

Tuesday 5th January 2021

Dear St Cuthbert parents,

Welcome to spring term 2021!

It has been a slightly bumpy start to our spring term journey today, but having discovered this encouraging quote, 'I have come to accept the bumpy roads of life; they seem to lead to the best places', I am hopeful that once we have teething issues sorted, we will glide through the next few weeks – all the way to February half term! Thank you for bearing with us!

In response to the government news last evening, I am writing with some updates relating to learning for this half term:

Each Friday, we will send out a weekly timetable (similar to the one for this week) for the following week.

• Early Years, Y1 and Y2

- Registration: nursery and reception class teachers will make phone calls to check in each day. Y1 and Y2 will register via Class Dojo at 9am each day and class teachers will call if no contact has been made during the day via Class Dojo.
- Early Years, Y1 and Y2 will receive most of their learning via hard copy packs to be collected at school on Wednesdays and Fridays.
- Completed learning to be dropped off at school on Wednesdays (completed learning from Friday, Monday and Tuesday) and Fridays (completed learning from Wednesdays and Thursdays). This will take place in a socially distanced routine.
- Project learning, Mathletics and some other link options as listed on the timetable will be via online websites.
- Teachers will provide feedback to their classes on areas of strength and areas for consolidation once they have assessed completed learning. Additional learning in areas for consolidation will be provided by teachers where necessary.
- Projects will be dropped off at school on due date. Teachers will assess these and provide written feedback. Projects will be displayed in class or school corridors at end of this half term in readiness for spring term 2.

Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6

- Registration: Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 registration will be via Google Classroom at 9am and 'check out' at around 3.15pm each day.
- Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 will be learning via Google Classrooms and project based websites. Mathletics, Maths Hub White Rose and some other link options will also be listed on the timetable.
- Some hard copy packs will be available for certain children where appropriate.
 Teachers will send out details to these children via parent emails.
- Teachers will provide feedback to their classes on areas of strength and areas for consolidation once they have assessed completed learning. Additional learning in areas for consolidation will be provided by teachers where necessary.
- Teachers will ask for completed tasks to be uploaded via Google Classroom or sent via email.
- Projects will be dropped off at school on due date. Teachers will assess these and provide written feedback. Projects will be displayed in class or school corridors at end of this half term in readiness for spring term 2.
- We are very happy to receive lockdown blogs, photographs of projects and photographs of learning sent to <u>info@scwsm.rbkc.sch.uk</u> and we will upload these into website galleries and showcase in our weekly newsletter.
- Our weekly newsletter will be uploaded onto our website each Friday.
- Please let us know if you are still in need of a loan laptop. We will do our best to loan these where needed.

Please feel free to email your child's class teacher or me should you have any queries and we will do our best to provide answers!

With kind regards,

Miss Putterill