## Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parent/Carers and Children,

We reach the end of Term 5 today. Congratulations to you all for continuing to manage these different times. I know it has been challenging at times for us all but I do hope that you have also managed to find the time and emotional strength to enjoy being at home together.

I have been really impressed with the efforts so many of you have made with completing home-learning. It has been lovely to hear from the teaching staff and to see the pictures that have been sent in.

Many of you have had a go at staging a book-cover design this week; don't worry if you have not yet, this can of course be done at any time to suit. Do send in the picture for us all to enjoy and look out for those already on the school facebook page.

I have written to you all separately regarding arrangements for next term. Do read this carefully so you are clear about what is happening week beginning 1<sup>st</sup> June.

Wishing you all well for the forthcoming half-term holiday.

Helen Comfort

## Message from the Class 3 Teacher

Well done to so many of you that have completed the Book Cover Challenge! It has really kept my spirits up seeing your brilliant book covers! You have been very inventive and recreated so many different ones. I hope to be able to decorate our school with all of them. Keep an eye on our school Facebook page to see all the covers we have been sent so far!

As I type this, the TT Rockstar Teacher vs. Pupil battle results look rather grim for the teachers! An amazing effort has put the pupils 16,000 points ahead! Brilliant team work! Enjoy a restful half term break! Mrs Wallis.

#### Well Being

Young Minds is one of the leading charities supporting children and young people's mental health. Although they have had to close their shop at the moment they still have a large selection of brochures to download, packed with ideas to support a number of issues your child, whether they are at primary or secondary school, may be struggling with. Use the link to have a look at these publications and do explore their wider website for now and the future.

https://youngminds.org.uk/shop/publications/c-23/c-70/

#### **Useful Weblinks**

'Coronavirus – A book for children' is an informative book for children, illustrated by the Gruffalo co-creator Axel Scheffler. It is free to read on screen or print out.

https://axelscheffler.com/books-for-older-

children/coronavirus



The Week Ahead!

#### Week commencing 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020

• Half term break: 25<sup>th</sup> May – 29<sup>th</sup> May

# Week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020

- Key worker childcare to continue <u>no other children to attend school</u>
- Information to be sent out regarding any planned phased return to school in the following weeks.



