



# Charville Academy Weekly Newsletter

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**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2022**



This week we welcomed the children back to school for Spring term. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy New Year.

We have welcomed Miss White to our Nursery staff team and a number of new children will be starting Nursery next week. We look forward to getting to know you all. We have also welcomed some new children into other year groups and hope they settle in well.



**We are highly committed to continuing to remain fully operational and fully staffed at this time and ask for your support with the following:**

**Please do not send your child to school if they have COVID symptoms. Please book a test and keep us informed.**

**We do understand that the symptoms of the Omicron variant can differ from the known symptoms of COVID-19. If your child comes to school with cold-like symptoms you will be contacted by Welfare and asked to administer a lateral flow test after the end of the school day. If the test is negative they can return the next day. If the result is positive the child will (from the 11<sup>th</sup> January) be required to self-isolate for 7 days but will not need a PCR test.**

**If your child is isolating please complete the home learning provided on Google Classroom and let us know if you need a device.**

**If your child is required to self-isolate and is eligible for Free School Meals, our Finance team will provide you with a supermarket voucher to cover the length of the isolation period.**

**Only pre-booked visitors will be allowed into school until further notice and will be asked to wear a face covering, unless they have medical evidence of exemption.**

**We are already affected by some staff having to isolate and ask for your patience at this time as class provision may be affected. The current government guidance does allow for schools to cover classes flexibly and this may involve having to combine classes across a year group.**

**We are unable to accept any of the children's belongings after the gates have closed so please ensure they have all they need when they come to school.**

**Only one adult per child will be permitted onsite in the mornings to drop off to Nursery and Reception.**

### **Attendance**

**We are hoping that whole school attendance this term will improve as recent weeks have seen attendance below the expected 95%. Any COVID isolations are not included in this figure so we do need your support to ensure your child is in school and on time as school attendance remains mandatory. If you need any support to improve your child's attendance please contact us.**

**We are delighted to continue with our weekly newsletter podcast.**

**Please note this is a headline summary and does not include all the detail that features in the full newsletter. This week it is read by ?? from Year 6. You can listen to it [here](#).**

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