

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to the last newsletter of the term.

### **Life in school**

We have been very busy this term in school – despite the obvious restrictions - it has been great to see so many examples of pupils working together in their class bubbles. The existing bubble situation will continue until at least mid May when we will review it again. School feels safe and the pupils have adapted well to the current ways of working.

### **Red Nose Day**

The final total raised was £220. Many thanks to all who took part.

### **Free School Meal Vouchers**

The government have committed to funding free school meal vouchers over the holiday period.

Free school meal vouchers, for those eligible will be available this week. School will notify you when available.

### **Testing over Easter**

Over Easter, Public Health England are asking **secondary aged pupils to be tested at home**.

If your child is secondary age and tested usually in school, they will bring a home testing kit home with them on Thursday. The expectation is that pupils will be tested twice weekly. Please report the results to [www.gov.uk/report-covid19-results](http://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-results)

### **Testing for pupils after Easter**

**After Easter, advice in schools is that only secondary aged pupils should be tested.**

Therefore, on return, we will not be testing our primary aged pupils. Secondary will continue to be tested twice weekly in school.

### **School Closing**

School closes for Easter on 1<sup>st</sup> April (usual time) – this Thursday.

School reopens on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April at the usual time.

May I wish you all a lovely break. I hope we are lucky enough to get some spring – like weather.

See you on 19<sup>th</sup> April,

Yours sincerely

*SJ Kidd*

**Sam Kidd**

Headteacher

