



Weekly Newsletter – Friday 10th July 2020

Message from the Headteacher

Virtual Sports Day Monday 20th July

Do please look out for the letter with details regarding this – I look forward to hearing how you all get on!

End of year traditions

We have had a number of enquiries from parents regarding end of year gifts for staff.

You will appreciate the many measures we have in place to reduce the risk of transmission of coronavirus; one of these is that children who are attending school bring the bare minimum with them.

If you would like to give a gift to a member of staff – and PLEASE note there is no expectation whatsoever that you do, I am writing about this purely because we have been asked – please can you consider the following:-

A virtual/e-gift is the best, safest and easiest option.

If you wish to bring a physical gift to school, please ensure it is clearly labelled for the recipient. It can be left in the box which will be by the shed, we will then manage a quarantine period!

Please note that Mrs Hoile, Mrs Howlett, Mrs Geere and Mrs Norley are all shielding so are not able to collect physical gifts at all; please do not therefore bring these to school.

September 2020

Plans continue to be finalised for September full opening of school. I will write to you when these have been completed and approved. In the meantime, those of you sending children to school need to work within the current risk assessment and procedures laid down. These measures have enabled all of the school community to keep safe and Covid-free to date; I ask that you support us with these important matters and thank you for doing so.

Development Day Wednesday 22nd July

As previously advertised, please note that Wednesday 22nd July will be a staff development day; Tuesday 21st July will be the last school day for children whether at home or at school.

Helen Comfort

Message from the Class 5 Teacher

Dear Class 5,

Thank you for sharing with me the work that you have completed at home this week. I am most impressed with the standard of your home learning. Please continue to work hard and try to do everything we are planning for you each day. Again this week there are some additional activities for you to complete, if you are entering the Kent and Dover Grammar School tests in September these tasks are especially important for you. Please remember to take break times to relax your mind perhaps with some calming music. For those of you who are writing super descriptive stories, please keep going and share them with your family. You are all doing a super job at home and don't forget I am here for you via the email if you have any questions. I am also available to speak to you between 3.15 and 4pm in the afternoon, if you would like a phone conversation, contact me via the email in the first instance. Miss you all. Keep well and stay safe.

Mr Oliver

Useful Weblinks

www.pobble365.com/

www.worldofdavidwalliams

www.Twinkl.co.uk

www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

www.primarytimes.co.uk/dorset/top-100-online-resources-for-kids-during-covid19

The Week Ahead!

Week commencing 13th July 2020

This week in maths we are looking at converting different measurements and interpreting timetables. You are also going to discover the differences between electrical conductors and electrical insulators in science and in computing we are improving our understanding of the "2Animate" software to create some more complex animations.

