

Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, I would like to thank you for your continued support and commitment during what has been a very challenging period for everyone. I hope that the additional time you have spent together as a family has been enjoyable. I am incredibly pleased that we will be returning to school next Monday and that the children will be able to return to some level of normality. Details about the arrangements for the school day will be sent to you in due course.

I hope that the video introductions at the beginning of each day have been useful for you and your child. These will be continuing for our last week of homeschooling and, as usual, can be found on Google Classroom along with all of the home learning activities.

We will be having our final Zoom meeting this week on Thursday 4th March to coincide with **World Book Day 2021**. Normally we would invite children to come into school dressed as a character from their favourite book but, as we are not in school this year, it would be great if children would like to do this at home instead. We can then have fun guessing who everyone is and explaining why we like the character so much! If you do not want to dress up as a character you could just bring your favourite book to share instead! The link for the meeting is below:

Class 5 Zoom Meeting

Time: Mar 4, 2021 02:15 PM

Meeting ID: 825 2525 1505

Passcode: 335283

As usual, this week's learning can all be found on Google Classroom (classroom.google.com). A learning timetable is attached to this email.

As always, in addition to the structured learning, there are lots of excellent resources that you and your children can access from home online and links to these are available at:

<https://www.st-eanswythes.kent.sch.uk/parents/home-learning/> Furthermore, there are lots of other things to help with general wellbeing at the following link as well as a weekly challenge from Miss Fakley for the children to enjoy.

<https://www.st-eanswythes.kent.sch.uk/parents/home-learning/year-1/#Wellbeing> Miss Fakley and Mrs A are also only a phone call away if you would like to talk to them.

I hope that you find the plans simple to follow and that the video introductions are useful. Please remind your child that they can contact me directly via the live chat on Google classroom at any time. If you need any further assistance, please be sure to email me and I will do my best to support you in any way I can. I look forward to seeing all the children back next Monday and wish you a very good final week of home learning.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Mr Brinkley