

Dear Parents and Carers

While we are looking forward to being able to meet people outside of our households from Monday, it is important that we keep vigilant with our everyday practices regarding Covid.

There have been no changes to how we act as parents or as a school if anyone displays symptoms of Coronavirus. If your child displays any of the main symptoms in school, as identified by the NHS, it is still essential that we isolate your child and a member of staff dressed in full PPE waits with them until they can be collected from school. Any siblings are also sent home. Similarly, if your child is unwell at home, showing coronavirus symptoms, a PCR test should be booked. A Lateral Flow Test should not be used to diagnose Covid or to decide whether a primary aged child can attend school as all Lateral Flow Tests are only suitable for people who are not symptomatic. When a PCR test is taken, the whole household should isolate until they have a confirmed result. The turnaround time for PCR test results is now much quicker.

Easter

We are very much looking forward to celebrating Easter in school this year, although maybe in a slightly different way to previous years. One of the activities planned is for children to decorate an egg in school. Please send a hard boiled egg (or an alternative if your child has an allergy) in to school with your child on **Monday 29th March**, children will create their amazing designs during the week and bring their creation home on Thursday 1st April.



Time Capsule

Everyone in school has been busy producing something to go in our Time Capsule. These photos show some examples of the work that has been created to show how Coronavirus impacted on them. Next week we will be burying the time capsule in the grounds for someone in the future to dig up and explore what our thoughts and feelings were in 2021.

