

The Bliss Charity School



Re-opening – Monday 8th March 2021 *Information Booklet for Parents/Carers*

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1. Introduction and principles

The purpose of this booklet is to provide families with information about how we plan to re-open The Bliss Charity School fully on Monday 8th March 2021. It is very important that all parents/carers read the whole of this booklet carefully.

In trying to carry out the Government's instructions, the health and safety of the entire Bliss community – children, staff, parents, visitors, contractors and community members – underpins every decision that has been (and will be) made.

2. Disclaimer

Whilst the plans outlined in this booklet are correct at the time of writing, it is possible that we will need to make changes following further guidance from the Department for Education.

3. Government guidance

In our planning, we have used the following Government guidance:

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/964351/Schools_coronavirus_operational_guidance.pdf

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/what-parents-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-covid-19>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/protective-measures-for-holiday-or-after-school-clubs-and-other-out-of-school-settings-for-children-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/protective-measures-for-out-of-school-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-for-parents-and-carers-of-children-attending-out-of-school-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/guidance-for-parents-and-carers-of-children-attending-out-of-school-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-decontamination-in-non-healthcare-settings/covid-19-decontamination-in-non-healthcare-settings>

These documents are being updated on a regular basis and school leaders will continue to respond to amendments and updates as they are provided. It is also possible that the DfE will issue new guidance in addition to the resources listed above. If this is the case, we will use this guidance to shape our plans too.

4. Risk assessment

Our risk assessment for full opening adheres to all of the DfE's requirements published to date – this has been written in consultation with staff and reviewed by members of the Governing Body.

For transparency, a copy of our risk assessment has been uploaded to our school website – please visit: www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/parents/full-re-opening-documents-march-2021. However, it must be recognised that – whilst this is a very detailed and comprehensive document – our risk assessment is 'on-going' and operational changes will be made before (and after) opening to all pupils on Monday 8th March 2021 so that it reflects the best possible practice in education settings. It is anticipated that any changes to our risk assessment from now on will affect the finer details of the plan rather than the broad, strategic structure.

5. Message from the Department for Education

'The Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health has made clear that the overwhelming majority of children and young people still have no symptoms or very mild illness only.

Returning to school or college is also vital for their educational progress, for their wellbeing, and for their wider development.

To continue to manage the risks, including when all children and students return, nurseries, childminders, schools and colleges will continue to implement the range of protective measures that they have been using throughout the autumn term.

*We have further strengthened these measures to help decrease the disruption the virus causes to education. Current evidence suggests that these measures are still the right ones to take.'*¹

*'Implementing the system of controls, creates a safer environment for pupils and staff where the risk of transmission of infection is substantially reduced.'*²

6. Safety measures

From Monday 8th March 2021, we will minimise the number of contacts that a pupil has during the school day as part of implementing the system of controls.

The system of controls – endorsed by Public Health England (PHE) – builds on the hierarchy of protective measures that have been in use throughout the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak.

Essential measures include:

- a requirement that people who are ill stay at home
- robust hand and respiratory hygiene
- enhanced cleaning arrangements
- active engagement with NHS Test and Trace
- reducing the number of contacts and maximising the distancing between those in school wherever possible to minimise the potential for contamination so far as is reasonably practicable

Our risk assessment provides specific details of how we will implement these protection and control measures – please visit: www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/parents/full-re-opening-documents-march-2021.

7. Arrangements from Monday 8th March 2021

7.1 Class 'bubbles'

The risk of transmission is limited by reducing the number of pupils and staff in contact with each other. Therefore, the children at Bliss will be taught in class-sized 'bubbles' and Bliss staff will only teach the children in the class to which they have been assigned.

Once at school, staggered break times and lunch times will also be in operation and timetables have been set to ensure classes do not mix throughout the day. Classrooms (and additional indoor learning spaces) will not be shared by different 'bubbles'.

Within the 'bubbles', children will be reminded to refrain from contact and maintain a safe distance between each other and with staff, as far as possible.

¹ 'What parents need to know about early years providers, schools and colleges during COVID-19' (<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/what-parents-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-covid-19>)

² 'Schools coronavirus (COVID-19) operational guidance' (https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/964351/Schools_coronavirus_operational_guidance.pdf)

To support these measures, please minimise contacts/mixing beyond the school day (and limit the number of different wraparound/extra-curricular providers being accessed to only one out-of-school setting, as far as possible) – this is for the protection of all other pupils and their families, as well as for staff and their families.

7.2 Staggered school days

While full time school hours will be provided for all classes, there will be staggered drop-offs and collections, as advised by the DfE. This is to minimise contact between pupils and amongst parents/carers and the wider community – this measure also enables us to timetable separate breaks effectively throughout the day.

Drop-off/collection will either be at the gate on the front playground or at the gate on the back playground.³ Children should be dropped-off/collected by only one adult, without siblings, if possible. The timings for dropping-off/collecting each class will be as follows:

Entry/exit point = The FRONT playground gate	Entry/exit point = The BACK playground gate
Class 6 (8:30 am – 2:50 pm)	Class 3 (8:30 am – 2:50 pm)
Class 5 (8:40 am – 3:00 pm)	Class 2 (8:40 am – 3:00 pm)
Class 4 (8:50 am – 3:10 pm)	Class 1 (8:50 am – 3:10 pm)
Class R (9:00 am – 3:20 pm)	

Children must arrive on time in order for the social distancing timetable to work. Children can arrive up to five minutes before their allocated start time, but no earlier, and they cannot be late. On arrival, pupils will need to come through their allocated gate without an adult and join their class line ready to go in. On entry to the school building, children and adults will be required to use hand sanitiser before making their way to their classroom where they will then wash their hands thoroughly for 20 seconds. Pupils will only be allowed into the school building early if it is raining heavily – therefore, please ensure your child is dressed suitably for the weather conditions.

At the end of the school day, pupils will exit the building and assemble on the front/back playground ready to be dismissed to their parent/carer – adults must not enter through the gates at collection times.

The layout and situation of our premises does not easily allow for socially distanced arrival/collection arrangements at the beginning/end of the day. Therefore, parents/carers are asked to be considerate of each other and members of the wider community, observing the need to remain 2m away from others wherever possible. All pavements surrounding the school should only be accessed immediately before the allocated drop-of/collection times and care should be taken not to block the pathways or impede others.

**Use of face coverings by adults when dropping off/collecting is advised.
Parents/carers must not gather at the gates or come onto the school site without an appointment.**

Pupils in Year 5 and Year 6 can walk to/from school with permission from their parents/carers – please advise the school office (office@bliss.northants.sch.uk) of this arrangement so children are released on time.

Members of staff – usually Mrs. Howard and Mrs Adey – will be available at drop-off/collection times to take any messages that need to be passed to the teaching staff. Messages/updates for teaching staff can also be left on the answerphone, emailed to the office or emailed to staff directly.

7.3 Access and communication

Access to the school premises for all visitors is by permission only – parents/carers, members of the community, external education professionals and contractors must contact the school office (office@bliss.northants.sch.uk or 01327 340758) before seeking access to the school site.

³ Arrival/collection on the back playground will not be possible because this area has been split into separate zones to enable the class ‘bubbles’ to use separate areas of the playground for their break times.

In the first instance, parents/carers should direct any enquiries to office@bliss.northants.sch.uk or 01327 340758 – this will ensure that the right member of staff receives the information. Responses will be via telephone or email, rather than face-to-face meetings.

Whilst access to our premises remains limited, teachers’ email addresses are available for parents/carers to contact them directly. However, your child’s class teacher may not always be the best person to deal the enquiry so it is advisable to go through the school office first of all. Moreover, please note that teachers will only respond to messages within normal office hours and outside of lesson time.

Class	Email address
Class R	S.Caller@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 1	M.Churms@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 2	D.Newton@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 3	R.Colton@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 4	C.Byrne@bliss.northants.sch.uk and/or M.Sharp@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 5	senco@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Class 6	K.Bastin@bliss.northants.sch.uk
Headteacher	head@bliss.northants.sch.uk

7.4 Wraparound care

From Monday 8th March 2021, we will once again be working closely with Nether Heyford Pre-School to enable parents/carers to access before-school and after-school care. Nether Heyford Pre-School are aware of The Bliss Charity School’s staggered start/end times and will provide before/after school care that works alongside these temporary timings. Please contact Nether Heyford Pre-School directly to arrange wraparound care (see below).

Please be aware that children will mix beyond their class ‘bubble’ at before-school and after-school club. Therefore, if using this facility, please minimise contacts/mixing beyond the school day (and limit the number of different wraparound/extra-curricular providers being accessed to only one out-of-school setting, as far as possible) – this is for the protection of all other pupils and their families, as well as for staff and their families.

OFSTED No. EY450747

NETHER HEYFORD

CHARITY No. 1029571

Pre-School

Ages 2-5 years
 Open Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm
 Funding available for eligible 2,3 and 4 year olds
 Highly qualified and experienced staff
 Excellent links with Bliss School
 Fantastic village location

Use of numerous outdoor facilities including:

- Bliss Schools' Outdoor Classroom
- Forest School activities
- 'Rising 5' sessions for those starting school in September
- Childcare vouchers accepted

Before & After School Club

Wrap around care available for children aged up to 11 years old
 Breakfast Club incl. breakfast open from 7.45am
 After School Club open until 6pm
 'Walking Bus' to and from Bliss School provided if required
 Transition sessions available for Bliss School reception class.

**Drop in and see us at
 The Church Rooms, Church Lane,
 Nether Heyford or call on
 07984 055 828**

info@netherheyfordpreschool.co.uk
www.netherheyfordpreschool.co.uk

7.5 The curriculum

Children will have full access to a broad and balanced curriculum from Monday 8th March 2021, just like they would under normal circumstances. However, at present, this will not include trips as the DfE advises against educational visits at this time.

As well as access to a broad and balanced curriculum, every 'bubble' has at least two adults in the classroom to help pupils catch up on missed education. Moreover, as well as small group interventions in the core subjects, the additional support in every classroom means that adults will be available to promote wellbeing and wider development, as well as providing pastoral support to meet any social, emotional and mental health needs children may present.

Small adaptations to the classrooms will be made to support distancing where possible.

Peripatetic music teaching will resume on site from Monday 8th March 2021.

Although disappointing, some whole-school activities and events might not be possible this academic year. Where possible, alternative versions will be explored.

7.6 Extra-curricular opportunities

Unfortunately, it is not possible to offer the very wide range of extra-curricular club opportunities that are usually available at The Bliss Charity School immediately. Staggered start/finish times, subject specific guidance for PE and music, and re-purposing the hall and the back playground – as well as the need to minimise contacts and mixing as far as possible – means that clubs will return gradually, when it is safe and viable to do so.

From Monday 8th March 2021, the *Rhino Sports Academy* multi-skills clubs will return for Years 1-6 on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for children in Years 1-6. At the multi-sports clubs, the children will experience professional coaching across a range of sports, including football, basketball and many more!

- Class 1-2 Multi-Sports Club = Tuesdays (3:15 pm – 4:15 pm) – 1st session on 09/03/21
- Class 3-4 Multi-Sports Club = Wednesdays (3:15 pm – 4:15 pm) – 1st session on 10/03/21
- Class 5-6 Multi-Sports Club = Thursdays (3:15 pm – 4:15 pm) – 1st session on 11/03/21

To adhere to the Government's guidance for after-school clubs, a **maximum of 15 children** will be able to attend the *Rhino Sports Academy* sessions. In addition, the activities will always be held outside and rules around physical contact, the sharing of equipment and good hand and respiratory hygiene will be observed too.

To sign up, please visit <https://www.rhinosportsacademy.co.uk/bliss-charity-school/>. On our school's page of the *Rhino* website, you will be able to register your child and pay for the sessions – the *Rhino Sports Academy* website has all the information regarding pricing. If you require any further information, please contact Sam Mennell directly on 07894713006 or rhinosportsacademy@gmail.com.

Please be aware that children will mix beyond their class 'bubble' at the *Rhino Sports Academy* multi-skills clubs. Therefore, if using this facility, please minimise contacts/mixing beyond the school day (and limit the number of different wraparound/extra-curricular providers being accessed to only one out-of-school setting, as far as possible) – this is for the protection of all other pupils and their families, as well as for staff and their families.

Please note ...

- The sessions will take place outside (on the back playground), in all but torrential weather. This means that children should come to school with suitable kit for the weather conditions.
- All pupils will need to be collected from the back playground – all sessions start at 3:15 pm and finish at 4:15 pm.
- Places will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis through the *Rhino Sports Academy* website – please do not return any money to The Bliss Charity School. The registration and payment process for these clubs is not being managed directly by the school office.

7.7 Behaviour

School staff will help children follow the protection and control measures in place at school, teaching them the importance of regular cleaning, good hand and respiratory hygiene, and distancing – please see section 7.12 for pupils' responsibilities. Please be aware that if any child wilfully and repeatedly disobeys the protection and control measures put in place to keep them – and others – safe, parents/carers may be asked to collect their child from school.

7.8 What to wear to school and what to bring to school

7.8.1 Uniform and PE kit

When children return on Monday 8th March 2021, they will need to wear **FULL** school uniform.

<p>Top:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Royal blue, crew-neck jumper with the school logo. or Royal blue fleece with the school logo. or Royal blue cardigan with the school logo. <p>Shirt:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School logoed polo shirt: white or royal blue (preferred item). or White shirt or white polo shirt (permitted item). <p>Bottom:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black or grey trousers. or Black or grey knee-length skirt. or Black or grey pinafore dress. or Black or grey smart shorts. or In the summer, blue and white checked summer dress. 		<p>Hair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long hair (shoulder length or longer) should be tied back with simple accessories. No extreme haircuts.* <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Book bag with the school logo (preferred item). Ruck-sack or draw-string bag for other items (e.g. PE kit). Warm, waterproof coat for cold/wet weather. Cap, or summer hat, for sunnier weather (outdoor use only). <p>Footwear:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean, flat, black shoes with no visible branding. Black or grey tights. Black, grey or white socks. Trainers to change into at break/lunchtime (optional).
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* "Extreme" haircuts are those considered by the school to be significantly different so as to cause distraction to others; and not in keeping with the school's smart ethos. These may include: tram-lines, or designs cut/shaved into the hair; or brightly-coloured dyed hair (this is not an exhaustive list).

Children should wear their PE kit to school on their allocated PE day. Please be aware that children may be asked to wear their PE kit to school instead of their uniform on another day if a PE lesson is cancelled on their allocated day – if this is the case, parents/carers will be emailed by the school office.

Class R PE = Monday
Class 1 PE = Tuesday
Class 2 PE = Tuesday
Class 3 PE = Wednesday
Class 4 PE = Wednesday
Class 5 PE = Friday
Class 6 PE = Thursday

For PE, children need to wear the following kit:

<p>Top:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> White, logoed PE t-shirt (preferred item). or Plain, white t-shirt (permitted item). Logoed, house-coloured t-shirts for PE are also available (preferred items): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fire (red) - Water (blue) - Earth (green) - Air (yellow) <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outdoor PE: A plain, blue or black sweatshirt or tracksuit top and jogging bottoms can be worn for outdoor PE in cold weather. Logoed tracksuits are available from the school's uniform supplier (optional). A cap and sun protection lotion for sunnier weather. 		<p>Hair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long hair (shoulder length) must be tied back with simple accessories. <p>Jewellery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No jewellery – including earrings – should be worn for PE. Pupils should be able to remove their earrings for this lesson or not wear earrings on PE days.* <p>Bottom:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plain, blue or black shorts. Black, blue or white socks. <p>Footwear:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean, trainers or plimsolls. Football boots can be worn on the grass.
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* Where an item of jewellery cannot be removed then it is the teacher's responsibility to try to establish a safe situation to enable participation. Where safe participation cannot be assured, the pupil cannot take part in that element of the lesson.

Please visit www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/school/school-uniform for a copy of our uniform policy.

School uniform and PE kit can be ordered through the school office (office@bliss.northants.sch.uk) or directly from our supplier (www.brigade.uk.com).

IMPORTANT WASH CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Always refer to your garment care label to ensure that your uniform looks as good as new for as long as possible. We produce tough, hardwearing uniform, however it is important that you follow the care labels correctly to ensure you get the best out of your purchase.

- Turn garments inside out to wash and dry
- Fasten any buttons before washing
- Do not overload machine
- Iron inside out on a cool setting to avoid heat damage, which can cause a shiny surface on fabrics (do not iron knitwear or cuffs and welts on sweatshirts)
- Bobbling/Pilling is caused by friction and excessive heat. It is also known within the British textile industry that fabric softeners are a major cause of bobbling/pilling of the fabric. Bobbling/pilling often disappears over time and is not a reflection on the quality of the garment.

Washing symbols and their meaning
Always check the label!!

Washing symbols: Machine wash at temperature stated, Hand wash only, Do not bleach, Wash only at temperature stated, Do not tumble dry, Dry clean only, Do not iron, Do not steam, Do not wring out.

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Uniforms/PE kits do not need to be cleaned any more often than usual, or in any different way to normal, due to coronavirus (COVID-19).

7.8.2 Bags

Only essential items should be brought to school:

- Trainers for break times (optional) – these must be brought to school and not worn instead of shoes
- Packed lunch (optional)
- Bottled drink of water
- Healthy break time snack
- Book bag, reading book and reading record
- Hat, coat, scarf and gloves (according to the weather)
- Any other item(s) as specifically directed by class teachers (e.g. wellies on an outdoor classroom day, for instance)

Pupils are limited to one bag each. Children should not bring personal possessions (including their own toys/games) to school.

7.8.3 Face coverings and testing

In primary schools, the DfE recommends that face coverings should be worn by staff and visitors in situations where social distancing between adults is not possible (for example, when moving around in corridors and communal areas). Therefore, whilst children in primary schools do not need to wear face coverings, staff will wear them indoors when they are outside the spaces allocated for their 'bubble'.

In addition to wearing face coverings, twice weekly Lateral Flow Tests will continue to be made available to all staff.

7.9 School meals

SchoolGrid will be up and running as usual for parents/carers to order meals provided by *Dolce* from Monday 8th March 2021. If parents/carers require assistance, they should contact the school office (office@bliss.northants.sch.uk or 01327 340758).

7.10 Attendance

School attendance will be mandatory for all pupils from Monday 8th March 2021.

The usual rules on school attendance apply, including:

- parents' duty to secure their child's regular attendance at school.
- the ability to issue sanctions, including fixed penalty notices in line with local authorities' codes of conduct.

If parents/carers have concerns about their children returning to school, they should, in the first instance, visit www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/parents/full-re-opening-documents-march-2021 to see full details of how The Bliss Charity School will implement all of the DfE's protection and control measures. In addition, a telephone conversation with a member of the school's Senior Leadership Team (SLT) can be arranged to discuss concerns and provide reassurances regarding the system of controls that will be in operation.

Where children are not able to attend school due to clinical and/or public health advice, absence will not be penalised.

As ever, parents should plan holidays within school holidays and avoid seeking permission to take their children out of school during term time. Please visit www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/information/attendance for a copy of our attendance policy.

7.11 Parents'/carers' responsibilities

We all have a role to play in making the full opening of schools go smoothly. School staff request the support and understanding of parents/carers in order to successfully manage what the Government has asked. We ask parents/carers to ...

- Monitor your child's health (and the health of the whole household/support bubble), looking out for symptoms of coronavirus – a new, continuous cough or a high temperature or a loss of, or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia).
- Book a coronavirus test and self-isolate if your child (or anyone else in your household/support bubble) develops a new, continuous cough or a high temperature or a loss of, or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia) – in this instance, please follow Government guidance: www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection.
- Engage with NHS Test and Trace if required.
- Collect your child from school as soon as possible if you are informed they are unwell.
- Ensure your child is dropped off and collected punctually – according to their start and finish times – at the beginning and end of the day.
- Minimise contacts/mixing beyond the school day (and limit the number of different wraparound/extra-curricular providers being accessed to only one out-of-school setting, as far as possible) – this is for the protection of all other pupils and their families, as well as for staff and their families.
- Reinforce the importance of good hand and respiratory hygiene at home and in advance of the school day.
- Help your child recognise a safe social distance.
- Help your child understand the changes to their school day, e.g. starting/finishing the school day earlier/later than others and only being able to socialise with children in their class 'bubble' at break times.
- Seek advance permission before entering the premises.
- Access and engage with the remote education provided by the school if your child has to remain at home following clinical and/or public health advice.

7.12 Pupils' responsibilities

We all have a role to play in making the full opening of schools go smoothly. School staff request the support and understanding of pupils in order to successfully manage what the Government has asked. We ask pupils to ...

- Tell an adult if they feel poorly.
- Get up and get ready for school when they are asked – school start times are earlier for some pupils.
- Wash their hands for 20 seconds with soap and water – or use hand sanitiser – when they are asked to.
- Use a tissue for coughs and sneezes and make sure they put their tissue in a lidded bin.
- Try to stay a safe distance from their classmates/staff and avoid physical contact, as far as possible.
- Follow the new rules in their classroom.
- Be open-minded and positive about returning to school on Monday 8th March 2021.

8. Remote education

Where a pupil is unable to attend school because they are complying with clinical and/or public health advice, The Bliss Charity School will provide access to remote education – for more information about the content and format of remote education at The Bliss Charity School, please visit:

<https://www.bliss.northants.sch.uk/index.php/information/remote-education>.

9. Further information

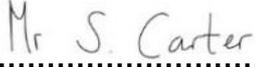
Our plans for full opening are (at the time of writing) fully compliant with the latest DfE requirements.

Should further information be required, please refer to the DfE materials in section 3, as these documents provide the framework in which decisions about the re-opening on Monday 8th March 2021 at Bliss have been made.

Signature:  (Chair of Governors)

Print Name: **Mrs. S. Hornagold-Prosser**

Date: **03/03/21**

Signature:  (Headteacher)

Print Name: **Mr. S. Carter**

Date: **03/03/21**