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# The Adderley Post

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## WELCOME BACK

Happy New Year to all our families and we hope you have had a wonderful Christmas break and are looking forward to an exciting term.



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION—COVID UPDATE

### Current Practice

Most of the recent guidelines issued do not apply to primary-aged pupils and as such, there are no significant changes to our practice here at Adderley Primary School. We will be continuing with the current request that any parents / carers entering the school site wear a face covering (unless exempt).

It is also really important that everyone respects the measures school has introduced to keep everyone safe. Please ensure that all families continue to follow advice.

- Wash hands: keep washing your hands regularly for 20 seconds.
- Cover face: wear a face covering in enclosed spaces.
- Let the fresh air in your homes, open windows for 10 to 15 minutes regularly throughout the day.
- Make space: stay at least 2 metres apart - or 1 metre with a face covering or other precautions.

For more advice and guidance please visit [www.gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus).

### Positive Cases and Isolation

From 22<sup>nd</sup> December, changes came into force relating to the isolation period for confirmed positive Covid cases. The previous ten-day period of isolation has now been reduced to seven days, providing they can return a negative Lateral Flow Test result on day six and day seven. The first test must be taken no earlier than day six and the two tests must be taken 24 hours apart.

Anyone who is unable to carry out a lateral flow test should complete the full ten-day isolation period. Please continue to let the school office know if your child is not going to be in school and the reason for the absence.

From **11th January 2022** PCR test will be suspended until **March 2022**, therefore if you have a positive lateral flow test you must record the results at <https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result>, and follow the above advice.

### Contact Details

Please can all parents/carers ensure that the school has the correct contact details. It is vital that you keep the school informed of any changes in contact numbers or addresses. It is vital that parents keep communication lines open with the school in case of emergencies or class closures.

### Mobile Phones in Playground

As part of our safeguarding procedures parents are not permitted to use mobile phones in the school playground. There are signs up all around the playground please adhere to this policy.

## Adverse Weather Conditions

If we experience any adverse weather conditions such as snow which forces the school to be closed, please check our **SCHOOL WEBSITE** or **TWITTER** or listen to your local radio station for school closures.

Please ensure that your children come to school in weather appropriate clothing including footwear and coats, which must be labelled with their name and class.



You can contact us via email by writing to [enquiry@adderley.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@adderley.bham.sch.uk)

## P.E. Lessons 2022

All children in Years 1 - 6 must wear their PE kit as their school uniform on their designated PE day. Reception children should bring their P.E. kits in their P.E. Bag. This will remove the issues associated with changing. The expectations for PE kits are in line with the school uniform policy, please ensure children are in weather suitable clothing.

- White Adderley PE top
- Blue / black or grey tracksuit bottoms / leggings or shorts
- Trainers or pumps

Current Designated PE Days			
<b>Monday</b>	Year 1 and Year 3	<b>Thursday</b>	Year 4
<b>Tuesday</b>	Year 2 and Year 6	<b>Thursday</b>	Year 4 Girls Swimming
<b>Wednesday</b>	Year 5	<b>Friday</b>	Reception

## After School Clubs



Adderley Primary School offers a wide range of afterschool clubs, which are available to book on **ParentMail**. Children must be collected by 4:30pm. Please take up this opportunity, it is a first come first served basis.

Day	Year Group	Club
<b>Monday</b>	Year 3 Reception and Year 1 Year 4 and 5	Spring Competitive Sports Club Reading Club Chess Club
<b>Wednesday</b>	Year 4 Year 1 and 2 Year 4 and 5 Year 3 and 4 Year 6	Spring Competitive Sports Club Art Club Spanish Club Science Club Computing Club
<b>Thursday</b>	Year 5 Year 1 and 2 Year 3 and 4 Year 5	Spring Competitive Sports Club Maths Club Eco Club Maths Club

## Positive Pupil Behaviour Policy

At Adderley Primary School, we aim to create a calm, caring, safe environment in which pupils can work towards achieving their full potential. Our Positive Pupil Behaviour Policy has been developed in line with the articles in the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child. As we have previously shared the policy with parents, we would like to remind you to continue to support your children's behaviour and attitude towards school life by following the aims and responsibilities below.

### Parent Aims and Responsibilities

- To work in partnership with the school to promote positive values and Rights Respecting behaviour.
- To encourage their children to take responsibility for their actions.
- To value the work of the school, be aware of the school vision and the school's Positive Pupil Behaviour Policy.
- To support their children with their learning at home.
- To attend Parents' Afternoons, Curriculum Workshops, Open Days and other events designed to support their children.
- To be proactive and take responsibility for their child's behaviour.
- Inform the school of any changes in circumstances that may affect their child's behaviour.
- Discuss any behavioural concerns with the class teacher promptly.
- To be aware of the events taking place in school via the newsletter and website.
- Parents will communicate with their child's class teacher for any information.
- Sharing or raising of any behaviour concerns. All school staff should refer to the Parent Communication Chart when behaviour concerns are raised.

If parents have any concerns regarding their child's behaviour, they should speak to the class teacher initially, allow them to investigate the concerns and share feedback accordingly.