



16th June 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to update you on how the school is running and thoughts for the coming weeks.

Firstly we have now had EYFS, Year 1 and Year 6 in school for two weeks in their bubbles and rota. This has been very smooth and the benefits for the children have been very positive in feeling safe, secure and also learning in their class with their teacher. Numbers have risen as people have become more confident.

Our next step is to welcome Year 5 back and they will be starting in the next two weeks with more specific details being sent out for those children in the next few days. This will also be on a rota system but does mean they will be with Mrs Coote in their classroom.

At present, we don't have plans for other year groups to return, but of course, we would love to get all the children back in some form before the summer holidays. There are, however, many obstacles in our way which are difficult to overcome in terms of the children's safety and lack of school space, which we will not compromise. I will keep you posted if anything changes.

In the meantime, we have continued to develop our online learning for Year 2, 3 and 4 as well as the weekly Zoom meetings. Over the coming weeks, we will start to utilise Microsoft TEAMS. Already, this has been positively received by our Year 2 children and parents with lots of potential to do more.

There is a lot of speculation of what school will look like in September although as yet there are no plans or communication from the Government or Lincolnshire County Council. At present, we will be positive and plan for all to come back in September to their new classes. As things improve and change we will regularly update you through Twitter and our Newsletters on the website. The school will not be able to open in the summer holidays as we have a massive building project to complete replacing windows and asbestos panels from around the school.

Finally, below is the class structure for next year with the Year Group and teacher. I am very pleased to say that there will be very little change. As a school and headteacher, I am very lucky to have committed staff who are all part of the St Andrew's team and want to continue the excellent work they do.

Class for Sep 2020	Teacher
York -EYFS	Mrs Moseley
Lincoln -Year 1	Mrs Shirra
Winchester- Year 2	Miss Fryer
Canterbury- Year 3	Mrs Bell
Salisbury- Year 4	Mr Harrison
Norwich- Year 5	Mrs Coote
Southwell- Year 6	Mr Ross

Yours sincerely

Mr D W Hodgson