



PTA's Generous Donation—£2300

A huge thank you to the PTA and parents for raising the funds to support the school. We will use these funds to either help children with remote learning or support their wellbeing during these unprecedented times.

Laptops to Support Pupils at Home

We have now received confirmation from the DfE regarding the order of IT devices for our families, who have requested help from the school. As soon as the school receives the delivery, we will contact parents.

Remote Learning

Thank you to parents that have been extremely positive and supportive of CWJS' Remote Learning provision. We know we have had a couple of teething problems and that was to be expected and may well continue over the next couple of weeks, but on the whole, most children are accessing daily lessons and producing the work. Well done children... and *parents too!*

Our next phase of Remote learning is to ensure, where possible, children have experiences that we would provide in lessons, if the school was up and running as normal. Talking of which, we have just had such an event this week, where Renishaw worked with Y5 & Y6 children, discussing how important science and technology is to their business. Renishaw were so impressed with our children and the questions they asked during the ZOOM video call, that they would like to hold another meeting with the children, same time next week. So proud of all the children—well done!

So, Y5 & Y6 pupils **ONLY** will work from this timetable on Thursday 21st January :

8:45 - 8:55 Registration

9:00- 9:45 Maths lesson

10:00 -10:30 Renishaw ZOOM meeting- please see children's VLE message for login details.

10:30- - 10:45 Break

10:45 - 11:20 Renishaw Activity - Please see children's VLE message for details

11:20 - 12:20 Writing Lesson as per normal timetable.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Dates will be added later.

Children's Mental Health Week:

The school will be hosting several activities to support children's mental health and promote an awareness.

1st— 7th February.

Science Week:

The school will be celebrating this during the week:
Monday 8th—
Friday 12th





Remote Learning Cont'd

We will be asking other professionals and businesses to lead a session with our children to promote an awareness of why it is so important to learn different subjects and what they could aspire to be in their future lives. *Watch this space!*

Teacher Feedback

Remote Learning Children:

If your child is working remotely from home, then the teacher will be giving their class daily verbal feedback. At the end of the week your child will receive an overview of areas that their teacher was very impressed with and subjects that need to demonstrate some further improvement.

| Weekly Feedback Form For Remote Learning | | | | |
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| Name: ***** | | | | |
| Feedback | Maths | Reading | Writing | Theme |
| <p><i>This is an area that I was impressed with.</i></p> <p><i>Well done!</i> ★</p> | <p>✓ Well done for completing the BIDMAS activity. You were confident in being able to order the operations that you needed to complete.</p> | <p>✓ Your prediction mark on Friday was very accurate. You used the images from the front cover to accurately predict what the book might be about.</p> | <p>✓ You were able to identify the features of persuasive texts. Well done!</p> | <p>✓ You included lots of information in your KWL grid. You have lots of prior knowledge on Africa.</p> |
| <p><i>This is an area that needs improvement.</i></p> <p><i>Persevere and you'll do it!</i> ☺</p> | <p>Remember to use long multiplication to double check your calculations.</p> | <p>When completing SATs papers for Reading, remember to look at how many marks each question is worth. Do not spend too long putting lots of detail into your one mark answers.</p> | <p>When completing your writing, remember to use all the skills you have learned. I know you are confident using parenthesis, please use this in your writing.</p> | <p>You selected some lovely patterns for your Art mark. However, could you have given me more detail on why you selected those pattern?</p> |

Key Worker Children:

Children attending the Key Worker Provision, will be receiving feedback on their work from adults, in school during the sessions.

KS2 SATs

DfE announced recently that this current Y6 cohort of children will no longer need to sit the SATs tests, due to the recent lockdown measures enforced. Therefore, Maple and Redwood children will presumably be assessed very similar to last year's Y6 cohort. Schools nationally are waiting for further guidance from the DfE. We will keep you posted as soon as we hear!

We will of course keep you up to date with any changes to our provision and Government guidance.

Thank you for all that you are doing parents and stay safe!

#we'reinthistogether!

