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Monday 15th June 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope you all had a good weekend.

Last week, children in Nursery (FS1) and Reception (FS2) returned to school. It was lovely seeing so many happy faces as the children entered the school gates.

Today we welcome back our Year 1 children, who will be attending school Monday and Tuesday each week.

Year 6 children will then return to school on June 24th and will attend every Wednesday and Thursday. A letter will be published on our school's website today providing additional information regarding the Year 6 return.

Home Learning

Home learning will continue to be uploaded for all children who are not in school.

Our school website (www.barmbymoore.com) continues to be updated with weekly maths and literacy home learning activities. Each KS1 and KS2 class teacher has also recorded a video for the school website, which outlines the tasks for the week ahead – we hope the children enjoy hearing their teachers. The latest class letters are also available under Letters to Pupils.

Please continue to send any work to the class e-mail addresses:

Class 2 – class2@barmbymooreprimary.co.uk

Class 3 – class3@barmbymooreprimary.co.uk

Class 4 – class4@barmbymooreprimary.co.uk

Class 5 – class5@barmbymooreprimary.co.uk

Class 6 – class6@barmbymooreprimary.co.uk

BBC Bitesize (www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons) and Oak National Academy (www.thenational.academy/onlineclassroom) continue to be suitable alternatives for those parents who would like greater structure.

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Last week, we offered printed learning packs for children to complete at home – these are different to the weekly home learning activities provided on the school website. Thank you to all parents who requested a pack. These will be delivered from today (Monday 15th June). Copies of these packs, and guidance for parents, are available on our school website under Information > Home Learning > June Learning Packs.

Reading Eggs will be launching for children in Year 1 to 6 and we will be shortly providing login details. This online program helps children learn to read and offers reading lessons and books. A Reading Eggs App is available to download from Apple App Store or on Google Play.

Mr Baxter's Weekly Challenge

Thank you to all children who participated in last week's challenge! Children who participated created some wonderful skyscrapers and many of them would fit perfectly in New York City!

The latest challenge is now live on the school website and involves children designing their own theme park. It can be found under Home Learning and by clicking on the Weekly Challenge tab.

We are pleased to announce that Teaching Personnel have kindly donated a £10.00 Amazon voucher as a prize for the most creative entry – this will be picked by a member of the Teaching Personnel team. The winner will be revealed in my weekly letter on Monday 29th June.

When completed, please send photos to weeklychallenge@barmbymoorschool.co.uk for me to have a look at.

Staff Stories

We continue to update our Staff Stories page.

This week we have added the following stories:

The Bad-Tempered Ladybird – Read by Mrs Parry

A Squash and a Squeeze – Read by Mrs Milson

George's Marvellous Medicine (Chapter 4) – Read by Ms Young

Boy in the Tower (Chapter 7 and 8) – Read by Mr Hone

The stories can be accessed by going to Home Learning and clicking on Staff Stories. More updates soon!

Virtual Big Sing

Every year, the East Riding 'Big Sing' and 'Little Big Sing' takes place, however this year the event has unfortunately had to be cancelled.

The East Riding Music Hub, along with other Music Hubs across the UK, have teamed up to create a country wide 'Virtual Big Sing'. Using live streaming technology, they are gathering together amazing

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musicians to deliver an exciting song pack that children (and parents) can sing along with from the comfort of their homes.

Vocal leaders will include Jessie J, Nicola Roberts and Camilla Kerslake.

The event takes place on **Friday 19th June at 2:00 p.m.**

To register to take part visit <https://www.norfolkmusichub.org.uk/site/vbs-2020/>. You will then receive instructions, via e-mail, on how to access the live stream.

Music at Home

Mrs Rooke has uploaded some new playalong videos onto the school website. These can be accessed by going to Home Learning and clicking Music at Home.

Kingswood 2020

We would again like to thank parents for your continued patience in terms of refunds for the Kingswood 2020 residential. We have been in contact with Kingswood, who are currently processing refunds for visits that were due to take place this term. As soon as refunds for our visit are processed, and the school receives the funds, we will contact parents and cheques will be issued.

Keyworker Provision

For keyworker parents accessing the keyworker provision, we ask that you e-mail school with any future bookings/cancellations. Please ensure you keep school informed of the days/times you require provision.

School Dinners

School dinners are available (hot dinner option only – no school sandwiches or jacket potatoes) Monday to Thursday. These will be eaten within the classroom.

Keyworker children, attending on Fridays, will need to bring a packed lunch.

School dinners do not need to be booked in advance; children can request a hot dinner on the day. Children in Reception (FS2), Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a free school meal under the 'Universal Infant Free School Meal' government initiative and this provision is still in place. Alternatively, parents are permitted to send their child with a packed lunch, if they wish. Please ensure that lunchboxes are clearly labelled and taken home each day.

Thank You

Thank you again to all parents for your continued support.

I will be in contact with Year 6 parents this week to provide additional details on their child's return to school.

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Take care and stay safe,

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