

EDUCATION RESTART



Everyone has a role to play in keeping our schools safe and helping to stop the spread of COVID-19.

Everyone should continue to:

- ☒ wash hands regularly
- ☒ cover coughs and sneezes
- ☒ practice social distancing
- ☒ follow the latest public health advice

What should I not do?

- ☒ **Don't** send your child to school if they have COVID-19 symptoms
- ☒ **Don't** allow your child to use public transport unless you have no alternative
- ☒ **Don't** gather at the school entrance/gate
- ☒ **Don't** allow your child to share food/drinks with friends

What should I do?

- ☒ **Do** let the school know if your child will be absent due to COVID-19 symptoms
- ☒ **Do** encourage your child to socially distance, if it is possible
- ☒ **Do** encourage good hand hygiene
- ☒ **Do** use alternative transport if you can
- ☒ **Do** walk or cycle if it's safe and appropriate to do so
- ☒ **Do** use park and ride or other car-parking facilities (if available) and walk the remainder of the journey to school
- ☒ **Do** avoid parking close to or at the school gates
- ☒ **Do** encourage the use of face coverings on school transport

Further information, including Frequently Asked Questions for parents and carers, can be found on the Department of Education's website at www.education-ni.gov.uk.



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