

CHANTRY NEWSLETTER

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12th June 2020

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you and your family remain healthy and are making the most of the additional time together at home during the lockdown and of the good weather we've been having.

Partial Reopening

We reopened last Thursday for children in Reception, year 1 and year 6 and it was lovely to finally welcome many more of our children back to school. It has been fabulous to see how excited the children have been to see their friends again and get stuck into their learning. We are making the most of our grounds for outdoor learning and it has given us an opportunity to plant up our new school community garden. Thank you to all our parents and children who have been following all our new drop off and collection arrangements so carefully - the playground is extremely quiet.



Key worker provision

Our provision for the children of key workers and our vulnerable children has also continued and our numbers have increased significantly as more parents have returned to work. So that we can continue to provide this service for all keyworkers who need it, please can I ask that you only send your child in when you are at work and there isn't another adult at home to care for your child. We are very happy for children to attend part time or for part of a day if you are a shift worker.

Barrack Road

We have received some requests from our neighbours to ensure that we are keeping Barrack Road safe. Please try and park away from Barrack Road even though it is quieter at drop off and collection time. It is lovely to say hello to other parents as you drop off/collect your child but please try and keep the footpaths outside the school clear so that everyone can pass at a safe distance.

Home Learning

For those children who are not able to return to school yet, we will continue to provide learning packs and online activities on SeeSaw.

The next set of learning packs will be available for you to collect from outside the school on Monday 22nd June and these will have work in for the following two weeks. If you are isolating and need your pack delivered or emailed please contact the office or your child's teacher. Please help us to minimise the impact of this long school closure on your child's learning by ensuring that you collect your child's learning pack and regularly complete activities that the teachers are setting.

Please continue to stay safe, we will continue to keep you up-to-date as we hear of any changes to the current situation.

Becky Reed

Key Dates 2020/2021

Here are our key term dates and Inset days for the next academic year 2020/21:

Inset days 3rd & 4th September 2020, 7th, 8th & 9th June 2021

Term 1 - 7th September 2020 - 23rd October 2020.

Term - 2nd November 2020 - 18th December 2020

Term 3 - 4th January 2021 - 12th February 2021

Term 4 - 22nd February 2021 - 1st April 2021

Term 5 - 19th April 2021 - 28th May 2021

Term 6 - 10th June 2021 - 23rd July 2021

Full details of holiday and term dates can be found on our website under the News tab.

