

**12.02.2021**

Dear Parents / Carers

Well done to everyone for all of their hard work again this week. It has been another super week of learning and fantastic engagement - well done everyone. We know it is not easy but we know how hard everyone has worked to make the situation as manageable as possible and you should all feel very proud of yourselves.

If anyone is struggling with access to a computer please do get in touch. We received 8 chrome books as part of the government allocation and have had 5 further chrome books generously purchased for us by a local company. Whilst these have been allocated, we will do our best to look at loaning any surplus equipment which is not currently needed in school.

I hope you have had the opportunity to enjoy some of the snow this week. I know the children in school have had fun building snowmen! Enjoy your well deserved break from home school next week. The weather forecast looks good so I hope you can get outside and enjoy some fresh air and fun outdoors with your family.

School will reopen for key worker and vulnerable children on Monday 22nd February. We are expecting an announcement from the government that week as to the plan for the future reopening of schools and will keep you updated of any news as soon as we become aware. Fingers crossed this is sooner rather than later!

We all know that there is no substitute for the children being in school and the difficulties that partial school closure causes. The logistics of managing this both at home and at school are complex and staff have worked incredibly hard this half term to keep school and home learning operational. We value your feedback and would be very grateful if you would take a few minutes to complete this short survey.

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### **Home Learning packs**

It was lovely to see so many of you yesterday collecting home learning packs for EYFS & KS1 children and Match Fit booklets for Y3 & 4. If you have not yet collected your pack these can be collected from the office. *Children accessing school do not need to collect a pack.*

### **World Book Day - Thursday 4th March**

Staff are busy planning events to mark World Book day on 4th March and remote learning for that day will reflect this. We would still like to encourage the children to dress up as a book character which they can share with their class as part of their learning on the day.

Best wishes to you and your families. Please do take care & stay safe

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Headteacher

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