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Dear Parents and Carers

On Monday an important letter was emailed to all parents and is available on the school web site with details of our phased return to school, starting on 8th June with our Reception children. Child care will still be available for children of critical workers and vulnerable children. The letter references many important changes to the provision, routines and procedures in school in order to comply with the current Government guidelines and in the interest of the safety of our whole school community. I have listed some changes below as from the 8th June:

- We are unable to provide a breakfast club until further notice.
- Start and finishing times will be staggered to reduce the footfall of people gathering.
- School will close at 12 noon each Friday for a deep clean.

Star of the Week! 

Friday 8th May

Well done to the following children who have completed excellent home learning tasks. Photographs can be found on the school page on class Dojo's.

Reception

Jessica Fisher for working really hard both in and out of school and also completing Mr Moore's PE task this week. Great work Jessica!

Year 1

Mr Ahmed has chosen two stars. Grace Sutton and Jacob Reeves. They created a story map of 'Man on the Moon the Life of Bob' but with a twist, as they have changed the character of Bob and instead he landed on a different planet. They retold the stories using their story maps. Super work Grace and Jacob!

- Parents will not be able to enter the school premises unless it is an emergency.
- Home learning will still be set for all other year groups.

I can only apologise for the inconvenience these changes will cause to a number of our families, but the safety of our whole school community is a priority.

Please read and digest the information in the letter.

Please note the link for all newsletters and correspondence has been moved to the right hand side so it is more prominent.

Look after yourselves and stay safe.

God Bless.

Mrs Newton



Half Term

As next week would be half term the class teachers will not be setting or responding to any home learning. Let's hope the weather will be kind and you all have time to relax and enjoy the sunshine.

As we move to a phased return to school, unfortunately the responses from teachers may become fewer as they will be planning for two sets of provision and likely teaching another year group so that we can keep class sizes small. Mrs Marsden will write to all parents with more information.

Free School Meal Vouchers

The DFE have announced that these will not be available over the half term holiday period.

"We extended the support to the Easter holidays due to the unprecedented level of disruption and uncertainty for schools during implementation of the initial COVID-19 restrictions."

Year 2

Alfie Peebles

Since school closed Alfie has consistently completed his Purple Mash tasks and he has been doing great Maths work on Maths Factor. He has also developed other skills such as looking after a caterpillar/butterfly, cooking and making VE day medals.

Year 3

Sophie Gregson

For completing an amazing research project on Boudica and for working so hard with all of her home learning tasks. Well done Sophie!

Year 4

Daisy Booth - for another hardworking week and an excellent effort in all her Troll Adventuring...especially dressing up as the queen! Great work Daisy!

Year 5

Erin Fisher for her excellent Maths work all week. Keep it up Erin!

Year 6

Jake France is my star of the week for the effort he has put into all of his tasks and the great piece of writing he wrote about VE Day. Well done Jake!

Children Enjoying the Great Outdoors

Many of you will be going walking or cycling as part of your daily exercise and you may have found new paths and walks to explore. We would love you to email or put on class Dojo's some photos of you on these walks with the beautiful scenery behind you and maybe recommendations for new walks for other families. Walking and cycling not only helps to keep us fit, but we also take so much notice of the environment around us.

Email to;

hellotomrsnewton@twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk

It has been lovely to see so many children out and about enjoying the great outdoors. Beautiful scenery too!



A prayer in times of uncertainty

Loving God,
we thank you for the wonder of our being,
but there are times when fear and anxiety threaten to overwhelm us.
Fill our hearts and minds with peace in the midst of the storm,
and the sure and certain knowledge

that you are with us always.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Look what Oliver in Year 1 has found.



Robson Year 2 building bird boxes and caring for the wild life.



Freya Year 6 enjoying the countryside on her bike.



Emilia Year 3 on a bike ride.

Here is Dominik in Reception out for a walk.



Ethan Hall Year 2.

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