

## Covid Safe Operating Procedure Guidelines for Home to School Transport

We have put together some information and simple guidelines to help reduce the spread of Covid-19.

## **Enhanced Cleaning**

Swift Valley Coach Travel has implemented enhanced cleaning regimes for your peace of mind including regular cleaning down of high contact touch surfaces such as handrails, armrests and seatbelt buckles throughout the day. Coaches are deep cleaned daily prior to your journey and treated with an anti-viral fogging system on a weekly basis.

## **Guidance for travel**

- Please ensure that you observe social distancing at bus stops unless you are from the same household, this includes distancing from the general public.
- Hand sanitiser is available to use as you enter the coach.
- When you board the coach you must make your way to the back of the vehicle, do not leave empty seats. Please follow the instructions given to you by your driver. You will sit in the same area of the coach and with the same people until covid restrictions are lifted. Members of the same household should sit together.
- Face masks or face coverings must be worn at all times whilst on board the coach.
- On arrival at school you will leave the coach one row at a time from the front to the back. Please follow the instructions given to you by your driver. It is advised that you carry your own hand sanitiser so that you can use it as soon as possible after you arrive, before you enter school.
- On your return journey you will be asked to board the coach loading from the back to the front, where possible, you should sit in the same seat that you travelled on in the morning.
- Please do not change seats at any point during the journey.
- For your safety, you will not be allowed to eat food of any kind whilst on board the coach. Your face covering should remain in place at all times.

Committed to reducing the risk and helping you to travel with confidence

