

## Weekly Notices

Date: 25th September 2020



## **Key Notes:**

Parents Evening—At present we are unable to hold parent meetings. However, we want to make sure we keep you updated of how your child has settled in and how they are progressing in their learning. Over these first few weeks, staff have been forming baseline assessments to identify where the children are following the lockdown period and summer holiday break. This allows us to identify any gaps in the children's learning and pitch lessons at an appropriate place for the children.

Short reports will be coming out to you in the next couple of weeks to share how your child has settled in to their new class and what the baseline assessments have identified. If you have any questions following this report, you will have the opportunity to request a short phone call with the class teacher. Information on how to do this will come out alongside the reports.



If your child has: a high temperature

a new, continuous cough, or a loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste

This could be a sign of coronavirus

**Book a test** 

If your child has: a runny nose, is sneezing or feeling unwell

feeling unwell
But they don't have:

a high temperature
a new, continuous cough, or
a loss of, or change in,
sense of smell or taste

These are not normally symptoms of coronavirus

Seek advice from a pharmacy, dial 111 or see your GP

## **Harvest Festival goes Virtual!**

This year, we will be conducting our harvest festival via video. Each class will be preparing a short poem, prayer or song which will be recorded. These will all then be joined together to create a harvest festival which will be shared with the children in school. We will also send the link out to you as well so that you can join in with our harvest celebrations!

Please note, if you have chosen not to give permission for your child to appear in video and on the website (which is completely parental choice) they will not appear in the Harvest video. However, they will still be involved in the Harvest Festival celebrations by the scenes.

## **Parent Coffee Mornings**

Previously we have held weekly coffee mornings with parents which have had a different focus each time in order to provide you with further information to support your child in their learning at home. Unfortunately, we are not able to hold these at present.

However, we are excited to share that we will be sending weekly links to videos that will explain how we teach different aspects of the curriculum including phonics, reading support, calculation methods and more! The first video link will be shared next Friday!



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