



BISHOP LOVEDAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER 1

Joining Together – Learning For Life

Friday 11th September 2020

**For up-to-date advice on Coronavirus, please visit:  
<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>**

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to school. It's been a long time since we have all been together. The children appear to be settling well back into school life. We especially welcome our new Reception cohort and those who have joined us in various year groups throughout the school.

Current guidelines are - If your child has a high temperature or a cough, please do not bring them to school. You should telephone 111 and obtain a test. If the test is negative, we are happy for your child to return to school. If you decide not to have your child tested. They MUST remain in isolation for a period of 10 days. Siblings of children showing symptoms must also be kept off school, either for 14 days or until a negative test result for their sibling.

A few reminders:

- Please remember that reception is closed. This means we are unable to accept any items your child may have forgotten. You can email [mham2957@bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:mham2957@bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk) with any queries.
- Please can all children wear the correct uniform. If you have a query regarding uniform, please speak to Mrs Ridley directly.
- Please remember to pre-book your child's school meals, remembering that every Wednesday is the cut off for the following week.
- Please remember that we need a two-week notice period if you would like your child to attend either Breakfast Club, Homework Club or WAC. We are no longer able to accept 'ad hoc' sessions.
- Please wear a mask when coming onto the school site. Thank you to all those who have been wearing a face covering, this has been particularly appreciated by our vulnerable parents.
- Please remember the staggered pick up time for collecting your child. We have put this in place to keep the amount of people on site at any one time to an absolute minimum. Unless you have siblings in KS1, please do not enter the school site until your child's leaving time and then make a quick exit off school site.
  - Early Years children finish at 3.10pm (but will be handed over to parents from 3pm)
  - Year 1 & 2 children finish at 3.15pm
  - Year 3 & 4 children finish at 3.20pm
  - Year 5 & 6 children finish at 3.25pm
- Please do not let your child or younger siblings play on the equipment on the field. There are signs displayed to discourage this.

Unfortunately, until year group bubbles are able to 'mix' we are unable to provide hot school meals. Small filled rolls will be provided to our younger children and larger rolls will be given to the older ones. We had been providing a fat free/high sugar yoghurt. This has been replaced with a healthier option. Also, the large oranges have been replaced with 'Easy Peelers'.

# Congratulations



## **Superheroes:**

Betty D, River P, Erin L, Eira H, Eli W, Ava P, Layla B, Ali W, Lottie H, James H, Kimora A, Rayan K, Ella J, Ella M, Callum B and Seraphina H.

## **Other Awards:**

River P took part in the Summer Reading challenge and Ethan and Ella M took part in the '2.6 Challenge', raising over £350 for Home-Start Banbury by cycling 26 miles.

We currently have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor. If you are interested, please head to our website ([www.bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk](http://www.bishop-loveday.oxon.sch.uk)) and complete your application form online.

Enjoy the weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jane Ridley  
Headteacher