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## IMPORTANT COMMUNICATION

Dear Parents and Carers,

You will find information from Wirral Public Health on the reverse of this letter advising that all adults must wear a face covering when dropping off and collecting children from Wirral primary schools from next week.

You will no doubt be aware that Wirral has experienced a significant increase in coronavirus cases over the past few weeks and the Local Authority want us all to do everything possible to minimise further transmission.



I have today spoken to children about face coverings and explained why we are asking grownups to wear them, so they don't worry when they see us following this guidance next week. I have asked all school staff to wear a face shield when they collect or dismiss children so that staff may also look after your families.

A face covering or shield does not reduce the need to social distance; it is an additional protective measure and following the one-way system and distancing must still be followed by all parents.



I would also remind families that at the end of the day the green gate is the entrance and the grey gate is the exit for all year groups as they leave on their staggered timings. Please do not leave via the green gate and please maintain social distancing for your own and others' safety.

Our school is fully open with 95% attendance and children and staff are following all of our protective measures rigorously. We all want to keep Christ Church fully open so I am asking all families and staff to please make sure we are all following the guidelines outside school and in particular; washing hands regularly, wearing face coverings and keeping a distance. You can find the current guidance on this link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-outbreak-faqs-what-you-can-and-cant-do/coronavirus-outbreak-faqs-what-you-can-and-cant-do>

Please also think about how children and adults can social distance if they are visiting others' homes. It is wonderful to be able to meet up with friends and family again in small groups less than 6, but we ask that everyone observes the guidance and we all do everything possible to avoid further Wirral restrictions.

Thank-you so much for all you are doing to work with us and keep our community safe,  
Amanda Donelan  
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