

Don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any other questions.