

Dear Parents and Carers,

28th January 2021

First of all can I say a huge thank you for all the work you have been doing with your children. You have fully embraced eSchools and have thrown yourselves into the daily tasks. The teachers have been thrilled with the work the children have produced – their maths calculations, handwriting practice, writing of words, phonics play activities, video clips of them in action and the terrific bridges, not to mention the different versions of the Angel of the North I have seen. It was great fun guessing which bridge they'd made. We fully appreciate it is not easy but thank you so much for really giving it your best. I know that your children will have enjoyed spending this time with you as well as sharing their successes with their teachers. It has been lovely to see the communication between you and our staff. Lots of constructive comments being shared. It truly is a partnership in learning. It's still not clear how long we will be in this position but we hope you can keep up the good work but that you make sure to maintain your sanity too.

Kay Hemmings (Head Teacher)

Now back to business ©

I have the following message Mr Durham and Mrs Geach have asked me to share with you:

We would like to invite you and your child to come to school next week on Wednesday 3rd or Thursday 4th February between 1.15 and 2:45. Please come to the main entrance.

Here you will pick up a pack of lovely resources that your child will be using over the coming weeks to support them with further home learning tasks. They will be able to keep these until the end of the school year as they will continue to be useful for home learning, once we do manage to get back to school.

It will also give your child the opportunity to say a quick hello to a member of the Early Years Team.

For those children who are attending school on some days, we will send a pack home with them on Wednesday as this will be useful for them if there are days when they are not in school or for home learning in the future.

Many thanks, Mrs Geach and Mr Durham

