

NEWSLETTER

Friday 15th May 2020

Dear Parents/ carers,

We were so thrilled to watch the fantastic video that the children put together. It was wonderful to see all their smiling faces. Everyone looks so fit and healthy! You have all grown so quickly. We really do miss you all. Thank you from everyone at school. You made our day!

You will now be aware of the Government's plan to re-open schools. Their hope is that from 1st June schools will open for pupils in Year R, 1 and 6, as well as for those children who are currently eligible to be at school.

In collaboration with the staff and the governing body, I am planning how we can do this in the safest way possible. I thank parents who have informed me as to whether they will be sending their child to school. As you can imagine, there is much criteria to meet and knowing our numbers will allow me to plan classes and staffing, thank you.

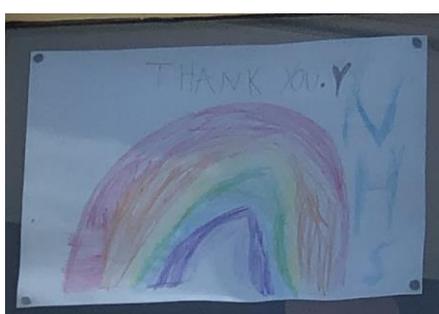
Once I have put all of the procedures in place, I will be in touch with families to explain how school will operate and what they will need to do to adhere to the Government guidance.



Humphrey and Martha



Charlotte



Arthur



Charlotte

Parentpay

Please log in to your Parentpay account and clear any outstanding bills. We want to replace Parentpay with a more efficient and user friendly payment system in the future. With all debts cleared, it will be easier to transfer across. I recognise that these times are financially challenging. Please contact me if you are having difficulty clearing your debt. Please contact Mrs Sharp if you have any queries about you bill.

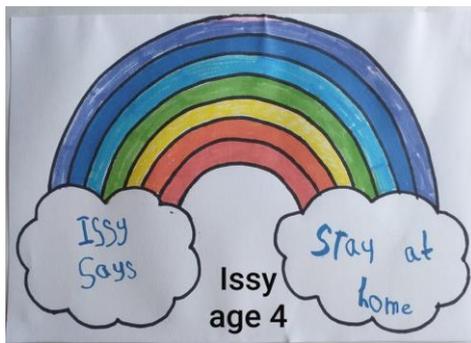
Free School Meals

Your child might be eligible for Free School Meals, if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get).

Children who get paid these benefits directly, instead of through a parent or guardian, can also get free school meals.

You can apply at this link: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>



Issy



Mary



Ollie

Stay alert

We can all help control the Coronavirus if we all stay alert. This means you must:

- stay at home as much as possible.
- work from home if you can.
- limit contact with other people.
- keep your distance if you go out (2 metres apart where possible).
- wash your hands regularly.

Do not leave home if you or anyone in your household has symptoms.

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