



Learning together with Respect, Friendship and Perseverance

End of term newsletter – 31 March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been another unusual term for everyone and I know many of us are longing for things to get back to something resembling normality!

This week we have been assessing the children ready to inform our planning for next term. The teaching team will be meeting together this afternoon to look at prioritising learning for the summer terms. We will be planning to maintain a healthy balance between focussing on key learning, to support children in being in the strongest position possible ready for the next academic year, and ensuring their healthy personal, social and emotional well being enables them to make the most of these learning opportunities.

I hope the Easter break brings some rest, and some fun, so that we can all return to school ready to embrace the final term of this academic year! We have included a Self -Care Bingo game to play over the holidays which gives some activity ideas to help look after our mental and physical well -being.

The children will come home today with an Easter lolly and a Palm Cross to start your Easter celebrations.

Palm Crosses are made from dried palm leaves and are used to remind people of the welcome Jesus received as he rode into Jerusalem on a donkey. People took palm leaves from the trees, waved them and shouted "Hosanna to the King of Kings"

Happy Easter everyone.

Carol Phillips
Headteacher



YOU'RE GOING TO
AVO BABY



**Congratulations to Mrs Gibbons in Year 2
and Hubby - Baby due October**

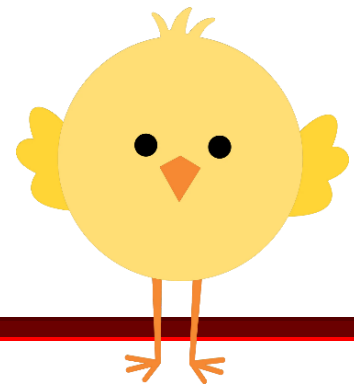


COVID

Track and Trace procedures during school Easter closure

If your child develops symptoms within 48 hours of term finishing and tests positive for Covid, please send a Dojo message to Miss Phillips via Class Dojo. Please do not contact the school office (via telephone or email) as the school site will be closed.

Miss Phillips will then contact PHE (Public Health England) to seek further guidance, and contact those who this will affect. This will be the same procedure if a staff member tests positive.



**PE Day
Friday 23rd
April**

**Children to wear PE
kit to school**

Children return to school Monday 19th April

Don't forget to book school dinners

Drop off and collection time reminder:

8:30-8:40am

Drop off for all Key Stage Two
(Years 3-6) children and any
younger siblings.

3:10-3:20pm

Collection for families
with children only in
Reception, Year 1 or 2
(Nursery collected at 11:45am)

8:40-8:50am

Drop off for families with
children only in Nursery,
Reception, Year 1 or 2
Nursery 8.45am

3:20-3:30pm

















Collection for families
with children in Key
Stage two



COVID-19: Restrictions in England

From 29 March

STEP 1

MEETING OTHERS 	OVERNIGHT STAYS 	EDUCATION 	WORK AND BUSINESS 
<p>You should not mix indoors except with your household or support bubble. You can meet outdoors, including in gardens, in groups of 6 people or 2 households.</p>	<p>You should not stay overnight away from home. Limited exemptions apply e.g. to stay with your support bubble.</p>	<p>Early years settings, schools and colleges are open for all students. Students on practical university courses can return. Students and staff will be regularly tested. Other Higher Education students should continue to learn remotely.</p>	<p>Everyone should work from home if they can.</p>
RETAIL 	BARS, PUBS AND RESTAURANTS 	ACCOMMODATION 	PERSONAL CARE 
<p>Essential shops remain open. Non-essential retail must stay closed and can only run click-and-collect and delivery.</p>	<p>Hospitality closed aside from takeaway, click-and-collect, drive-through or delivery. Alcohol cannot be purchased through takeaway or click-and-collect from hospitality venues.</p>	<p>Closed, with limited exemptions.</p>	<p>Closed.</p>
LEISURE AND SPORTING FACILITIES 	EXERCISE 	ENTERTAINMENT 	RESIDENTIAL CARE 
<p>Outdoor sports facilities can open, like tennis or basketball courts and open air swimming pools. Parent and child groups can take place outdoors in public spaces.</p>	<p>You may exercise outdoors in a group of 6 or with another household. Larger groups can also take part in formally organised outdoor sports.</p>	<p>Closed.</p>	<p>People who live in a care home in England will be allowed 1 named visitor.</p>
TRAVELLING 	HOLIDAYS 	PLACES OF WORSHIP 	WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS 
<p>You should minimise travel as much as possible. Avoid the busiest times and routes.</p>	<p>You should not go on holiday in the UK or abroad. You could be fined £5,000 for travelling abroad without a reasonable excuse.</p>	<p>Places of worship can remain open and communal worship is permitted, but you must not mix with anyone outside your household or support bubble.</p>	<p>Funerals of up to 30 people permitted. Weddings up to 6 people permitted. Wakes and other linked commemorative events of up to 6 permitted.</p>

For more information and detailed guidance visit:
[gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus)

COVID-19
Let's take this next step, safely.



Self-Care Bingo

Had fun doing some exercise



Went outside



Ate a healthy snack

Brushed my teeth every day

Put on some nice clothes



Ate healthy food

Tried something new

Was helpful to someone



Drank water everyday



Talked to a friend

Thought about how my body feels

Was kind to someone



Had a wash

Took a break

Said three things I am grateful for

Thought about how I feel

Played a game



Ate a piece of fruit



Asked for help

Did a good deed

Gave myself a pat on the back

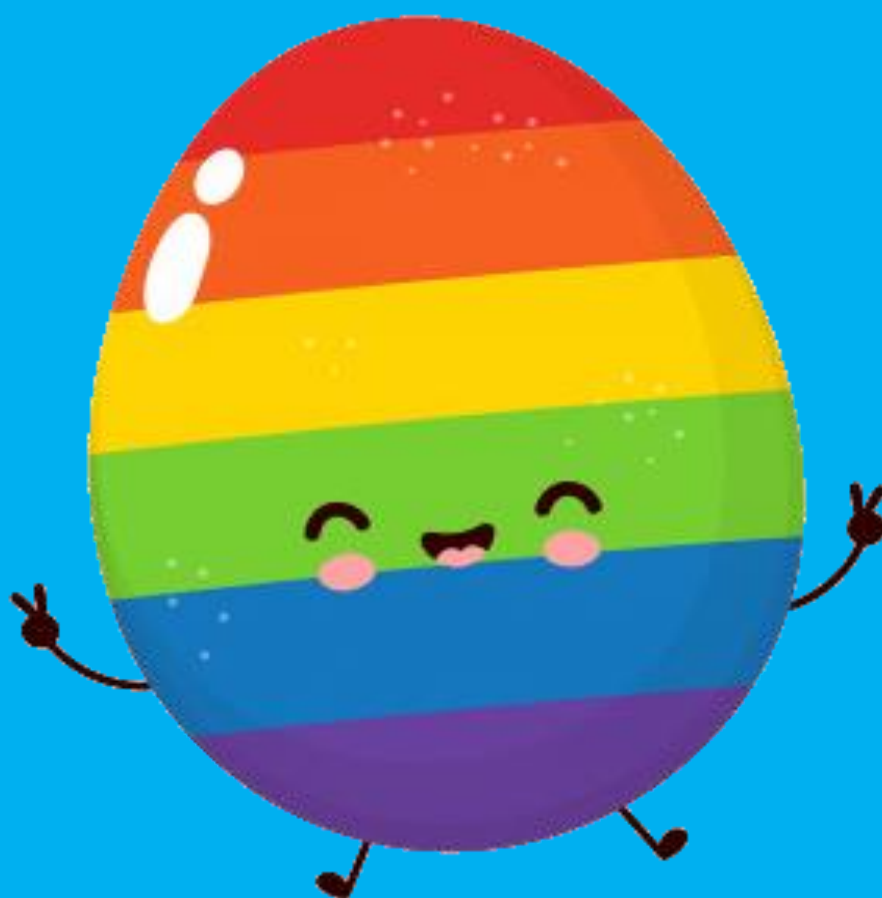
Did something fun



Did a hobby

Did some breathing exercises

Had a good laugh



HAPPY
EASTER

From all the Staff and Governors at Bampton C E
Primary School