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### Newsletter

#### **Diary Dates:**

#### **End of Spring Term:**

Thursday 26 March

#### **Stop and Drop Rota:**

Date	First Name	Last Name
16/03/2020	Alexander	Isaac
16/03/2020	Suleiman	Islam
17/03/2020	Benjamin	Jadesimi
17/03/2020	Viyaan	Jaiswal
18/03/2020	Clara & Hannah	Joseph
18/03/2020	Ravi	Kalra
19/03/2020	Jonah	Kardos
19/03/2020	Lidia	Karpukhina
20/03/2020	Elai	Khan
20/03/2020	Paul	Kiewitz

#### Dear Parents

It has been a challenging week with developments with coronavirus. I would like to thank all the parents that have offered their support and reassurance whilst we manage this rapidly evolving situation. We are all working hard to keep the school running smoothly and will continue to communicate with you all through the normal channels with updates as we have them.

We will be sending home some activity ideas for you to complete with your children, if you have decided to self-isola. We hope that the children will enjoy the variety of activities we have drawn up. Please also remember the enormous value of reading with your child and taking the opportunity to talk, play and have fun!

#### Runny noses

As there are currently a number of children that are suffering with the usual runny noses, at this time of year, may I please remind you of the importance of using a fresh tissue and binning it at every opportunity, particularly when coming into school from outside.



What some of our parents value:

"How happy the children are and the lovely teaching staff"

"The teachers are warm and wonderful; they focus on good manners and behaviour"

"The nurturing nature of the school"

Broadhurst School Parent Survey 2020



#### **Chick News**

Our chicks are looking very much at home and we are delighted that they all hatched safely this week and are doing well. We will have all next week to enjoy them in school before they move to their new home, a farm in Daventry, next Friday. If you would like to visit the chicks, please feel free at drop off or collection time. The children have been very quiet and gentle when visiting and we ask that you do the same if you do choose to pop into the assessment (chick) room on the lower ground floor.

#### Toothpaste samples

We had an unexpected delivery of a large supply of sample toothpaste tubes this week. If anyone would like to take some home for the children, please feel free to come down to the School office to collect.

## Delivery of books to Noah's Ark Peace Hospice

I am looking forward to delivering the books, later on this afternoon, collected from your donations for World Book Day. I know that the team at the hospice will be very grateful for them and that the children will enjoy sharing some stories thanks to your generosity.

# Living Eggs







## Class 6 News Chicks Galore!

Class 6 have had so much fun learning about the life cycle of a hen. We have had the amazing hands-on experience of seeing real eggs hatch and reveal brand new chicks!

The children were fascinated to see the chicks moving about. They learnt lots of new vocabulary and it raised lots of questions.

Our small world area was turned into a chicken farm and the children used play eggs and chicks to act out the hatching experience in their play. We also read the story 'The Little Red Hen'. In our creative area, the group made pop-up chicks hatching out of eggs and very feathery chicks with the playdough.

Oscar said, "My chick is called Chicky, he has four feathers and two legs!"

Ravi said "My chick came from a farm. I put on a triangle mouth, two eyes and a fluffy coat."

Ishaan even wrote a sentence about the eggs, 'the eggs are oval.' For maths we looked at different ways to represent numbers, we used a ten egg box, rolled a dice and counted that many eggs. We then added one more to see how many we had.

A truly 'egg'-citing time was had by all!









