



Newsletter



Friday 22nd January 2021

Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

We have been amazed again at how hard you are all working at home. Teachers have really enjoyed speaking to you over the last two weeks as we are certainly missing you all in school. The work that is being sent in and completed is wonderful.

Live Lesson Monday 25th January 1.30pm Severn Trent

On Monday 25th January we are very excited to have a Live lesson 'Super Sewer' at 1.30pm led by Severn Trent suitable for the whole school. We will post the link again on Class Dojo and Teams Monday but it is here also;

LINK: [Access Live Session](#)

Work books not set by school

We are aware that some families are using workbooks that have been purchased and not recommended by school e.g. Maths CPG. Can we offer a word of caution with doing this please. It is really important that you aim to complete the work that has been set by your child's teacher as they are setting work that links to the curriculum your child would have been following in class. Workbooks are great as an extra but are not helpful every day replacing the tailored lessons and work teachers are setting as your child is missing out on key learning for their age. This means they will have potentially missed new learning.

Message for our Key Worker families where children are in school

Following on from the message in the newsletter last week please contact us if your child/ren are able to reduce their hours in any way for the following week.

Can we please reiterate that if there is a parent working from home or at home as their job is not currently able to operate then that child or children should not be coming into school as Key Worker children under the updated guidance. If there are days that children could be at home some days of the week e.g. due to shift patterns we are more than happy to accommodate that and not have the children in full time - a change to our original information. We would just ask that you inform us by Friday lunchtime what your requirements are for the following week.

Please contact admin@ourladysprincethorpe.co.uk to tell us of any changes you are able to make ahead of next week. Next week in some cases, we may need to ask for evidence from employers to ascertain evidence of Critical Worker status.

We thank you in advance for your continued support and cooperation.

Part of the puzzle

Please remember to complete your puzzle piece – template has been posted on Class Dojo.

We would love these back in school when we all return.

Spelling Shed and Times Tables Rock Stars

Our leagues have begun! Well done to all the children that have logged in to Spelling Shed and Times Tables Rock Stars this week. We can definitely do better though! Let's try and get the number of players up for next week.

Times Tables Rock Stars

Y2- 3 people played

Y3- 5 people played

Y4- 4 people played

Y5-3 people played

Y6- 4 people played





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Useful Phone Numbers and information

Please find below the link for a leaflet from Warwickshire Council that has useful information on keeping well.

Some other useful numbers at this difficult time are:

If you need immediate support: Samaritans – call 116 123

For urgent medical needs call your GP, or NHS 111.

If you are in a life-threatening situation call 999.



There are a number of local support services available 24/7 during this time. These are available to anyone living in Warwickshire: Mental Health Helpline and webchat – confidential, and freely available 24/7. Anyone can access a team of trained and experienced support workers by calling 0800 616 171 or via the Time Online Webchat: www.mhm.org.uk/coventry-warwickshire-helpline

If you're not able to get through first time, then please keep trying.

Mental Health Leaflet: <https://api.warwickshire.gov.uk/documents/WCCC-1068-1137>

Domestic Abuse Information <http://www.talk2someone.org.uk/>

Workers of the Week

| Workers of the Week | Year R | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| ☺ | George | Charlie | Rubie | Monty and Delilah | Caelinn and Austin | Caleb | Maddie |



Spelling top 5 on spelling shed are:

- 1 – Katie Burns Y4
- 2 – Maddie Cowan Y6
- 3 – Maya Cassidy Y6
- 4 – Ruari Lavery Y6
- 5 – Cohen Hatton Y4

Winning Class: Year 3!

- Year 2: Tilly
- Year 3: Jessica S
- Year 4: Katie
- Year 5: Poppy – Louise
- Year 6: Emilio



Have a lovely weekend!

[Mrs R Batson](#)

Headteacher

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

STAY HOME ▶ PROTECT THE NHS ▶ SAVE LIVES

National lockdown: stay at home

Coronavirus (COVID-19) is spreading fast.

Do not leave your home unless necessary.

1 in 3 people who have the virus have no symptoms, so you could be spreading it without knowing it.