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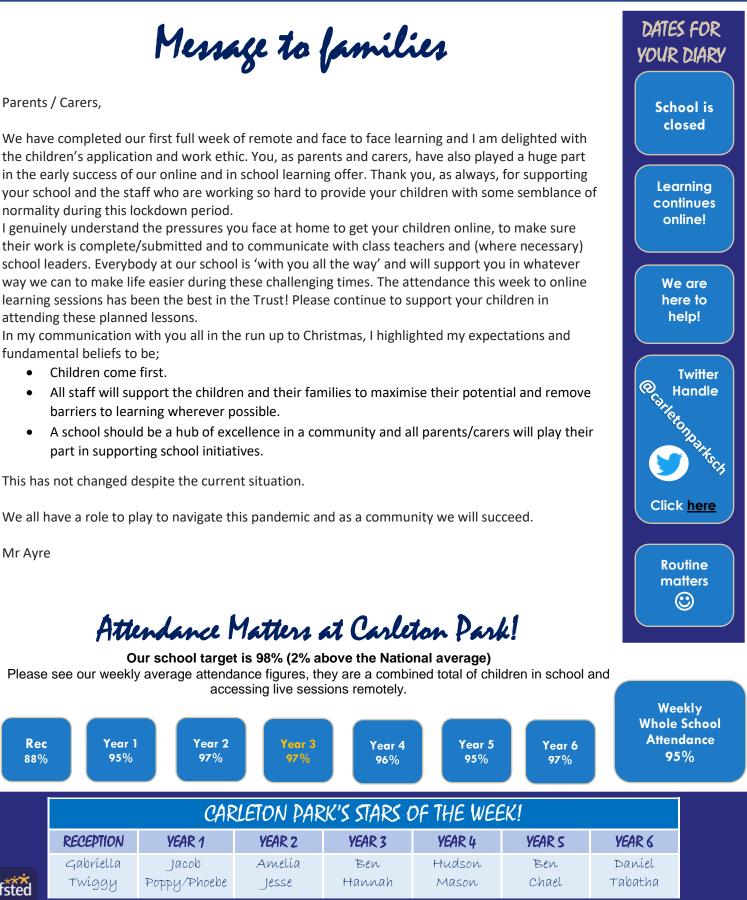
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Carleton Park J & I School WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Friday 15th January

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I have asked all staff to keep communicating with you and your children at home, to make sure that they are staying safe and accessing the work we have provided. In the current climate, being 'on line' at home is how we are registering children's daily attendance in the first instance. However, we fully understand that there may be times when this is not possible. If there are days where it is not possible to have your child/children online, please let the teachers or school leaders know. Children can still submit work via ClassDojo to show us they have engaged with the learning activities. Teachers are also keeping a record of work submission.

I am sure you understand that we have a statutory duty to educate your children; to make sure they are accessing learning and staying safe at home. I am also sure you are aware that the local authority is not fining parents for not attending remote learning sessions. I knew that was a question some of you had asked. Rest assured that is not going to happen, although that is no excuse for children not to be online 3.

School staff understand that these are unprecedented times and everyone is just trying their best to adapt. We will continue to tweak our learning offer, both in school and remotely, over the next few weeks to make life easier for you all. In the meantime, our staff will continue to communicate with you and please feel free to do the same with us. I have thoroughly enjoyed talking to parents/carers this week.

Remote Learning Summary Points

- Make sure your child/children are ready in good time for their lesson.
- Ensure the device your child uses to attend remotely is fully charged.
- You have the right links ready to click on or manually type into your browser.
- Contact the school if there are ANY problems relating to remote learning. The average resolution to remote learning issues when dealt directly with the school was less than 10 minutes.
- Please make sure your camera is switched on so that the teacher can identify who is attending the session.
- Please make sure your microphone is muted so that the teacher can communicate with the class clearly.



• All work completed is submitted onto ClassDojo for the teacher to mark and direct further learning.

If you continue to struggle to access the remote learning lessons, please do not hesitate to ring the school and we will be on hand to 'walk you through' the process and provide additional support if you need it.

You need to be reassured that school are here to help you wherever we can and not just in dealing with issues relating to remote learning. We have additional learning and support packages for families that may help them cope with the emotional and well-being aspects of being at home. Just contact the school on admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk if you wish to talk to someone.

Home Support and Homework

The learning journey of each child is more successful with a productive partnership between home and school. You can help by:

- Listening to your child read at least 4 times a week. Ask questions about what you have read together, can they retrieve and use information they have just read?
- Help them with their timetables and the fundamentals of adding, subtracting, diving and multiplying numbers.
- Ensure they complete their homework or spellings they may have to learn each week.
- Discuss what they are learning in school is there any way they can continue to learn topics at home in more depth?
- Communicating directly with their teachers via ClassDojo
- Requesting further support from the school via <u>admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk</u>

We appreciate all the support you can provide at home! All the above is not compulsory but advisory depending on your personal circumstances.

Free School Meals

The Trust has recognised that collecting hampers from school was not an ideal solution and have been reviewing alternative methods of providing food to children who are entitled to a free school meal. From next week you will be receiving a supermarket voucher, by email, to the value of £15 per child. You will be provided with a £30 supermarket voucher every 2 weeks for each child who is entitled to FSM. I sincerely hope this makes things easier for you in the forthcoming weeks.

The supermarkets where vouchers can be redeemed include;

- Aldi
- Asda
- Morrisons
- M&S
- Sainsburys
- Tesco
- Waitrose

You will receive a voucher code from <u>selectcode@select-your-reward.co.uk</u> by email. Should you experience any issues receiving the code please contact the school on <u>admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk</u>

Online Learning Week Commencing 18 January

The weekly timetable packs, with resources for learning activities, will be provided to you in the following manner;

- ClassDojo
- School Website
- BROMCOM

The links to the live learning lessons with class teachers will be provided to you via;

- ClassDojo
- BROMCOM

We will ensure once again that these are easy to access via 'single clicks links' or 'tinyurls' that can be typed into your browser search bar.

You can access the live learning sessions through all of the following devices;

- PC/standalone computer
- Laptop
- Mobile Phone
- Play Station
- X-Box
- Nintendo Switch
- iPad

If you are experiencing difficulties accessing live learning through your IT device, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the school. Some parents have indicated that using keyboards with games consoles has helped navigate learning packs more efficiently. If you would like to speak to the school about arranging for us to provide you with a keyboard, please get in touch on <u>admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk</u>

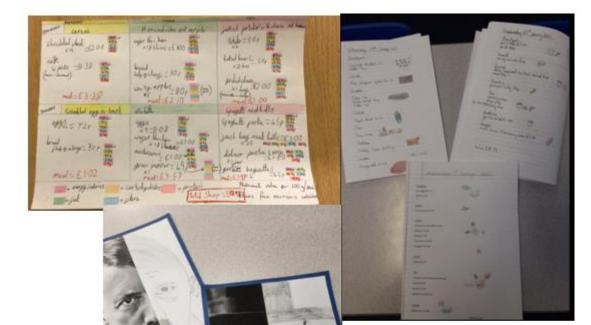
Over the course of next week, we will be sending you some more resources to support home learning. In the meantime, if you require any additional books, writing materials, pens, pencils etc. please feel free to contact the school office and we will arrange that for you. Finally, paper copies of the learning packs will be available from school reception for collection. We will text you all once these are ready.

Enjoy your weekend, stay safe with your families. Thank you for your continued support, I look forward to seeing you all soon!

Staying Safe and Well ...



Learning Gallery







The long green tube is the entrance/exit and it has a flap at the front to prevent draughts from getting in to the hut. I used brown and green for the hut to camouflage the hut so it looks like ordinary earth.





into the shelter I would bring :	
Pillows and blankets.	
food and water,	
a weapon,	
a lantern or candle,	
warm clothes,	
camping stove with pans and cutle	ery,

bucket (for toilet) and toilet paper.











