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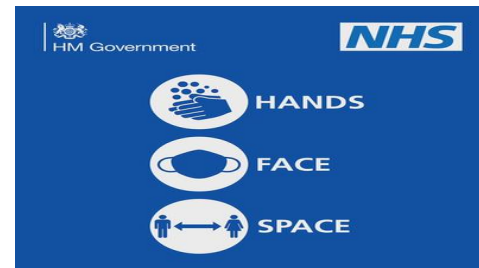
FACE



SPACE

Face masks

- You will need to wear a face mask in communal areas outside of the classroom in our school from week beginning Monday 28th September 2020
- We have introduced this measure because we feel it's appropriate to keep everyone safe at school, based on the latest guidance
- You will need to wear a mask when you move through shared indoor spaces of the school where it's difficult to stick to social distancing (e.g. the corridors). You will not need to wear a face mask outside or when seated in a classroom



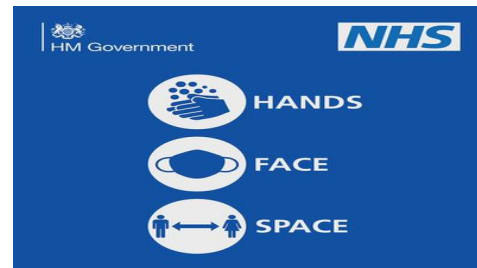
What this means?

Face masks must be correctly worn outside of classrooms*

Except:

- Outside
- When sitting down to eat inside
- If you have an approved medical condition

* You can still wear a mask in the classroom if you want



Do's and Don'ts of face masks

DO wear a fabric mask safely.



Tighten the loops or ties so it's snug around your face, without gaps.



Mask should cover from just under the bridge of your nose to under your chin.

- ✓ Always wash your hands before and after wearing a mask.
- ✓ Use the ties or loops to put your mask on and pull it off.
- ✓ Don't touch the front of the mask, especially when you take it off.
- ✓ Put on and remove your mask while inside your home. Public transportation, elevators and stairwells can be high-contamination areas.
- ✓ Wash and dry your cloth mask daily and keep it in a clean, dry place.
- ✓ Remember that masks offer only limited protection and work best in combination with hand washing and physical distancing.

You will need a sealable plastic bag to keep your mask in when not using it.

<https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=how+to+wear+a+facemask&docid=608011767032254214&mid=2081B8CE157B94821E602081B8CE157B94821E60&view=detail&FORM=VIRE>



DON'T:
Wear the mask below your nose.



DON'T:
Leave your chin exposed.



DON'T:
Wear your mask loosely with gaps on the sides.




DON'T:
Wear your mask so it covers just the tip of your nose.



DON'T:
Push your mask under your chin to rest on your neck.

Why now?

COVID Alert Levels			 HM Government
Level	Description	Action	
5	As level 4 and there is a material risk of healthcare services being overwhelmed	Social distancing measures increase from today's level	
4	A COVID-19 epidemic is in general circulation; transmission is high or rising exponentially	Current social distancing measures and restrictions	
3	A COVID-19 epidemic is in general circulation	Gradual relaxing of restrictions and social distancing measures	
2	COVID-19 is present in the UK, but the number of cases and transmission is low	No or minimal social distancing measures; enhanced testing, tracing, monitoring and screening	
1	COVID-19 is not known to be present in the UK	Routine international monitoring	

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