



NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 15TH JANUARY 2021

MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

Things in school seem to have settled into a new routine this week as everyone becomes accustomed to the new way of working. Thank you for the positive comments about the remote learning tasks that we are setting, the staff are working incredibly hard to keep the show on the road. This week we began our pastoral phone calls in order to check how things are going for our families. We have managed to contact all but one class and hope to do this on Monday. However, if you have any problems with the learning or any concerns that you think that we can help with, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher, Mr Bradley or the school office.

Miss Barrows and Mr Bradley have been trialling small Teams meetings today - with mixed results. These meetings did not involve direct teaching, but instead afforded an opportunity to interact and chat to the teacher "face to face." This was an experiment to see what teething troubles we may encounter and hopefully, when we have a way forwards, we will try to roll this facility out to all of our children in the near future. Watch this space for details!

SCHOOL LUNCHES



If your child is in Key Stage 2 and attending school as a keyworker/vulnerable child, you can now order a grab bag for them for lunchtime if you wish. They should be ordered and paid for on Eduspot as normal.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniform is available to order again online via the Eduspot app. If you place an order we will then contact you to advise when it will be ready to collect.



DUDLEY PERFORMING ARTS

On our website under Remote Learning there will be a page called 'DPA TV'. On here will be links to YouTube videos that have been provided by Dudley Performing Arts which your children may wish to watch. There will be a video for Key Stage 1 and one for Key Stage 2.

HOUSE CHALLENGES

Thank you for being so 'positive' this week. Don't forget to check the school website for a new challenge next week!

SCHOOL LOTTERY

We are pleased to announce we have started a lottery for our school! Someone in our school lottery will win every week and have the chance to win the national £25,000. Prizes can also be won each term. You can play for £1 a week!

It's a fantastic way to bring us all together and we hope to raise funds that can support and enrich the children.

Your support is greatly appreciated and we wish you good luck!

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LOTTERY



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- All profits go to our school
- Local cash prize every week
- Chance to win the £25,000 jackpot!
- Drawn every Saturday at 8pm

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