



SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday 28th January 2021

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School News

- All staff in school have received their Lateral Flow Testing kits this week and will be testing themselves twice a week going forward. This government initiative is to try to identify any staff who may be carrying Covid-19 but are asymptomatic in order to prevent the further spread of Covid-19. In the instance of a positive result, we will notify any families in school who may be affected via the T2P App and email; and those families will be asked to isolate in line with government guidelines. For those attending school, please check the T2P App and your emails before setting off each morning.
- Tomorrow, all staff will be undertaking the first part of the Microsoft Teams training with NYCC ICT Education Team in preparation for our planned daily 'check-in' live sessions. We do not have a rollout date for this yet but we will update you as soon as we are ready to go!
- We continue to receive many examples of excellent work on Class Dojo from those at home. Thank you for sending work in via the portfolios link. It's great to see everyone working hard and we know that parents and carers are giving a lot of their time to support their children's learning – you are all doing an amazing job!
- We hope that you have had chance to look at the NYCC Ultimate Warrior PE Challenge and you are having a go at the fun activities. There is plenty of time to work on a personal best!
- Teachers will be trying to give everyone working remotely at home another call on the telephone over the coming days.
- Hot lunches have resumed this week for those in school and the weekly menus will be sent to parents/carers as far in advance as we can.



Home Learning Resources

We just wanted to clarify how to access the **weekly home learning overview** (which sets out the week's work for each class and includes guidance for activities) which parents/carers/pupils should refer to each day to accompany the links posted on the class timetables on the home learning pages of the website. The **weekly home learning overview** is always posted in the **top left-hand grey box** of the timetable (as illustrated below). The intention of the timetable grid is just to streamline and simplify the daily resources as set out on the overview. Please understand that the resources, additional links and videos are uploaded regularly throughout each day so you may need to refresh the page. Where work is not quite uploaded in time, please be patient as we are doing everything we can to ensure work is available as soon as possible.

W/C 25th January 2021	Maths	Phonics	English	Foundation Subjects (Theme, Science, RE, Languages, PE, Art)	Assembly	Storytime
Weekly Update with Mrs Jordan Home Learning w/c 25th Jan 2021						
MONDAY	Maths – Dividing by 2 and halving – Year 2 Maths – Dividing by 2 and halving – year 1		Reading Comprehension – Monday – Pirates English – Improving a sentence	RE – The Good Samaritan Powerpoint RE – The Good Samaritan	Assembly – Solving Problems Well-being video – Feeding the Birds	

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Parent Pay

For those children in school in Years 3-6, lunches are being charged to Parent Pay in the usual way (unless you are entitled to free school meals) so please remember to keep your account in credit. Many thanks.



FOSS

We promised a little while ago to send you some photos of the winning Christmas Decorate-A-T-Shirt Competition entries. Well... wait no longer! Attached is a flyer with the entries for you to enjoy. Also attached is a reminder again about the affiliate schemes FOSS are registered with. Just to let you know that easyfundraising have a **Double Donation Week** where you can raise twice as much with a number of retailers without spending anything extra. The offer ends this Sunday 31 January and the retailer list can be found on the easyfundraising website.

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Young Minds Helpline

For any young people struggling with the impact of coronavirus or self- isolation, the Young Minds charity has a Parent Helpline open Mon - Fri 9am to 4pm 0808 802 5544.



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