



26th June 2020

Glendale Update

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you are all well and have managed with the extreme heat this week. As you may well be aware the government have said that they expect schools to have bubbles of 30 children in September, so that all children will be back in school. We are certainly looking forward to welcoming back our current Year Reception and One children and welcoming our new Reception year. We are hopeful that we will get to say a proper goodbye and good luck to our Year 2 children at some point after the summer holiday.

We are now waiting for the government to provide us with their advice and guidance documents, which they have assured us, will be in schools next week. We will then be able to plan, prepare, and let you know the plans. It is likely that Year 1 and Year 2 will continue to be dropped off at an allocated gate, as the current 1 metre + guidelines will be in place from 4th July. I would like to remind parents who are waiting to drop off and collect that the social distancing is in place for everyone's safety. Some of you are very good at observing this. We do not yet know what will happen with Early Bird and After School club, if we have to keep, potentially 9 separate bubbles, but will try and be creative in our planning. We will go ahead with planning for the usual school events for the next academic year, but these might obviously need to be cancelled/postponed dependent on government rules in place at any time.

The summer term ends for the children on **Friday 17th July**. Staff will, no doubt, be in at various points over the summer break to prepare for September, but school will be closed to children for the whole of the summer break. We will let you know over the next couple of weeks the exact date that the children will return in September.

HOME LEARNING RESOURCES

The packs for Reception and Y1/Y2 are on the website.

Children>Home Learning

Picture News: This is available on our website, the theme is: Statues

We have the Year1/2 pack and Reception pack from this week, the theme is the same, the activities will be slightly different.

Children>Home Learning>Picture news

TALK FOR WRITING:

Please find the links to the fourth set of resources

RECEPTION : <https://www.talk4writing.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/R-Maxs-Jungle.pdf>

Year 1: <https://www.talk4writing.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Y1-Brian-Bear.pdf>

Year 2: <https://www.talk4writing.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Y2-Superheroes-1.pdf>

If you need any advice or support, please do feel free to phone or email and we will get back to you as quickly as we can.

Very best wishes,

Louise Hopkins