

Whole school information

COVID-19 Update:

We appreciate your support with our recent class closures. We continue to have COVID-19 in our school community and this has impacted on staff absence across the school. We do not make the decision to close classes lightly. The final decisions are based on keeping the children safe and familiar staffing for class groups. If you have any concerns or questions, please email parents@brackenfield.derbyshire.sch.uk.

We will notify class groups when there is COVID-19 in the class and share advice from Public Health England.

Department for Education:

The Department of Health and Social Care announced on Friday 24 September that all 16 and 17 year olds can now book their first COVID-19 vaccination appointment [online](#).

Young people aged 16 and 17 can:

- [book their COVID-19 vaccination appointments online](#) for an appointment at a vaccination centre or pharmacy
- [find a walk-in COVID-19 vaccination site](#) to get vaccinated without needing an appointment

If students cannot book appointments online, they can call **119** free of charge. They can speak to a translator if they need to. Further information can be found on the [NHS website](#).

School Uniform - Simply First



Over COVID 19 Simply First have changed the way they operate their shop.

Parent/carers are now being directed to the website:

www.schooluniformnottingham.co.uk to place orders. You will then be sent an invoice for payment, and once payment has been received the

order will be processed and you will receive a notification when your order is ready to collect.

Payments are made via bank transfer using their order name and invoice number (really important) as payment reference.

Pumpkin Hunt Event




We are looking to host a pumpkin hunt event in school on Friday 22nd October, please complete this [form](#) to register your interest in attending the event. We will collate the responses by Monday 18th October and be in touch to confirm if the event is to go ahead!

Our School Day

Please be reminded of the school times.

Student Arrival and Registration	8.55 – 9.05 – Taxi drop off 9.00 – 9.10 – Parent drop off
Morning Session	09.10 – 11.40
Lunch Session (30 minutes within this time)	11.40 – 13.10
Afternoon Session	13.10 – 14.20

Pupil Departure and Pastoral Time	14.20 – 14.35 – Taxi collection 14.30 – 14.40 – Parent collection
Attachments	
	<p>Please use the following link to share your positive inclusive experiences with Derbyshire Parent/Carer voice: https://derbyshireparentforums.co.uk/consultations/</p>
Upcoming dates from the school calendar	
<p>Half term: We break up for half term on Friday 22nd October 2021. Monday 25th October to Sunday 31st October 2021, school reopens to all students Monday 1st November 2021 Please click here for a copy of the 2021-2022 school holidays.</p>	