

Dear Parents/carers.

Welcome back to the second half of Spring Term. This week we found out that school will be open for all children from 8th March. This means that our systems and processes that were in place for the Autumn term will resume. The children will return to their class which is within a bubble/zone. Children will arrive and leave from the front or rear entrance, as before, depending upon their year group. They will follow the same routines and expectations as before.

When the children return on March 8th they will need to be in their full school uniform each day unless it is their P.E day. The teachers will remind you of these days in their class letters next week. Please have a look on our <u>website</u> for a list of the correct uniform including P.E kit. School uniform can be ordered from <u>School Threads</u>. Our Thrift shop is quite empty at the moment but we would welcome any school jumpers, fleeces, cardigans or grey P.E hoodies that no longer fit your children if you would like to donate. Please leave any donations at the front school gate during school times and we will collect.

Next week is book week, we hope that you are able to engage in the activities planned and find time to read and share your favourite books.

The first week back is science week and the teachers are excited to be able to provide lots of fun and practical science based activities along with time to chat and catch up with friends.

The teachers will monitor learning throughout the term and will plan to meet the needs of all the children moving forward.

Teachers will be holding parent consultations by telephone during the week beginning 22nd March and will write annual reports in the summer term, rather than this term, for this academic year.

We will issue further details about these arrangements and risk assessments next week. In the meantime please make sure that your child continues to engage in their remote learning and live check ins next week as this will help with their planned learning back in school.

Best wishes Mrs Smallwood