



Thursday 11th February

Dear Parent/Carer

As we get to the end of a most challenging term for us all, I would like to say thank you for working with us and supporting our children through a difficult period. Tomorrow 12th February, we will say thank you to our children through our whole school Collective Worship (links have either been sent by email or on children's class TEAMS accounts).

After half term, we are planning for the first two weeks with the continuation of home learning. There will be both the offer of home paper packs as well as continuing with online learning using Tapestry and TEAMS. We will introduce on each Wednesday a non-screen afternoon, with some time to be active and engage in some practical activities. Also, the 3rd of March is 'World Maths Day' and on 4th March, 'World Book Day' we will be celebrating both with activities and challenges. More details of this will follow after half term.

We would like to welcome two student teachers who we have in school and who you may have seen taking part in online lessons. We have Mrs Green in Year 5 and Mrs Walledge in Year 4. They will be working closely with the class teachers over the next half term.

We await further details of a return to school and as soon as we are updated, we will contact you with arrangements. In the meantime, we wish you a safe and happy half term and hope we can all enjoy the start of Spring with some outside time.

It continues to be important that if any family members test positive for COVID, school is contacted. Over half term the Government continue to expect schools to monitor and report cases.

Finally, I would like to thank all the school staff who have done above and beyond this term managing children in school, remote learning and also managing their own families. I am very proud to lead such a committed staff at this time. We have been touched by some lovely emails and treats sent in by yourselves.

Yours sincerely


Mr D W Hodgson