

# C of E Primary School

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## NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2020

Dear Parents,

The final few weeks of term are looking busy and not in the least bit like normal service!

Thank you to everyone for your supportive comments and patience. We are well aware that many of you are working under tough conditions with expectations of working at home, children's home learning and all the other things family life throws at us! We get it! All the teachers are teaching full time, organising home learning for Landscope and looking after the education of their own families as well. There will naturally have been a 'drop off' in the response teachers are able to make via eschools during the school day but all staff are, as mentioned in our 'phased return' letter, timetabling responses into their working week and home lives. Please bear with us if we're slower than you'd like!

Staff are currently working on a KS1 & KS2 (classes 2,3 & 4) project which will enable families to work together. This will be ready for the last 2 weeks of term and may be used over the summer holidays. More information will follow on eschools and class pages.

In addition to this, the Trust have begun to work on setting up TEAMS for all the children in school. We have academy email addresses for the children being put in place and will be working on using this as our online learning platform. Staff training will be rolled out across the Trust to ensure glitches are kept to a minimum!

### COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

Over the past three weeks Collective Worship has been held in classrooms. It has been wonderful hearing the children's beautiful singing voices echoing across the school!

All classes enjoyed listening to the Pentecost story and exploring associated symbolism. Year sixes have now really got to grips with what it means to be humble – a quality Jesus demonstrated when he washed his disciple's feet. We are currently learning about wisdom.

*Anyone who comes and listens to me and obeys me,  
Is like someone who has dug down deep and built a house on solid rock*

Luke 6.47



### MENTAL HEALTH & WELL BEING: Generation C

A couple of weeks ago Mrs R asked the staff to watch a webinar led by Jaz Ampaw-Farr (a wellbeing/life coach). She was talking about children as Generation C (Covid 19). She questioned what the C could stand for: compassion? courage? creativity? chaos fighter? calm? I have been thinking about this a lot, it has really resonated with me...

As we welcomed some of our Reception children back – I was feeling anxious and a bit sad. How could we provide a rich learning environment when we were having to 'strip' back so much of what was familiar to the children to ensure it was safe? How would they cope when they had been away for so long? How would they get along together?

BUT the children amazed me, they are so resilient and resourceful, quickly adapting to their new learning environment. They are 'rubbing along' nicely together and they seem pleased to be back. The sound of



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their happy chatter during their play has been like music to my ears! They have filled me with a real sense of hope for the future, for Generation C.  
We must all hang on to their resilience and resourcefulness as we ourselves find that we sometimes 'thrive' and sometimes 'survive'! We want you to know, we think you are doing a fantastic job of holding it all together and that, as ever, if you need support, we are here for you!

**Mrs Field**

## LEARNING THIS WEEK

Class 3 ear defenders!



Hedgehog homes

PE



If you have any questions about any aspect of Home Learning, please do still contact your child's teacher. As the situation nationally changes in the coming weeks, we are confident that our children will continue to show the same positive attitudes to learning, resilience and determination to succeed, in everything they do.

I look forward to welcoming back different year groups to school in the coming weeks and hope that the majority of you will take the opportunity to get children back into school before the summer holidays begin. Have a good weekend.

Kind Regards

Jill Ryder.