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Heads Hello,

We are delighted to confirm all of our children will be able to return to school on Monday the 8th of March. Each class will be returning on Monday – we will not be doing any staggering across the first week. The children will remain in bubbles for the remainder of the spring term with Apple and Cherry class being bubble 1, Oak and Beech bubble 2 and Maple and Conkers bubble 3. We have made some changes to the school day which are stepping towards 'normal' school life. These are detailed below. Teachers will wear masks when moving between bubbles, they are not required to wear masks whilst teaching their class. Children at primary schools are not required to wear masks whilst at school. We will continue with the risk procedures in place with extra cleaning and handwashing. Please contact us in school if you have any further queries or questions.

Drop Off

Bubble 1 (Apple and Cherry) will continue to be dropped off at 9 am the Apple class gate where Mrs Webber will greet you. If you have a sibling in the other bubbles you will be able to drop them at the top gate first.

Bubble 2 and 3 will be dropped off at the top gate. Years 2 (Oak) and 3 (Beech) will muster and line up on the left hand playground and years 4, 5 and 6 (Maple and Conkers) will line up on the right hand side of the playground. Their teachers will be waiting on the playground. Ms Simmonds or another adults will be on gate duty from 8:45 until 9 am. You can drop off anytime between these times. This is to encourage natural staggering on the hill and at the gate. Children will come onto the playground and be able to play with their friends until the whistle is blown at 9 am for lining up. Please do not come before 8:45 as there will not be an adult on duty.

Pick Up

To stagger the pick up safely we will be continuing with the system we had prior to Christmas.

3:00 pm pick up	3:15 pick up
Apple (Bottom Gate)	Cherry (Bottom Gate)
Oak (Middle Gate)	Beech (Middle Gate)
Maple (Top Gate)	Conkers (Top Gate)

PE Kits and Forest School Clothing

Children will come to school in their uniform and bring their PE kit into school on their PE days

Children will come to school in their uniform and change into their Forest School clothing before their Forest School session

Children can wear shoes that they are comfortable to run in at all times. These can be plimsolls or trainers. We are going to be participating in the daily mile every day so we are allowing all pupils to wear appropriate footwear for running.

Lunches

We are returning to a hot food menu. Children can still bring packed lunch if they wish to. We will send more information about this early next week.

Clubs

Football club will return for bubble 3 on a Monday from Monday 15th March, for those children who had been attending football club last term. We are going to start our full offer of afterschool activity clubs after the Easter Holidays. This will include running, netball and multi skills (for those children who have already returned their club slip). More information will follow.

Natalie Simmonds
Head Teacher

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THIS WEEK'S STAR LEARNERS



APPLE	<i>Kerris and Neeve for outstanding effort with home learning</i>
CHERRY	<i>Arthur and Ellie for fantastic writing and enthusiasm for learning</i>
OAK	<i>Zinzi for pride in her amazing handwriting and Mila for passion in reading</i>
BEECH	<i>Nicolas for fantastic progress with reading and spelling and Thea for some skilful and beautiful artwork for her home learning</i>
MAPLE	<i>Rosie for amazing artwork for DT and Archie for an original and exiting chocolate bar design with a great slogan</i>
CONKERS	<i>Arthur for demonstrating high levels of knowledge in English and Matilda for an amazing chocolate cake for using gorse</i>

NEW READING MILLIONAIRES THIS WEEK Charlie, Arthur and Elizabeth from CONKERS
NEW HALF MILLIONAIRES THIS WEEK Mae from CONKERS and Orlaith from MAPLE

WELL DONE!



EXTREME READING CHALLENGE The results are in.....

A massive thank you to everyone who took part in the Extreme Reading Challenge. We raised £140 towards new library books. The teaching staff had a wonderful afternoon choosing the winners from each class and as you can see from the results some proved more difficult to decide.

Our Overall Winner : Orlaith from Maple Class

**Apple- Neeve
Cherry - Alice, Rosie & Jonah
Oak - Zinzi
Beech- George
Maple - Rosalie
Conkers- Marcus**

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WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 4th March is **WORLD BOOK DAY** and whilst we won't be able to celebrate it together as usual, the teachers have lots of fun book based activities planned for learning from home as well as in school! Whether you are learning from home or coming to school, please be prepared to celebrate the day with your favourite book and be able to explain why. This year the £1 Book Voucher is attached to this newsletter. You can download and print it or display it on your phone when purchasing a book at participating book shops.



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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL TERM DATES 2020/2021

SEPTEMBER 2020

Mon		7	14	21	28
Tues	1	8	15	22	29
Wed	2	9	16	23	30
Thurs	3	10	17	24	
Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	5	12	19	26	
Sun	6	13	20	27	

OCTOBER 2020

Mon		5	12	19	26
Tues		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	31
Sun	4	11	18	25	

NOVEMBER 2020

Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tues		3	10	17	24	
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

DECEMBER 2020

Mon		7	14	21	28
Tues	1	8	15	22	29
Wed	2	9	16	23	30
Thurs	3	10	17	24	31
Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	5	12	19	26	
Sun	6	13	20	27	

JANUARY 2021

Mon		4	11	18	25
Tues		5	12	19	26
Wed		6	13	20	27
Thurs		7	14	21	28
Fri	1	8	15	22	29
Sat	2	9	16	23	30
Sun	3	10	17	24	31

FEBRUARY 2021

Mon	1	8	15	22		
Tues	2	9	16	23		
Wed	3	10	17	24		
Thurs	4	11	18	25		
Fri	5	12	19	26		
Sat	6	13	20	27		
Sun	7	14	21	28		

MARCH 2021

Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tues	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs	4	11	18	25	
Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	7	14	21	28	

APRIL 2021

Mon		5	12	19	26
Tues		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	
Sun	4	11	18	25	

MAY 2021

Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tues		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

JUNE 2021

Mon		7	14	21	28
Tues	1	8	15	22	29
Wed	2	9	16	23	30
Thurs	3	10	17	24	
Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	5	12	19	26	
Sun	6	13	20	27	

JULY 2021

Mon		5	12	19	26
Tues		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	31
Sun	4	11	18	25	

AUGUST 2021

Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tues		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

BANK HOLIDAYS

Christmas Day	25th December 2020
Boxing Day	26th December 2020
Bank Holiday	28th December 2020
New Years Day	1st January 2021
Good Friday	2nd April 2021
Easter Monday	5th April 2021
May Bank Holiday	3rd May 2021
Spring Bank Holiday	31st May 2021
Summer Bank Holiday	30th August 2021

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

Autumn Half Term	26th to 30th October 2020
Spring Half Term	15th to 19th February 2021
Summer Half Term	31st May to 4th June 2021

LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS

1 Day	Friday 18th December 2020
5 Days	Monday 7th to Friday 11th June 2021

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