

WESTBURY-ON-SEVERN C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**Westbury-on-Severn
CE Primary School**

Friday 5th March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

I just wanted to write a little note to say how much we are looking forward to welcoming all the children back to school on Monday 8th March and remind you of a few things in preparation for their return.

Children should return to school between 8.30am and 8.45am each morning. Please be aware of social distancing at the bottom of the lane when dropping off the children. There will be a member of staff ready to greet the children and then you may leave. Children can be picked up from school at 2.45pm and we will bring them to you at the bottom of the lane. Again, please keep socially distanced as you wait for the children.

We are so pleased with the children's levels of engagement with their remote-learning. We are looking forward to seeing the work that is in their home-learning books, so please make sure that all learning done at home is sent back to school on Monday. We will use that as part of our ongoing assessment of the children and for establishing any additional support they might need.

School lunches will begin as normal, with the kitchen supplying hot school meals. If you would like your child to have one of these, then please order them in the usual way. Of course, your child may still bring a healthy packed lunch to school if you prefer.

It has been wonderful to have so many parents and carers join us for worship each morning, but due to the timetabling arrangements, from Monday 8th March, Worship will be at 1pm. We will still send the links home each week, so if you would like to join us, you are still very welcome.

I want to reassure you that school remains as safe and clean as it always has been. As I mentioned in my last newsletter, all staff are doing a great job at undertaking additional cleaning in classrooms and around the school each day and this will continue.

Finally, a gentle reminder that if your child does display any symptoms associated with COVID-19 at all, you should keep them at home and book a test.

Thank you all so much for all the hard work and support you have given us at school during this lockdown period. You have all been truly amazing as you have navigated through the new world of remote-learning and juggled that with your own lives. You are a credit to our community. I am looking forward to a time when we can all meet together again for a whole-school celebration. Until that time, please keep safe, healthy and well and remember that we are here for you if you need us.

With warmest wishes,

David Crunkhurn
Headteacher

