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Dear parents

I hope you are all well?

First as school continues to be closed for the majority of pupils, I would like to reiterate what I said in my last letter.

The work provided cannot replace being in school and being taught on a daily basis and we do not expect you to mirror that. Please do not feel you have to do everything. I know some parents have contacted school and asked the question, "Do we have to do it all?" The simple answer is **No**.

As I said in previous letters when we had to close the school for most of the pupils, they need to have time to play, be creative, rest and enjoy being a child, as this is an unprecedented time. Please do not make it like school at home. We have been sent some lovely examples of children baking, making dens and playing games inside and outside, these activities are as important to look after everyone's well-being and happiness.

Do not feel pressured to complete the work, do what you can, when you can. Happiness and well-being is important at this time, we all understand."

Week 3 and 4 Home Learning Packs

The staff have prepared home learning packs for the next two weeks. Each class teacher has put relevant work on the school's website for all to access including links to websites and specific resources children may need. Any resources needed will be available for collection, where possible, on Wednesday 6th May from school. To ensure we abide by the government social distancing guidelines we have put the following procedure in place:

- A pack, **if you require one**, will be made available on Wednesday 6th May for your child.
- Please enter the site via the pedestrian gate on Broadmanor and leave through the vehicle gate (Nursery gates will be open). No vehicles will be accessing the site during the day.
- The packs will be placed on a class table on the Broadmanor playground. A member of staff will be present if you have any questions.
- Each class will have an allocated time slot to pick up the pack, this ensures a limited amount of people on site at any one time.
- If you have more than one child in school and they are in different classes you will be able to pick up all the packs at once.
- If someone else will be picking up a pack for your child please let us know.

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Time Slots on Wednesday 6th May

Class 1- 9:30am to 10:30am

Class 2- 10:30m to 11:30am

Class 3- 11:30am to 12:30pm

Class 4- 12:30pm to 1:30pm

Class 5- 1:30pm to 2:30pm

If you are unable to collect the work on Wednesday or at the time allocated please let school know and we will try to make alternative arrangements for you to get a pack.

Please take care and stay safe

Andrew Russell

Headteacher