

# St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School

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#### Dear Parents/Carers,

As you are aware the Government are advising social distance measures. Therefore, to try to minimise the number of individuals on the playground during the morning drop off and end of day collection, we are changing the procedure **as of today**.

### End of day pick up

Children in the infants (Year R, Year 1 and Year 2) will finish school at 3:00pm.

Children in the juniors (Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6) will finish at the normal time of 3:30pm.

For those families with children in both the Infants and Juniors (for example one child in Year 1 and one in Year 3), they will finish at **3:20pm**.

## Morning drop off

The gate will be opened at 8:40am and children should make their way directly into school following the normal routes. Children do not need to wait until the whistle is blown.

When dropping off or collecting your child(ren), we ask that only one adult per family should come onto the school premises. We also ask that you follow the guidance for social distancing when on the playground. The Government guidelines on social distancing can be found here:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-social-distancing-and-for-vulnerable-people/guidance-on-social-distancing-for-everyone-in-the-uk-and-protecting-older-people-and-vulnerable-adults

These are further alterations that we are putting in place to support our children, families and staff during this unprecedented time. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

## Mrs L Prestidge Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead

















