

Newburgh CE Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Arrangements for Sports Day – 9th July 2021

As we are not able to come together as a school for Sports Day this year we have re-arranged our day so children can participate safely in their bubbles. Each bubble has been allocated the following one hour time slot:

9.30 – 10.30 Reception

10.45-11.45 Years 1 and 2

13.00 – 14.00 Years 3 and 4

14.15 – 15.15 Years 5 and 6

All the equipment and mats will be sanitised after each bubble to allow this event to take place safely and a risk assessment has been completed.

The Department for Education have confirmed that Sports Days can go ahead and, where outdoors, spectators may be present in groups of no more than 30; the legal gathering limit and social distance must be adhered to.

To allow you to watch your children participate in this event the following rules must be adhered to:-

Parents

- To keep the spectating groups down to 30 only one parent/carer may attend this event.
- You **must** stand in the identified zone for your child's year group. The zones will be appropriately distanced from the participation area. There will be no zones near the finish line.
- **It is your responsibility** to respect and maintain social distance from others.
- You must wear a face covering whilst on the school premises (unless exempt)



- You must **enter** the field via the side gate by Back Lane and use the hand sanitiser provided (face masks will also be available)
- You will need to **exit** via the staff car park gate (this will enable the next bubble's spectators to enter the school grounds safely)
- You must not enter the school field until 5 minutes before your child's sports event is due to start (if the previous bubble runs over please be patient with us). Please queue for entry to the field down the path alongside the school field – not towards the staff car park.
- You must not leave your spectator zone to approach the children.
- If you have children in more than one sports day bubble you must leave the school grounds with all your belongings at the end of each event and re-enter with all other spectators from your next child's year group.

Children

- Sunscreen should be applied before the start of the school day
- Provide sun hats and sunglasses if required
- Your child needs to come to school in their **PE school uniform** – trainers can be worn and they may wear their school cardigan or jumper over their kit. Your child will bring their PE kit home after their previous PE lesson earlier in the week has been delivered.

If we have to cancel any of the bubble Sports Day events due to inclement weather or any further changes to guidance we will inform you via School Jotter with as much notice as possible.

Thank you for your continued support and co-operation.

Kind regards



Rebecca Fowler
Headteacher

