



Dear Families,

We are delighted to announce that Project Play Phase 1 is finally complete which includes all the necessary Health and Safety checks and paperwork.

The playground will open to children on Monday 11th December as this will allow us time to train staff and pupils on the use of the equipment and create a rota to ensure it is equitable for all. This Friday the Project Play pupil group and the One Planet Playground group will have the first opportunity to use the equipment followed by each class having a go next week. This, along with a Project Play Gather round on Monday, will allow us to share expectations and responsibilities with the children. The playground rota will then come into effect on Monday 11th December.

The Playground One Planet group will be working alongside staff and parents to support the maintenance of the Play Area. This will include daily checks before school, after break and after lunch. The group have done a huge amount of work in preparation for this and are enjoying their leadership responsibility.

The following 3 key documents can be found on the school website following this link

<http://corstorphineps.uk/calendar/project-play/project-play-hs-documents/>

- RoSPA Report
- H&S action plan
- Risk assessment

We would encourage you to read these documents as a family to reinforce the shared responsibilities for health and safety when using the equipment.

Please note that use of the playground will be the responsibility of the school during school hours only as it is with the Jungle Gym and Loose Materials. We are not responsible for children using this before or after school.

The Play Area will be used by;

Nursery AM: 8.35am-11.45am

P1-3: 8.50am-3pm (12.15pm on Fridays)

P4-7: 8.50am-3.15pm (12.25pm on Fridays)

Nursery PM: 12.25pm-3.35pm

Out with these times the responsibility lies with parents/carers.

We assume that families agree to these shared responsibilities however if you have any objections to your child using the equipment we ask that you let us know by Friday 8th December before the playground opens on Monday 11th December.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the Project Play team for all their hard work from the initial idea right through to completion.

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