



Keeping in Touch Letter

Thursday 7th May 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have all had a good week - at least the weather has started to look a little brighter again. We have communicated with lots of families this week and we remain very grateful for all you are continuing to do to support your children during this time.

Remote Learning

All school provision is closed tomorrow for the Bank Holiday but the new projects and topic tasks for next week will be on the website by 5pm tomorrow and you will also find that the class pages have been updated with a new message from the class teachers.

Safeguarding

With the increased use at home of the Zoom platform to help families and friends stay connected, please read the attachment 'What parents need to know about Zoom'.

This week, classes at Ridgeway Farm have been invited to take part in whole class Zoom meetings and Lydiard Millicent teachers will be inviting their classes to participate very soon.

For further online safety guidance visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com

Support

I have also attached some ideas you might like to use for praying together as a family. You will also find on our website a link to a script for next week's collective worship linked to this term's value of Service along with a short film clip.

Don't forget that if you have any worries, including financial ones, you should get in touch. You can email either admin@ address or call us on 01793 677471 during school hours. I know for many families it must feel very lonely but we are here to help if you need anything.

Further to my message in last week's letter about the amount of speculation in the media about when and how schools will be re-opening, I am sure you will have read that the Prime Minister is expected to lay out further plans in the Downing Street press conference on Sunday and we will be watching this too to see if there will be any changes for us in the near future. As always, we will keep you updated.

With very best wishes,

Mrs C Luce

Headteacher