

# Class 4 Weekly Newsletter - Friday, 5th March 2021

### Message from the Headteacher

#### Full School Re-opening 8th March

As this week draws to a close I wonder how you are all feeling. I imagine there may well be some 'first day of the school year' nerves in some households – for children and staff! This is completely understandable however I am sure once we are all up and here on Monday morning everyone will be pleased to settle back into our familiar routines and will enjoy reconnecting with those who we have not seen for a couple of months.

Please do refer to the information letter sent out this morning with all of the details for the full re-opening of school on Monday.

#### Rapid Coronavirus (COVID-19) testing

Household members of primary age children are eligible to access regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing. Tests are fast, easy and free. You can order home test kits online <u>Order rapid lateral flow home test kits</u> or you can collect from a home test kit collection point <u>Find your nearest home test kit collection point</u>. Please note that these tests are for adults within the family, not the children.

**Helen Comfort** 

### **Coronavirus Symptoms**

Children or staff with any of the three symptoms of Covid:

- a new continuous cough;
- a fever;
- a change in taste or smell

are to <u>stay at home</u> and isolate, as must the rest of their household. They should get a Covid test.

Children and staff must also stay at home and isolate if a member of their household has any of these symptoms until the outcome of a Covid test is known and follow advice accordingly.

To get a test go online to:

nhs.uk/coronavirus OR

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/ OR
Telephone 111

#### **Keeping School Informed**

If your child has attended school and tests positive for Covid you must immediately inform the school – by telephone on 01304 852639 during the school day. If you get a positive result at the weekend, during the evening or in a school holiday please email secretary@st-margarets-dover.kent.sch.uk

Even if your child is not attending school please continue to let us know if your child has symptoms of Covid and is awaiting a test result. Please advise of the result of the test either negative or positive, as we are required to report information daily to the DfE on the number of suspected and confirmed cases (just the number, no names).

### Message from the Class Teacher

Hello Class 4 & Parents!

What an amazing World Book Week we have had! You have really immersed yourself with the learning which has resulted in you producing some fabulous work!

As we look forward to next week, I want to take this time to thank each and every one of you for your hard work and determination through these testing times recently. Fingers crossed we are now on an up and can get back to our routine we had, before this.

I understand a lot of you will be feeling apprehensive about returning as we have been away for such a long period of time, but please do try not to worry too much as we all feel this way and together we can build our resilience to move forward together as a team.

Below are some wonderful examples of World book Week learning:



**Miss Conway** 

## The Week Ahead!

Lunch Menu – Week 3

# Week commencing 8th March 2021

Welcome back to the classroom! For our first week back together we are going to focus on getting familiar with our daily routines which include our class timetable, regular hand washing, break and lunch and so on. We will look at a range of different areas this week such as Shape in Maths, a new focus text in English as well as lessons in Music, PE, Science, French and Art.