



20th April 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

Term 5 Update

Sadly we have begun term 5 and the conditions of Government lockdown are still imposed on schools for the foreseeable future.

We will continue to provide work and activities for pupils as we did before Easter via the school website, the Home Learning tab.

You will continue to be contacted, at least twice a week by a member of school staff to:

- Maintain regular school contact
- Offer advice on learning activities
- Check on your family's general well being

We have set up The Golden Book Facebook page. If you are happy to share your child's great work, please send photographs to this page. Pupils will receive an email from the Headteacher acknowledging their work. The actual certificate/tuck shop voucher/golden coin will be saved for each pupil on their return to school.

Mr Evans will continue to publish a weekly Top 20 table and this will be emailed to pupils via their school account. Please remind your children that they can continue to earn positive points at home. Do let us know if your child deserves recognition for any positive behaviour or actions at home.

We will continue to post a video on the school Facebook page of a short school assembly every Friday.

Free School Meals

The FSM voucher scheme will continue this term. E Vouchers will be emailed to all eligible families that have provided an email address. If we do not have an email address, vouchers will be posted. Please contact the office if you have not yet provided an email address as this will greatly help our communication with you.

Communication

Please use your phone calls from school staff to have any questions answered. The school office is being staffed from 8.00am-4.00pm. We have also provided a dedicated safeguarding phone number should you have a specific concern 07976 535128. This phone is staffed 8.00am-8.00pm by school Designated Safeguarding Leads.

Fundraising

If you are shopping during lockdown, may I remind you that this is an easy way to fund raise for school if you sign up to easy fundraising www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/bowergrove and use this for your shopping. So far this has raised £1044.39.

Future Dates

We remain optimistic and hope that schools will be re-opening in due course. We do intend to run the following events:

Wednesday 24th June – Summer Fair 4.30pm-6.30pm

Thursday 2nd July – Sports Day

Thank you for your contribution to the national crisis by keeping your child safe at home if you can. I do hope everyone is staying safe and keeping healthy.

With kind regards,



Mrs L Salter
Headteacher