

COVID-19 Latest Update

25th August 2020 - Latest update from LINDEES Ltd regarding the continued impact from COVID-19 on our after-school clubs & breakfast clubs.

With the new academic year fast approaching, we are now able to confirm that we are anticipating that our breakfast club in Killigrew School will reopen in September. Unfortunately, for now, Abbey School cannot accommodate us but will relook at things again in October half term.

Government Guidance & How Our Term-Time Clubs will Operate from September

Back in July we spoke with Killigrew school to agree, in principal and pending detailed guidance, that our club in Killigrew will be reopening in line with the children returning to school in September. We have been waiting since then for sector specific guidance from the Department for Education (DfE) detailing exactly what 'protective measures' would have to be put in place. We are pleased to inform you this guidance has now been released and to further confirm **our breakfast club in Killigrew will reopen in September.**

- [Click here to read the full guidance provided for wraparound childcare providers.](#)
- [Click here to read the parent facing version of this guidance.](#)

Now the DfE have provided the sector with clear and workable guidance for reopening safely, over the next week or so we will continue to work with our partner school to formulate specific reopening operating plans for our Breakfast club. We will of course share club specific information in due course.

In the meantime, please find below some of the protective measures that will be in place from September 2020;

- Children will be grouped into small consistent bubbles and bubbles will not be able to mix throughout the session.
- Tables will be arranged to encourage social distancing.
- Breakfast will be made by staff and given to the child.
- We will be introducing greatly enhanced daily cleaning routines including regular cleaning of frequently touched surfaces.
- We will be promoting good hygiene practices with children and staff to include more frequent hand washing and adopting the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach.
- The activities and resources provided will be adapted for hygiene reasons and ease of cleaning.
- Where the weather allows, staff and children will spend as much time outside as possible.
- We will be introducing contactless signing in (removing the requirement to sign paper registers).

Children Starting School September 2020?

If your child is starting school in September 2020 and you would like to register your interest for a place at a LINDEES Ltd breakfast club, please email lindees@hotmail.com for more information. Please include information about which class your child is going to attend, and which days you will need.

How can I talk to my child about coronavirus?

What's happening in the world at the moment can be a little frightening or confusing for anyone, including children. However, there are some great tools available to help you talk to your children about this:

- [BBC](#)
- [Childline](#)
- [Child Mind](#)
- [Young Minds](#)

Contacting **LINDEES** Ltd:-

Please contact us by calling Dee on 07894 137416 or alternatively by emailing lindees@hotmail.com

We hope that you and your families stay safe and well during this challenging time and look forward to seeing you and your children at Breakfast club soon!