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Reminder INSET Day

School will be closed on Monday 5th October for staff First Aid training

COVID19 Update

You will be aware that this week we have had a confirmed case of Covid 19 in school and as a result, have had to close the Foundation Stage bubble for 14 days. We know that you may find this concerning but we are continuing to monitor the situation and have worked closely with Public Health England. The letter from Public Health England, containing further advice for all parents and carers can be found on the website.

School Governors will meet on Monday evening to review the school Risk Assessment and you will be informed of any changes following this meeting.

These are key messages from PHE on how to stop the spread of COVID19:

- Wash your hands with soap and water oftern do this for at least 20 seconds
- Use hand sanitisergel if soap and water are not available
- Wash your hands as soon as you get home
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze
- Put used tissues in the bin immediately and wash your hands afterwards

Thank you for all your continued support.

The Jess Cup

The Jess Cup is awarded each week to a child who has displayed exemplary behaviour and contribution to school life. Congratulations to last week's winner, Charlie Hanley!



Stewardship

This week, as we continue to explore our school value of stewardship, children have been finding out about Greta Thunberg.

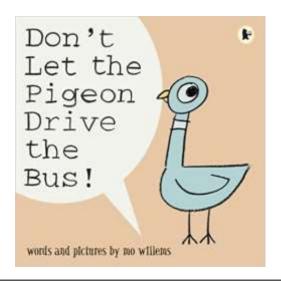


Reading Book of the Week!

This week, Mr Gouldin is recommending...

Don't let the Pigeon Drive the Bus! by Mo Willems.

We've ordered a copy for school – who will be the first to read it?



Reading Books

Thank you to all those who have returned school reading books that children took home before lockdown. We are still very short of Read Write Inc home reading books. You will appreciate that books are a significant investment at school so we ask that any books still at home could be returned as soon as possible. Thank you!

Mobile Phones

Children should only bring a mobile phone to school if they are making their own way home. It will need to be switched off in school and kept in a coat pocket. Please monitor your child's use of social media carefully. If you need support with this you will find useful information here:

https://www.rotherhampower.co.uk/

Riverside Catering School Meals – Four Choice Menu

From September 2020

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Menu	Cheeseburger	Hotdog	Chicken Fillet burger	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Fish Finger Sandwich
iviciiu	Jacket Potato with Cheese				
	Jacket Potato with Tuna				
	Chilled Choice Tuna	Chilled Choice Cheese	Chilled Choice Ham	Chilled Choice Turkey	Chilled Choice Egg
	Patato Wedges	Diced Potatoes	Potato Wedges	Potato Wedges	Chips
	Flapjack	lced bun	Rice Crispy Bun	Cookie	Muffin



School Gateway Troubleshooting

If you are having difficulty making online payments via the School Gateway, on the school website go to the Parents/Carers section, choose online payments from the dropdown box and you will find a Trouble shooting guide.

Please remember that if your child has paracetamol/Calpol in the morning they cannot attend school that day.

As a school, we are following DfE guidelines with regard to children displaying any symptoms of COVID19. The guidelines state...

If anyone in the school becomes unwell with a new and persistent cough or a high temperature, or has a loss of or change in, their normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia), they must be sent home and advised to follow guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection, which sets out that they should self-isolate for at least 10 days and should arrange to have a test to see if they have coronavirus (COVID-19). Other members of their household (including any siblings) should self-isolate for 14 days from when the symptomatic person first had symptoms.

These guidelines would also apply if your child became unwell with any of the same symptoms at home. Thank you for your continued support.