



## Welbourn Church of England Primary School

*'Believe, Excite, Succeed, Together'*

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2020**



### Dates for your diary

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March

World book day – dress in pyjamas.

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March

School open to all children

Science Week

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> March

Red Nose day – details to be confirmed by the School Council.

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 4.00pm

Parent Forum

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> March

Easter service – time TBC

'Welbourn Easter bake off'

Last day of term

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April

Staff inset day

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April

Back to school

(View our website for more dates)

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you once again for your support during this difficult time and the commitment you have made to Remote learning. We are excited by the announcement that all children will return to school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. Next week you will receive an update on our preparations for opening fully and the protocols, including a risk assessment.

#### RSHE policy

Early in the week, we sent you the first draft of the Relationships, Sex and Education policy. It is a statutory requirement that we consult parents about it. Please send any questions or comments to us via email. We will also discuss this at the next Parent Forum.

#### Forestry award

We have sent out the booklets for the forestry award. Mr Clarke has very kindly created 6 video clips to help support your child to complete these. Please encourage your child to complete the 6 tasks and we will then award them with a certificate. This is a National registered award. Click on the link below for Challenge 1:

[https://youtu.be/yLhn2ULjm\\_8](https://youtu.be/yLhn2ULjm_8)

#### World Book day

Next Thursday, we will celebrate World Book day. As a school, we encourage a love of reading so Mrs Stanton has been busy creating a fun filled day of activities. These include wearing pyjamas, reading in an unusual place, making a book box and playing 'The Masked reader'. We hope you will enjoy taking part. Information will be sent out with the packs and via TEAMS.

#### Science week

Each year we enjoy celebrating 'Science week'. This year's theme is 'Innovating for the future'. We will be growing crops and gardening this year. Each class will have their own patch to design, plant and upkeep. We will start this during the week beginning 8<sup>th</sup> March.

#### Front of school

We would like to say a huge thank you to Sam Batchelor for developing our front of school and to Katie Gordon for designing this. When the children return, we will be able to display all of the work that the children did during art week in Term 1.

Finally, during half term, we discovered that our pet tortoise was a girl. During worship, the children thought that we should discuss her name and vote to decide if we would like to keep Milo or change it. The poll revealed that she will now be called Mila.

Have a great weekend, take care and stay safe!

Mrs T Boulter

Headteacher

#### Safeguarding

We are committed to Safeguarding young children. Our updated Safeguarding and Child Protection policy is on our school website. (TAB Parents/ policies) If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child, please call: 01522782111.

Click below to view updated online safety information for parents: [https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-keeping-children-safe-online/coronavirus-covid-19-support-for-parents-and-carers-to-keep-children-safe-online?utm\\_source=25%20February%202021%20C19&utm\\_medium=Daily%20Email%20C19&utm\\_campaign=DfE%20C19](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-keeping-children-safe-online/coronavirus-covid-19-support-for-parents-and-carers-to-keep-children-safe-online?utm_source=25%20February%202021%20C19&utm_medium=Daily%20Email%20C19&utm_campaign=DfE%20C19)

### Let's take a look at our learning this week ...

Topaz Class enjoyed creating African kente designs, being on a safari and drawing African animals.



Emerald Class enjoyed making volcanoes and then making them erupt during Inspiration day and their scavenger hunt during 'no screen' afternoon.



Amethyst Class enjoyed their Inspiration day activities making vegan recipes, up-cycling items and making tote bags out of t-shirts as part of their new topic.



Links to your child's Twitter pages can also be accessed via the links below:

<https://www.welbournprimary.co.uk/Topaz.asp>

<https://www.welbournprimary.co.uk/Emerald.asp>

<https://www.welbournprimary.co.uk/Amethyst.as>



We now also have an Instagram page. Follow WelbournSchool

Please continue to submit learning and keep us up to date with your child's learning, we love to see photos too!



## Special News!

We would like to say a huge congratulations to Miss Hope and her fiancé as she has given birth to a beautiful, healthy baby girl. Her name is Daisy Gail.



## Our Church School values

This term our Church school values focus on [Generosity](#) and [Thankfulness](#). We will continue to use virtual and class collective worships to explore these values and use them to improve personal development and relationships.

## 100 acts of kindness challenge!

Please encourage your child to complete their 100 acts of kindness booklet by helping others in acts of generosity during lent in memory of Sir Captain Tom Moore.

