

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February

<https://carletonpark.patrust.org.uk/>

Parents / Carers,

## Children's Mental Health Week

This week we have celebrated Children's Mental Health Week through a variety of different tasks and activities. Our staff have worked tirelessly to provide extra videos and photos of themselves taking part in hobbies that support their own mental health and wellbeing. It has been fantastic to see so many of you get involved with this.



We tested which objects and materials were waterproof.

We tested which objects and materials floated. We wondered whether changing the shape, changed the result.



## Home Visits

Throughout the week myself and Miss Crowcroft have also been busy supporting our families by 'socially distanced' home visits. The purpose of the visits is to provide any extra support our families may need, this could be through providing additional resources, work packs or an encouraging message to any reluctant children. If you feel like you could do with this added support, please do not hesitate to contact the school, this could be a message to your child's class teacher on ClassDojo or via the admin email account: [admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk](mailto:admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk)

As always we will be here throughout the week should you need us for advice or support!

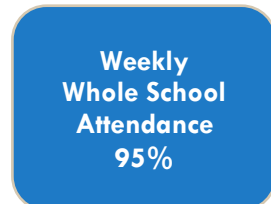
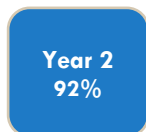
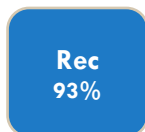
Finally, I would like to remind you of my ongoing message which is, you can only do your best! The support parents / carers have shown to date is truly remarkable and for this I applaud you.

Keep going everyone **#teamcarletonpark**

## Attendance Matters at Carleton Park!

Our school target is 98% (2% above the National average)

Please see our weekly average attendance figures, they are a combined total of children in school and accessing live sessions remotely.



## CARLETON PARK'S STARS OF THE WEEK!

RECEPTION	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
Daisy Rudie	Lucy Thomas S	Eddie Joel	Scarlett-Mae Ewan	Reggie Maria	James S Kallon	Broden Logan

### Key Messages

School is closed

Learning continues online!

We are here to help!

Twitter Handle  
[@carletonparksch](https://twitter.com/carletonparksch)



Routine matters 😊

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/>

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk>

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>

### **Books for Key Stage 2:**

[https://www.getepic.com/?utm\\_channel=search&gclid=CjwKCAiAo5qABhBdEiwAOtGmbnM5pcGoS\\_SAGbqwF\\_2qs-L3426y3viLv4Av7szldPgZ\\_VsTEpOhfBoCr0YQAvD\\_BwE](https://www.getepic.com/?utm_channel=search&gclid=CjwKCAiAo5qABhBdEiwAOtGmbnM5pcGoS_SAGbqwF_2qs-L3426y3viLv4Av7szldPgZ_VsTEpOhfBoCr0YQAvD_BwE) (sign-up for a 30-day free trial)

<https://wordsforlife.org.uk/virtual-school-library/>

<https://library.thenational.academy/>

### **Books suitable for both Key Stage 1 and 2:**

<https://www.bookspaceforschools.co.uk/lockdown-booklist-resource/>

(a ready to download booklist for KS1 and KS2 children, just enter your email address to download).

[https://readingeggs.co.uk/gaw/onlinereading/?gclid=CjwKCAiAo5qABhBdEiwAOtGmbhr0ugsS22yWr\\_Rxi1-wcDhPiFQH7JkS-0hxUBTtu8WLTjwT9arn9RoCwu8QAvD\\_BwE](https://readingeggs.co.uk/gaw/onlinereading/?gclid=CjwKCAiAo5qABhBdEiwAOtGmbhr0ugsS22yWr_Rxi1-wcDhPiFQH7JkS-0hxUBTtu8WLTjwT9arn9RoCwu8QAvD_BwE) (sign-up for a 30-day free trial).

### **Phonics**

For Reception and Year 1 parents, specific phonic resources and online videos / links will be sent to you directly on Class Dojo from your child's teacher. These resources will be based upon the phonics stage your child/children are currently working at. Please contact your child's class teacher directly if you have any questions with regards to this phonic support.

### **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 class Dojo 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](mailto: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, dividing 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 [admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk](mailto:admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk)

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 [selectcode@select-your-reward.co.uk](mailto:selectcode@select-your-reward.co.uk) by email. Should you experience any issues receiving the code please contact the school on [admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk](mailto:admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk)

### **Online Learning Week Commencing 1<sup>st</sup> February**

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 click links' or 'tiny URLs' 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
- PlayStation
- 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 [admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk](mailto:admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk)

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 are 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!  
**Mr J Ayre**

## Staying Safe and Well...


### Safety Card: TikTok

Formally known as Musical.ly & Live.ly, TikTok is a free social media platform used to create and share short videos. TikTok rules require the user to be 13 or older to use it and with parental consent if you're under 18. Users are able to create videos of themselves lip-syncing that can last up to 60 seconds. You are able to watch other user's streams & videos, you may be exposed to inappropriate content.

Stay safe on TikTok using the instructions on their Digital Wellbeing section, blocking & reporting below.


#### Digital Wellbeing

**Set up Restricted Mode, Screen Time Management & Family Safety Mode on your TikTok app.**

- ➔ Tap on  in the bottom right corner of the app.
- ➔ Tap on  & then select **Privacy & Safety**.
- ➔ Scroll down and tap on **Digital Wellbeing**.

#### Block

**Block a user using these simple instructions:**

- ➔ Go to the user you wish to report.
- ➔ Tap on .
- ➔ Tap on **Block** and then **confirm**.

#### Report

**Report a user using these simple instructions:**

- ➔ Go to the user you wish to report.
- ➔ Tap on .
- ➔ Tap on **Report**.
- ➔ Then select why you are reporting.
- ➔ Select the part of the users profile you want to report, provide some detail and click **submit**.

For more apps visit:  
[oursafetycentre.com](http://oursafetycentre.com)





# WF-I CAN



STAYING POSITIVE & WELL

WF-I-CAN is a place to find information and advice as well as self-help tips that can increase your confidence and resilience.

NEED A CHAT?

Our support workers are available on our 'Drop-in and Chat'. Please note this is not a counselling service. If you're in crisis and feel you cannot keep yourself safe, call **999**.

Our confidentiality statement means that what you tell us we will keep private, but sometimes if we are really worried that you or someone else is in danger or at risk of serious harm, we will need to tell someone who can help or keep you safe.



WWW.WF-I-CAN.CO.UK

Our Support Workers are available to chat

Monday - Friday 1-5pm and 7-9pm

