

Pyrford Church of England Primary School

22 May 2020



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Good morning, well what a week!

We have been working flat out this week on plans and communications. Thank you for responding to us and answering our emails and phone calls. I am aware that you are being bombarded with information at the moment as we prepare for wider opening after the half term.

I hope that you found the FAQs helpful and thank you to those who have asked more questions. We will endeavour to update the FAQs and rather than repeatedly sending them out to you, we will update the document and put it onto the school website under our Covid19 information section. Please keep checking there regularly.

A couple of you have suggested it would be helpful to see what the school and classrooms are starting to look like now that we have begun to prepare them. The classroom set up is similar for all age pupils. You will see the corridors have been cleared in order to widen them to allow for socially distanced circulation. Like many schools and businesses, we are awaiting delivery of signage, notices and tape as well as cleaning products and basic PPE. Due to the high demand and lag in the supply chain, we will be up against the clock to get this but deliveries are arriving daily. I have included some pictures (overleaf) of what all classrooms will look like for children returning to school (these classrooms represent YR-Y6). Please share them with your child to help prepare them. School routines will change and we are working on the staggered start, finish and break times. Parents should expect a socially distanced queueing system to be in place when dropping and collecting. This will all be clearly marked for you and staffed.

The school is required to adhere to the hierarchy controls as set in the SAGE modelling to help prevent the spread of Covid I 9 as set out as below:

- Controlling the transmission of the disease: minimising contact with children and adults who are unwell by ensuring that those who have coronavirus symptoms or who have someone in their household who does, do not attend school.
- Management and control through personal hygiene: cleaning hands more often than usual wash hands thoroughly for 20 seconds with running water and soap and dry them
 thoroughly or use alcohol hand rub or sanitiser ensuring that all parts of the hands are
 covered.
- Ensuring good respiratory hygiene: promoting the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach.
- Enhanced cleaning regimes: cleaning frequently touched surfaces often using standard products, such as detergents and bleach.
- Minimising contact and mixing: altering, as much as possible, the environment (such as classroom layout) and timetables (such as staggered break times).

We have had a large response to our offer to all eligible/critical/vulnerable/EHCP applications. This has a knock-on effect on the number of pupils we will be able to offer places to in the future. We are now establishing those groups and will write to parents individually with full instructions when the government announces it is safe to return. Please expect this after 28th May. Our current critical worker/vulnerable pupils who have been attending regularly since 20th March should continue to attend as usual throughout the half term, bank holiday, 1st and 2nd June.

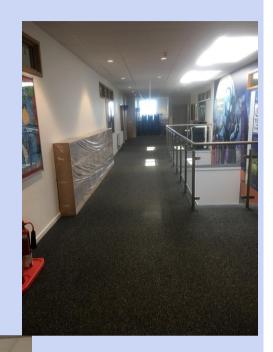
It is half-term next week, so no home or school learning will take place. The weather forecast is looking good, so hopefully, you will be able to enjoy some sunshine and get outdoors. We would like to wish all of our families who will be celebrating Eid this weekend, a happy albeit socially distanced Eid.

I have a few thank yous in particular to make this week. My personal thanks to Mrs Little and Mrs McAllister who have been in school working every day and night to help get a plan up and running for the wider opening. Mr Evans deserves a mention too as he has been in every day starting the mammouth task of moving furniture and emptying out classrooms as well as marking up floors; we now have an excess furniture store in the hall. Thanks also to the PTA for offering their support by sourcing and paying for some plastic equipment for children to play with and to the Sherlock family who have supplied us with much-needed hand sanitizer.

Happy half term!

Kathryn Krynicki Headteacher









22nd May 2020 Rock Hero Status has been awarded to:

UKS2

Ist Place: Kai Clinch

2nd Place: Grace Lockwood-Cowell

3rd Place: Cameron Blacker

LKS2

Ist Place: Amina Azeem

2nd Place: Annie Whyman-Taylor

3rd Place: Lexie Lorch

For the biggest improvement in correct answers over the last week. Well done Rock Stars!

Once AGAIN the CLASS WINNERS ARE

1st Place: Elm Class 2nd Place: Alder Class 3rd Place: Maple Class

Keep up the great work everyone! https://play.ttrockstars.com/ttrs/online



Well done to Tom, Emelia, Louis and Larch Class - all top of the table for another week!

	EYFS/Key Stage I	Lower Key Stage 2	Upper Key Stage 2	Class
I st	Tom Watkins	Emelia Parvin	Louis Hack	4 Larch
				177,565,420
2 nd	Sadiqah-Noor	Henry Hope	Saisha Khadka	2 Cedar
	Mehmood			103,240,716
3 rd	Faghiyah Hussain	Nicole York	Kai Clinch	4 Alder
				86,891,378



The Church of the Good Shepherd has its own YouTube channel where you can access Sunday services, Midweek Thoughts for the Day, Tots Praise, Mighty Memory Verses and even Open the Book.

You can access this through the church website https://www.wisleywithpyrford.org/ or go direct to their YouTube channel https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCimU98PEBETjD1yD5Ya9Pnw

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