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8<sup>th</sup> June 2020

## PAGET NEWS

### Childline

Children if you need  
to talk to anyone  
please ring or email.

[www.childline.co.uk](http://www.childline.co.uk)



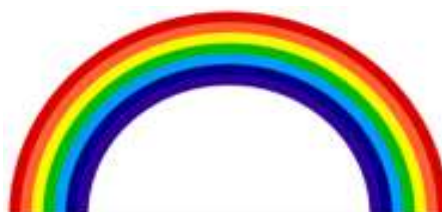
### Contact Us...

Email:

[enquiry@paget.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@paget.bham.sch.uk)

Telephone: 0121 464 3902 or  
07493838732

Twitter: @PagetPrimary



# A Word From The Head

I hope that you are all keeping safe and well during these difficult times. You should have all received a letter explaining about the planned wider opening for more pupils as we move forwards. Please email us if you have not seen this letter.

Whilst the government guidance around social distancing remains in place it makes it very difficult for school to accommodate all identified year groups back at the same time. As a result, we have set the following timeline for return.

Year Group	Date of return	Last day of attendance/ end of term
Nursery (usual hours)	8/6/2020	10/7/2020
Panthers	8/6/2020	20/7/2020
Year One	15/6/2020	10/7/2020
Reception	22/6/2020	10/7/2020
Year Six	13/7/2020	20/7/2020

This way we can give Year Six a dedicated week, to say their goodbyes and take part in a detailed transition programme ready for secondary school.

This week the staff have been in school setting up classrooms and shared spaces, cleaning all resources, storing away soft furnishings and toys and any excess furniture, in a safe way so that some pupils can return. There has been lots and lots to do and we have all been very busy making sure everything is ready for Nursery and Panthers to return safely next week. We also continue to provide education for our critical worker children.

Each parent that has indicated their child will be returning will receive a letter with all the information they need for when their child returns. It contains information such as start and finish times, staffing, entrances and exits etc.

Many of you have asked teachers about arrangements for September and whether all the children will be returning. At this moment, I am really sorry but I still have not been given any guidance around this. As soon as I have news on this I will, of course, let you know.

Take care and stay safe everyone.

Vicky Nussey

## DFE Parent Guidance Updated

On 2<sup>nd</sup> June DFE updated it's guidance for parents. The Document 'What Parents and Carers need to Know About Schools, Colleges and Other Education Settings During the Coronavirus Outbreak' can be found on the gov.uk website

## Communication from School to Home

We are trying to improve how we communicate letters with you and we want to start using email more effectively. We have many emails addresses for parents but there are some that we are missing. You will get a phone call from someone in the school office in the next few days if we do not already have your email address. Could you also ensure that should your telephone number change that you let the main school office know.



### **Are you Eligible for Free School Meals?**

School meal vouchers will continue to be provided for those pupils who are eligible and are not returning to school. If your child returns to school they will receive their free school meal in school.

### **Concerned About A Child's Safety?**

Contact a school DSL on the mobile phone number at the start of this newsletter or contact Birmingham CASS on 0121 303 1888

# Values - Trust

## Talk About Trust

### Together

Trust is a really important value.  
It must be earned. If we do not trust someone it is very hard to build a good friendship with them.

Talk together about:

- people who you know that are trustworthy
- practical ways that we can show others that we are trustworthy
- why it is important to be able to trust others when working together as a team



## Is Your Child Due to Start School in September?

We have spaces at our school and would like your child to join us.  
If you would like any information about applying for a place, please contact the school office on 0121 464 3902.

To enable you to see our Early Years provision and meet our staff, we have created video messages from the Early Years Team and Head Teacher, as well as a tour of Nursery and Reception classrooms. These are available on our website <https://www.paget.bham.sch.uk/parents> zone. Also on our website (curriculum section, introduction page) there is an outline of our Early Years provision.

If you have applied for a place for Nursery or Reception, information will be in the post to you.

## **Covid 19**

You can help to slow the spread of Coronavirus by making sure you and your children follow these general principles:

Wash your hands often – with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, or an alcohol-based sanitiser if soap and water aren't available.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

Stay at home and stay safe.

Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in a bin.

Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces in the home.

### **Department for Education Coronavirus helpline**

This helpline has been set up to answer questions about the virus related to education. Staff, parents and young people can contact the helpline.

Phone: 0800 046 8687

Email: [DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk](mailto:DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk)

Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

### **Useful websites**

More detailed guidance is provided in the below websites:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19>

<https://publichealthmatters.blog.gov.uk/2020/01/23/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-what->

## **Domestic Abuse Helpline**

If you are experiencing domestic abuse you are not alone.

Please call the national domestic abuse helpline:

0808 2000 247

The following link also provides information about how to get help if you or someone you know is a victim of domestic abuse:

[https://www.gov.uk/guidance /domestic-abuse-how-to- get-help](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-abuse-how-to-get-help)