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Monday 22nd June 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope you all had a good weekend.

As you will be aware we have now welcomed Nursery (FS1), Reception (FS2) and Year 1 children back into school. We are delighted to welcome back Year 6 later this week and they will attend every Wednesday and Thursday. School also continues to provide provision for the children of keyworkers Monday to Friday.

At the current time, following Government and East Riding guidance, school does not have sufficient staffing or space to accommodate any additional year groups in school. Every classroom is in use accommodating either Nursery, Reception, Year 1, Year 6 or Keyworker children. We are heavily restricted due to social distancing requirements and the fact class groups have to be kept to a maximum of 15.

On Friday, Gavin Williamson, the Education Secretary, announced that ministers want to see all children returning full-time to school in September 2020. It is expected that the stipulation of a maximum of 15 children per class group will be relaxed and that whole classes will be allowed back into school. Guidance for schools in terms of September is due to be released in the next fortnight. We will continue to keep parents updated on any developments we receive.

Payments

Outstanding invoices for school meals and before/after school club will be issued to parents this week. These will be sent home with your child if they are currently in school or will be sent via e-mail if they are not in school. Online payments only – payment codes will be issued if you do not already have one. If you have any query or difficulty with payment, please contact the School Office and we will endeavour to help.

Home Learning

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

The latest home learning activities are now available on www.barmbymoorschool.com under the Home Learning tab. Videos and letters from class teachers have also been uploaded which outline the home learning for the week ahead.

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The teachers have been pleased to receive so much wonderful work through our class e-mail system. Please continue to send in any work the children complete and remember the teachers are there if you have any questions about home learning. The e-mail addresses are:

Class 2 – class2@barmbymoorschool.co.uk

Class 3 – class3@barmbymoorschool.co.uk

Class 4 – class4@barmbymoorschool.co.uk

Class 5 – class5@barmbymoorschool.co.uk

Class 6 – class6@barmbymoorschool.co.uk

BBC Bitesize (www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons) and Oak National Academy

(www.thenational.academy/onlineclassroom) continue to be updated weekly with online lessons for children to access at home.

Printed home learning packs have now been delivered to the parents who requested one. We hope you find these useful.

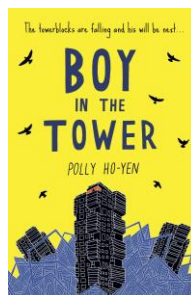
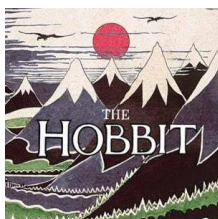
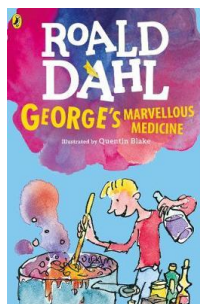


Reading Eggs has now launched and login details have been provided to children in Year 1 to Year 5. Year 6 children will receive their login details when they return to school on Wednesday 24th June.

The online program is an excellent resource and we hope the children enjoy using it! Please remember the Reading Eggs App is also available on Apple Store and Google Play.

Staff Stories

New stories have been uploaded to our Staff Stories page on the school website. To access these, click Information > Home Learning and Staff Stories.



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This week we have uploaded the following stories:

George's Marvellous Medicine (Chapter 5 and 6) – Read by Ms Young

Boy in the Tower (Chapter 9) – Read by Mr Hone

The Hobbit (Extract) – Read by Mrs Marsden

Kingswood 2020

We continue to be in communication with Kingswood with regards to refunds for the June 2020 Year 5/6 Residential. Thank you again for your continued patience. We will be in contact with you as soon as refunds are available.

Mr Baxter's Weekly Challenge

Thank you to all children who participated in last week's challenge! All theme parks created were excellent and the winner of the £10.00 Amazon voucher, kindly donated by Teaching Personnel, will be announced in next week's letter.

The latest challenge is now live on the school website and involves children creating a poster about their favourite book. It can be found under Home Learning and by clicking on the Weekly Challenge tab.

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

Thank You

I would again like to thank all parents for your continued support during this unprecedented time.

The staff and I are incredibly grateful for the support and understanding we have received from our parents, carers and the whole community. Your messages have been appreciated by all.

I will be in touch again next week.

Take care and stay safe,

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