

## Robert Le Kyng Primary School

Newsletter Date — 31st March 2021

Dear Parents,

As we come to the end of term I would like to say a massive thank you to all of you for your support since January. It has been a very strange term, with many children working from home for a large chunk of it and some having been here every day. Some children are exhausted and ready for a break, others are only just getting back into their stride, regaining the confidence and independence that they may have lost. Hopefully we can look forward to a more "normal" summer term with reduced restrictions and better weather so that we can spend more time outside.

At the moment there are very few changes to how we will be working in school next term. We will still be working in bubbles and there will still be plenty of hand washing!

#### **Parents Evening/Reports**

We have decided that this year we will revert to the more traditional end of year report. Due to the nature of the last term, many of you probably know more than we do about the work your child has been doing! We will also do a virtual parents' evening towards the end of term 5 so that you can catch up with the work that has been taking place since the children have returned. As always, if you have any concerns or worries about your child, please do contact the class teacher and ask to have a conversation – you do not need to wait for an appointment.

Susan Smith

Headteacher

### TD DAYS

# Thursday 24th June Friday 25th June

After cancelling planned TD days last term, we have added Thursday 24th June to the TD day already scheduled for Friday 25th June.



When informing us of either a new email address or mobile phone number, please ensure you update your own Parentmail account with the new details too in order to ensure you receive all communications sent by us.





Fraser Portraits will be coming into school to take individual photographs on **Thursday 29th April**. Unfortunately this year we will be unable to accommodate sibling groups to ensure that children stay in their

bubbles. Can you please ensure your child wears their jumper or cardigan as we do not have clean spares. No green hair accessories please as this can compromise the 'green screen' process.



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**COVID UPDATE** If your child develops symptoms within 48hrs of finishing school tomorrow and subsequently has a positive test (or has a non-symptomatic positive test within 48hrs) please contact the school by emailing officerlk@robertlekyng.swindon.sch.uk

This inbox will be monitored during the school break. If you do need to contact us at this time please:

- Mark the subject line "Covid—URGENT"
- Give your child's name and class
- The date the symptoms started, date of the test and result.

This account will only be monitored for Covid related correspondence.

Obviously, if you suspect that your child, or a member of your family has Covid-19, the whole household should isolate until the test results are known as usual.

<u>If</u> we have notification that there has been a positive case in your child's bubble, we will inform you of this through Parentmail, so please do keep checking this throughout the break.

