

14<sup>th</sup> July 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Breakfast and After School Clubs**

As part of our planning for wider opening in September, we are following Government guidance to re-establish our wrap around care provision. Like our overall September opening plans this is very much dependent on:

- Government guidelines;
- The rate of infection;
- The outcome from the MAT Directors meeting in late August.

To ensure we follow appropriate safety measures we must reduce the numbers attending our very popular Breakfast Club.

**Places have been allocated to those families with the most need, as they have attended Breakfast Club provision since school closure in March.**

We understand that this may cause frustration for many of our working parents who rely on this child care provision, but we must do everything we can to keep our school community safe. Guidance states that it is important that we operate bubbles of no more than 15 pupils to ensure that pupils and staff do not mix with too many other people outside of their year group bubble. As the hall is used for wrap around care, we are able to operate more than one bubble. Whilst in the hall pupils and staff will not be allowed to move from one bubble to another.

Breakfast club starts at 8am and pupils may enter via the Brierwood gate. At 8.20am the gate will be locked, pupils will not be able to attend Breakfast club after this time. This is so we can prepare for each year group bubble to start the school day.

If you require a place at After School Club please contact the school office, again there will be a limit on the number of pupils due to safety measures. We will continue to review our provision and look to offer more places when it is safe to do so.

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We must ask that you follow the stringent guidelines to limit contact between staff and visitors. For those parents of children attending wrap around care:

- Do not approach staff at drop off or collection time; If you do have information you need to pass on, please email [office@tongemooracademy.org](mailto:office@tongemooracademy.org) or leave a voicemail on 01204 328994.
- Only arrive between 8.00am – 8.20am if your child is in breakfast club Please make sure that you practise social distancing and stand 1+ metres away from other pupils/parents.

Once again we thank you for your support and understanding during this difficult time.

Yours sincerely,

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