

Ursuline High School

Additional Covid-19 Pandemic Behaviour Agreement – Sept 2020

All students must read, sign and return this document at the start of the new school year 2020.

The following additions to the school rules have been compiled during the Covid-19 pandemic in order to ensure the school is Covid-secure at all times. Please read through this document to ensure you understand the part you play in keeping yourself and others around you safe.

Travelling to school:

Following government and TFL guidelines the school recommends that students walk or cycle to school.

- 1. Crescent Road and The Downs are not accessible to parents at the start and end of the school day**
2. All students must enter and exit school via their designated gates
3. If students must take public transport to school they must wear a face covering, in accordance with TFL regulations
4. If a student arrives wearing a face covering this must be removed inside school and placed securely in a plastic bag, provided by the student, until they leave
5. Students will not be permitted to board a bus on Worple Road at the end of the school day, apart from Year 7 (students who have a sibling in Year 7 may travel on the bus with them)
6. Sibling groups from different year groups who travel to school together must go straight to their hubs in arrival to school via the entry point of the earliest starting sibling. At the end of the day students can wait in the Main Hall for siblings if they are travelling home together

In school:

1. Students must enter and exit the school through the main gates ONLY unless there is an emergency (in this case staff will direct students)
2. All students must have their temperature taken when arriving and sanitise their hands
3. When moving around the school, to classrooms, the dining areas or bathrooms, students must follow the one way system
4. Students must remain in their year group hub and must not enter the hub of another year group
5. Students are to use only the toilets that have been designated to them. Students must wash their hands for 20 seconds with soap after visiting the bathroom
6. Students must sit in the seat allocated to them and not move places unless a teacher tells them to
7. Students must not share any personal equipment with staff or students including bags, lunch boxes and pencil cases or stationery items
8. Students must bring their laptop and charger to school every day as well as a pair of earphones with a jack (compatible with their laptop)

Hygiene

1. Students must not attend school if they are experiencing any of the symptoms of Covid-19, as currently listed by the NHS <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>
2. Students must carry tissues with them at all times and use a tissue if they sneeze or do so into their elbow, as they have been shown
3. Students are to place any used disposable tissues or hand towels directly in bins in line with the “catch it, bin it, kill it” campaign
4. Students who feel unwell with Covid-19 symptoms eg a new cough or feeling hot during the day) must notify staff immediately and be taken to the medical room
5. Students must not sneeze, cough or spit toward other students or staff

These rules will be reviewed as and when more information/guidance becomes available.

Any infringement of these rules will be dealt with at level 3 (red report) or level 4 (exclusion) by the senior team.

If you have any queries regarding these additional rules please contact Ms Connor, Assistant Headteacher, Behaviour at kerry.connor@ursulinehigh.merton.sch.uk

Covid-19 Behaviour Agreement Sept 2020:

I have read through the behaviour agreement and I understand these additional rules, the importance of following them to keep everyone safe and the consequences for failing to follow these rules.

Name of student (please print)

Form group

Student signature

Date