

Phase one – Winter to Spring 2021

The focus is on the safe reopening of the economy and rebuilding confidence while maintaining momentum in vaccinations, being vigilant against new variants and ensuring COVID secure environments. Supported by balanced joint communications strategies with partners across all scenarios.

Best case scenario

- Vaccination roll out on track and effective.
- Reducing infection and transmission in areas that have had higher rates of infection.
- Hospital capacity improving.
- Schools re-open and restrictions lifted by early May.

Worse case scenario

- Resistant variants circulate.
- Vaccine take up falls.
- Higher rates of infection in some places, with significant variations.
- Increased pressure on hospital capacity.
- School and business closures.
- People not following the restrictions.

Current scenario

- Barnsley is making good progress to achieve the national targets for vaccination – all those 50 years and over by 15 April and all adults by 31 July (offered).
- Vaccine roll out: 58%+.
- 15 COVID-19 patients in Barnsley Hospital.
- 66 confirmed cases of COVID-19 per 100k (decrease from last week's 111.4 cases).
- Town centre footfall is 197,838 (compared with 423,597 in Jan 2019).
- Interchange footfall is 152,842 (compared with 411,659 in Jan 2019).
- Primary and Secondary School average attendance is over 85%.
Compared with figures from 2018/2019:
 - Primary School average attendance - 90.3%.
 - Secondary School average attendance - 83.1%.
- Care home occupancy levels:
 - all care homes: 71%.
 - older people care homes: 69%.
 - specialist care homes, including learning disability: 89%.

Barnsley Recovery Roadmap

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Barnsley recovery themes

Government announcement

Business economy

Resilience

Health and wellbeing

Education and skills

8 March: Step 1 government milestone

- Schools and colleges open to all students.
- Exercise and recreation outdoors with household or one other person.
- Indoor socialising – your own household only.
- Care homes can nominate a single visitor.

22 March: anticipated gov announcement ahead of 29 March.

29 March: Step 1 government milestone

- Rule of six or two households outdoors.
- Indoors - your own household only.
- Organised outdoor sport (adults and children).
- Outdoor sport and leisure facilities.
- All outdoor children's activities.
- Outdoor parent and child groups (up to 15 people, excluding children under five).
- Minimise travel.
- The stay at home message will end.
- Weddings attended by up to six people can take place in any circumstances.

5 April: anticipated gov announcement ahead of 12 April.

12 April – Step 2 government milestone (no earlier)

- All retail.
- Personal care.
- Libraries and community centres.
- Most outdoor attractions.
- Indoor leisure including gyms (individual or outdoor use only).
- Self-contained accommodation.
- All children's activities.
- Outdoor hospitality.
- Indoor parent and child groups (up to 15 people, excluding children under five).
- Wakes and receptions (15 people).
- Domestic overnight stays (household only).
- No international holidays.

10 May: anticipated gov announcement ahead of 17 May.

17 May - Step 3 government milestone (no earlier)

- Indoor hospitality.
- Indoor entertainment and attractions.
- Organised indoor sport (adult).
- Remaining accommodation.
- Remaining outdoor entertainment (including performance).
- Maximum 30 people outdoors.
- Up to six people or a larger group from two households only indoors (TBC).
- Most significant life events (30 people).
- Indoor events 1,000 people or 50% capacity whichever is lower.
- Large seated outdoor venues 10,000 capacity or 25% whichever is lower.
- Domestic overnight stays.
- International travel (TBC).

March

April

May

8 March:
Barnsley schools welcome back all pupils.

23 March:
First lockdown anniversary.

29 March:
The Limes and Hillies golf courses reopen.

Football pitches reopen.

Grassroot sports reopen.

29 March - 9 April:
Easter half term activities with Barnsley Museums and Barnsley Libraries.

Barnsley Healthy Holiday's Good Food Boxes distributed.

Messages around rule of six or two households outdoors.

4 April:
Easter.

9 April:
Let's get Barnsley Back in Business Campaign to help people to return to high streets safely.

12 April:
Town centre and all high streets reopen.

Hairdressers and personal care businesses reopen.

Barnsley Markets fully reopen and all stalls at Hoyland, Wombwell and Penistone.

All Barnsley Library sites (except from Priory Campus) reopen with reduced hours.

Community centres begin to reopen.

Barnsley Premier Leisure gyms and swimming pools reopen.

Pubs and restaurants reopen with outdoor table service only.

Ramadan commences.

23 April:
St George's Day.

15 April:
Vaccination roll out for 18 to 49 year olds begins.

All people aged 50 years and over have been offered the vaccination.

6/7 May:
Local elections.

Four months to Glass Works Opening.

17 May:
Pubs and restaurants fully reopen.

Market Kitchen reopens.

Hotels and B&Bs reopen for domestic overnight stays.

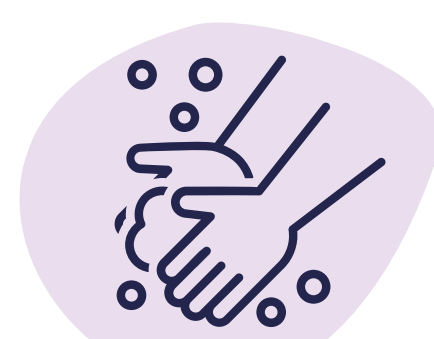
Wedding ceremonies reopen to more people.

17 - 30 May:
Football Play-Offs (TBC).

12/13 May:
Eid.

31 May:
Business Interruptions Loans and Local Restriction Support Grants closes.

Football Championship Play-Off Final (TBC).



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