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Diary Dates

12th April -Return to school

More dates to follow

Please remember to maintain at least 2 meters apart when lining up outside of the gates and on entry to the school site.

Strength, Perseverance, Aspirations

Whole School News

It is hard to believe that it is the end of the Spring term – it has certainly been a different one! I would like to say how proud I am of all of our families – you accepted the challenge of home learning, adapted to our ways of entering the site with all the changes and I am so proud of all of our children - they certainly are a resilient bunch! Despite the disruption they have embraced learning and look happy in class.

I hope you all had an enjoyable parent consultation, it was also lovely to see many of you join the PSHE Parent Information evening yesterday, if you did miss it the presentation slides will be available on the web site.

Spring Raffle and Mufti Day

You have helped raise £543 for the school – this will go towards resources for inside and also the outside. Thank you – it is much appreciated.

You also helped raise over £250 for The McCarthy-Dixon Foundation – this wonderful local charity supports families in need with food parcels, they also support schools in providing breakfast parcels for children.

As we move into the summer term - I certainly hope the weather improves we are trying to bring back some of the normal events.

The children will be particapating in sports day - weather permitting - we are hopeful that parents may be able to join us – I will keep you posted.

Photos will be happening for all pupils alongside their class peers.

I am also hopeful for a Year 6 celebration/production - this will obviously depend upon guidance.

I hope you all have a super Spring break, whether you celebrate Easter or not, I hope you get a chance to relax and possibly meet up with friends and family outdoors. I am certainly looking forward to catching up with a few series on Netflix, I am hoping that the weather improves so I can garden and get out for walks.

Whatever you do, enjoy and stay safe. I will see you all on Monday 12th April.

Staffing

EYFS

Mrs Jones Miss Yasmin Mrs Simpson Miss Banister Miss Pietrzak Miss Franks

Key Stage 1

Mrs Tearle
Miss Lydon
Miss Shefford
Miss Sibley
Miss Cope
Mrs Harrison
Miss Betts

Key Stage 2

Miss Asamani Mrs Cope Mr Farthing Miss Boonstra Mrs Denton Miss Hume Mrs Hanwell Mrs Batchelor Miss Oakenfull Mrs Atkins Mrs Shatford Mr Crowe

SLT

Mrs Sayers Mrs Atkinson Mrs Gosling Mrs Jones Miss Hume

<u>Administration</u>

Miss Scott Mrs Coombs Mrs Marsh - Attenda

MDSA's

Mrs Rahn
Mrs Stapleton
Mrs Tyrrell
Mrs Cooke
Miss E Greaves
Mrs Gaidau
Ms Gineikiene
Miss V Greaves
Miss Grant

Testing

As you will be aware, NHS Test and Trace announced earlier this week, that all adults in households with school and college age children without symptoms can now access regular rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing.

Undertaking regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing helps reduce transmission of the virus.

Parents and other adults in households with children at school or college, who do not have symptoms, can now access regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing. This includes childcare and support bubbles.

Tests are fast, easy and completely free.

There are different ways for a household, childcare or support bubble to collect their test to take at home, twice-weekly:

- ¬ an employer if they offer testing to employees;
- ¬ Community Testing via asymptomatic testing site:
- ¬ by collecting a home test kit from a Collection Point (RTS / LTS / MTU);
- ¬ by ordering a home test kit online

If you have any queries about the tests, and you live in England, please call 119 (free from mobiles and landlines). Lines are open every day from 7am to 11pm.

Children of primary school age (and below) without symptoms are not being asked to take a test.

Link for McCarthy- Dixon Foundation

https://mccarthydixon.org.uk/

Remote Learning

If your child is self-isolating please remember that all work is available on Microsoft Teams, this is accessible via Airhead. Your child knows how to log on and access this. It is expected that children do complete the work set in line with the rest of the class.

If we did have to close a bubble, then this is our preferred method of teaching.
Please look at our Remote Learning
Policy on the school website.

Some children will also be coming home with practical resources to help support their remote learning.

Please note that if your child is feeling unwell with a high temperature, has a new continuous cough or has a change in taste or smell, they MUST be tested alongside with all of their family – including siblings.

The family must isolate and stay at home, we will ask to see your test results when admitting them back into school.

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/corona virus-covid-19/symptoms/coronavirusin-children/