



Denton C.P. School Newsletter

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Staggered Timings

Dear Parents & Carers,

It is fantastic seeing everyone back at school today. The children are looking very smart and seem raring to go!

The guidance the Government has published for schools to re-open safely, states that we need to have staggered timings in place at the start and end of the day in order to reduce congestion at the school gates as far as possible.

I appreciate staggered timings present a number of challenges, and we are trying to get everyone in as quickly as possible to minimise the impact on your work and family commitments. **To do this safely, it is really important that we all follow these basic principles:**

- Please avoid waiting outside the school gates before or after your allotted start/finish time;
- Please make sure your child arrives no later than 10 minutes after their start time (registers will be taken 10 minutes after start times once everyone has settled in);
- On arrival, send the children straight into school – they know where to go and we will make sure everyone gets safely to their classrooms;
- On collection, please leave the school site/gates as quickly as possible;
- Remain socially distanced from other families.

Many thanks for your patience and support with this.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Guy Walsh
Headteacher

