

# St Mary's Catholic Federation, Carshalton

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## Safeguarding and Wellbeing Alert (1) - Covid-19 - 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020

### Preparing for a return to school

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have further challenging times ahead as we slowly reopen the schools and make plans towards eventually having all pupils back with us.

To ensure the safety of everyone in the community, many protective measures are in place in school and will continue for the foreseeable future. To make these effective, we once again ask that you adhere to them, working together to keep each one of us safe.

The schools have indicators and procedures to implement social distancing. This may be in the form of markings to direct you and signage as a reminder to keep you alert. Please keep to the given allocated routes and timings given. Do not arrive in the vicinity more than 5 minutes before the given time to support the safe circulation within the school grounds.

We have considered the growing groups of parents in any one area and need to ensure that we reduce these groups whether on public footpaths or the playground. Only one adult will be allowed to drop children or collect after school. All adults will be expected to leave the school grounds immediately and not linger with friends and only be on site for the few minutes before required. Please ensure that the school has details on their records of who will pick up your child at the end of the day. The choice of the adult is parental responsibility e.g family or childminder.

These measures form part of the ongoing risk assessment process and are there for the wellbeing of pupils, staff and parents.

You may get further similar notices to ensure we all stay alert. Please take time to read them in support of the school safety policy.

With kind regards and best wishes for a brighter and safer future

**Mrs Hulme**  
**Executive Headteacher**

(Designated Child Protection Officers:

Executive Headteacher: Mrs Hulme & Deputy Headteacher Mrs. Quinn)

[Safeguarding Statement](#)

[This school takes notice of and adheres to all the national and local policies and guidance in regard to Safeguarding Children and Young People.](#)

