

Diary Dates

Monday 25th January
Whole School
Assembly – 3.0pm

Wednesday 27th
January – school
pantry is open – 1.30-
2.30pm

Thursday 28st January
11.0am -Virtual Coffee
Morning – Zoom

Friday 29th January
Whole School
Celebration Assembly
-3.0pm

Coming up in February

**Safer Internet
Week**

Chinese New Year

Hands

Face

Space

Please remember
to maintain at least
2 meters apart
when lining up
outside of the gates
and on entry to the
school site.

Thank you

Strength, Perseverance, Aspirations

Whole School News

This week at Sunnyside it has been lovely to see all the learning which has been going on, not only at school but also within your home. You are all doing a remarkable job with your learning at home and posting pictures of the children's work on Teams.

Please remember that if your child is in Year 2 – Year 6 then any work completed on paper either needs to be uploaded – take a photo or scan it – then email it. Alternatively, when you collect your next pack, hand your work back into the office who will quarantine it before handing it to teachers.

As you can imagine, we are also learning how to use this new technology as you are. Many year groups are now offering Live lessons or pre-recorded ones. All Live lessons are recorded – this not only allows for you to catch up with the lesson, but also to safeguard my adults and your child.

If your child's year group has not yet offered this, they will come on board soon.

We have finally been allocated our DfE laptops and our dongles are on their way to us.

If you have previously asked for a device then you should receive a call from my admin team to confirm this.

Along with this newsletter, you will have received a frequently asked questions on our offer. Please take the time to read this as it also sets our expectations on completing work at home.

This week, myself and Mrs Akinson conducted some welfare visits, it was lovely to speak personally to families to see how they were getting on and also ask what further support we could offer.

You should have received our remote learning questionnaire, please complete this, we are always looking at ways to improve our offer.

As more children are accessing work on line, please take this time to check parental controls on devices and set times where they are not on screen. I realise it is easy for your computer to store your passwords, however this is not something I would recommend as it makes accessing an account easier. I appreciate it is hard to police digital devices 24 hours a day, but placing timers on devices can support this and not sharing passwords can safeguard your device and child. It is for this reason all children have been allocated an updated, individual password.

Staffing

EYFS

Mrs Jones
Miss Yasmin
Mrs Simpson
Miss Banister
Miss Pietrzak
Miss Franks

Key Stage 1

Mrs Tearle
Miss Lydon
Miss Shefford
Miss Sibley
Miss Cope
Mrs Harrison
Miss Betts

Key Stage 2

Miss Asamani
Mrs Cope
Mr Farthing
Miss Boonstra
Mrs Denton
Mrs Perks
Mrs Hanwell
Mrs Batchelor
Miss Oakenfull
Mrs Atkins
Mrs Shatford
Mr Crowe

SLT

Mrs Sayers
Mrs Atkinson
Mrs Gosling
Mrs Jones
Miss Hume

Administration

Miss Scott
Mrs Coombs
Mrs Marsh - Attendance

MDSA's

Mrs Rahn
Mrs Stapleton
Mrs Tyrrell
Mrs Cooke
Miss E Greaves
Mrs Gaidau
Ms Gineikiene
Miss V Greaves
Miss Grant

It is certainly lovely to hear about what you are up to during this time. I was delighted to hear about 2 families who have been supporting their community during lockdown.

Eleanor, Isabelle and Elizabeth Clarke-Rogers along with Daniel and Oliver Packe were awarded a Rose of Northamptonshire Award for their contribution and dedication to the safety of the community throughout the coronavirus pandemic.

Throughout lockdown and in their school holidays they collected food within the Sunnyside area for St Davids Community Cafe to distribute to families who were in so much need of support.

Another family informed us of a grant we could receive, I am delighted that because of this we have received £1,500 to support us to continue to replenish our devices. – Thank you to Alison Lloyd who informed us about this.



Remote Learning

If your child is self-isolating please remember that all work is available on Microsoft Teams, this is accessible via Airhead. Your child knows how to log on and access this. It is expected that children do complete the work set in line with the rest of the class.

If we did have to close a bubble, then this is our preferred method of teaching. Please look at our Remote Learning Policy on the school website.

Some children will also be coming home with practical resources to help support their remote learning.

Please note that if your child is feeling unwell with a high temperature, has a new continuous cough or has a change in taste or smell, they MUST be tested alongside with all of their family – including siblings.

The family must isolate and stay at home, we will ask to see your test results when admitting them back into school.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/coronavirus-in-children/>