

THE DANESHOLME DIGEST



11th September 2020

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Message from the Principal

Welcome back!



It is wonderful to finally have our whole school community back together. The children have settled in really well and have adapted very quickly to all of the new routines we have in place.

They have been so enthusiastic about their learning and have enjoyed spending social time with their peers. Thank you for your patience and positive feedback this week. I realise that our new before and after school routines are not convenient for many of you and I appreciate your understanding that we have everyone's safety at the heart of all the systems and procedures we have in place.

Please do remember to have stay two metres away from anyone outside of your household – we have lots of markings around the school site to help with this. After a full week in school, this weekend may actually feel like a weekend for the first time in a long while!

Mrs Rolf

Delling class



Delling have loved learning about festivals in different parts of the world and we really enjoyed watching Deady 60 all about the deadly animals in the Amazon Rain Forest

Elli Class



Today in Elli class, we have been learning all about bonfire night! We learnt all about Guy Fawkes' plot to blow up the Houses of Parliament and kill King James I. We had a class debate and questioned Guy Fawkes himself and found him to be guilty! Luckily, the plot failed, which is why we celebrate bonfire night, with bonfires and dazzling fireworks.

Data Collection & photo permissions

Please keep an eye out next week for our annual Data Collection sheets & photo permissions form.

We will be sending you a link to a form to fill in online – this should take no more than 5 minutes to complete.

Thank you in advance for this information.



Welcome our new Staff Members



We would like to welcome the following new Staff members to Danesholme Junior Academy:

- Miss Pinkerton – Teaching Assistant
- Mrs Williams – Cleaner
- Miss Gaffar – Cleaner
- Ms Chalmers – Lunchtime Supervisor.

Goodbye and good luck



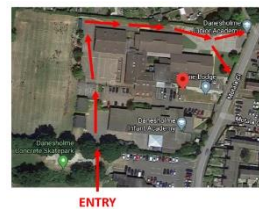
We would like to wish Miss Sam (Teaching assistant) the best of luck as she leaves us to continue her studies.

Embla class

Daniel Meehan from Embla class has produced some beautiful art work this week.



One-way system



DANESHOLME INFANT ACADEMY
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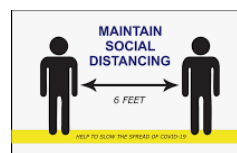
One-way system

Please follow the one-way entrance and exit system at all times. Please keep left and socially distance with others.

Entrance – by the skate park by Danesholme Infant Academy

Exit – follow the Danesholme Junior Academy playground around to the front of the school.

Keep your distance



Please can you ensure you are always following the 2m socially distancing rules **at all times.**

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Staggered timings

Staggered timings for the school day:

Class	Timings	Lunch break
Year 4 classes (Hermoth, Sol, Elli) and Delling class	8:45-3:00	11:45-12:45
Year 5 classes (Oller, Loki, Mani) and Asbru class	8:55-3:10	12:15-1:15
Year 6 classes (Embla, Jotnar, Asgard) and Nicor class	9:05-3:20	12:45-1:45

It is important that children are dropped off and collected at their **correct allocated time**.

We **will not** be able to alter these times for individual pupils or keep them in school to be collected. This is to ensure we can safely practise social distance.

Also, only 1 adult should accompany your child. **If children are siblings, both children can be dropped off at the earliest start time.**

Note: Delling, Asbru, Nicor are Year 3 classes

Everyday your child will need:



- PE kit – in school everyday
- Packed lunch – either from home or ordered from Kingswood Catering
 - Filled water bottle
- Coat suitable for the weather – rain coat or warm coat
 - Hat – for sunny day

Hand sanitiser stations

Please use the Hand Sanitiser stations that have been placed around the school playground.



Naming pupil items

Please remember to put your child's name on all items of clothing including shoes, coats and PE kit.



Please also remember to put their name of their PE kit bag and school bag too.

PE Kit



Children should bring their PE kit in a bag into school on their 1st day and leave this on their peg until the last day of term.

Children **should not** wear their PE kit to school.

If your child's PE kit is still in school from last term, this will be reunited with them once we can safely process these items.

In the meantime, please provide your child with comfortable clothing they can partake PE in.

Bike Shed



one-way system.

Please use the hand sanitiser provided.

Children can lock their bike in the bike shed at Danesholme Junior Academy before starting school and then join the

Arriving late to school

If you arrive late to school, you **will not** be able to attend school for that day.

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Medical appointments within the school day



If your child requires to attend a medical appointment within the school day, your child will have to **miss the whole session** where this medical appointment falls.

Morning appointments – come into school at the end of lunchtime

Afternoon appointments – leave school at the start of their lunchtime

Please provide evidence of all medical appointments by emailing a copy of the hospital letter/appointment card to the Admin email (above).

Absence from school

Please inform school by telephone, voicemail or email if your child is not attending school. **Please include your child's full name, class and the reason for their absence.**

Self-isolating – returning from abroad.

If you are returning from abroad and need to self-isolate, please provide school with a copy of your flight confirmation as evidence for this absence. This can be emailed to school using the above Admin email address.

Contact details – keep them up to date.



Please ensure we hold the correct contact telephone numbers, email addresses and home addresses.

Kingswood Catering – ordering meals

Please make sure you are ordering your child's meal online by Wednesday of each week.



<https://www.kingswoodcatering.co.uk/>

Contacting Danesholme Junior Academy



Please include your child's full name & class on all communications.

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Upcoming road closures – Danesholme estate



We have been made aware of some road closures in the Danesholme Area.

Also, we have been made aware of re-surfacing works in **Boden Close from 23rd**

September.

The works due to take place in Motala Close have been rescheduled for October half term.

Car Parking – Double Yellow lines



Please **DO NOT park** on any double yellow lines around the school area. You **MUST NOT** wait, park, stop to set down or pick up passengers at any time.

To report any parking offences, please report

these to: parking@northamptonshire.gov.uk



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Free School Meals

If you think you are eligible for Free School Meals, you will have to apply for them online at:

<https://www3.northamptonshire.gov.uk/councilservices/children-families-education/schools-and-education/Pages/free-school-meals.aspx>

*Please note: You will have to add each sibling to your application. If you have applied for one sibling and not the other, you will have to make another application for **each** sibling.*

PE kits & Jewellery

Please ensure that your child has their **PE kit** in school with them **EVERYDAY**.

As the weather is getting colder and we are still participating in PE outdoors, please ensure your child has a tracksuit and trainers too.

ALL jewellery must be **REMOVED** on PE days.



New School uniform provider

Danesholme Junior Academy & Danesholme Infant Academy have a new uniform provider – Nationwide school uniforms.

You will notice that the uniform has a slightly different logo to the previous uniform supplier.

The uniform logo now consists of Danesholme Infant Academy and Danesholme Junior Academy combined to make “Danesholme Academy”.

This way, any logoed uniform can be used for both schools (*we still continue to be Danesholme Infant Academy & Danesholme Junior Academy as our school’s names though*).



NOTE: Any Uniform delivered into school will be passed on to your child.

Deliveries into school are only once per month. Orders placed for delivery into school during the school holidays **will not** be dispatched until school re-opens. Home delivery is always available but for a delivery fee.

Please visit:

<https://www.nationwideschooluniforms.co.uk/school-uniform/primary-school/danesholme-academy>

Term dates

Autumn Term 1

1st September – Teachers Training day

2nd September – Teachers Training day

3rd September – School opens

23rd October – Last day of term

Autumn Term 1

2nd November – School opens

18th December – Last day of term

Spring Term 1

4th January – Teachers Training day

5th January – School opens

12th February – Last day of term

Spring Term 2

22nd February – School opens

26th March – Last day of term

12th April – Teachers Training day

13th April – School opens

Summer Term 1

3rd May – BANK HOLIDAY

28th May – Last day of term

Summer Term 2

7th June – Teachers Training day

8th June – School opens

20th July – Last day of term