

Daily Messages Friday 15th May 2020

Good afternoon

Firstly, thank you to those Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 parents who we have spoken to today about returning to school on June 1st if the government plans go ahead.

We are very aware of how difficult these decisions are for you as parents, we face the same difficulties.

If the plans do go ahead, it is clear that Year 6 will be returning but we will have to look carefully at Year 1 and Reception as the number of definite yes responses is low and we cannot plan carefully for a low number and then lots of parents change their minds as June 1st approaches, or as we move forwards to July 4th (The government's next review date). Obviously, these are very new circumstances for us all but we will get through them together and I will keep you informed as we move forward.

I hope you will visit the website and look at our newsletter, there is some exciting news on there.

Have a great weekend everyone, take care and keep safe.

Mrs Blakeley

Hello Year 1 and Year 2,

How is it Friday already!! I am really looking forward to a weekend at home, it has been a very busy week at work but it has been so good to start sorting the Key Stage 1 classrooms and organising them so they are ready for when you return. What are your plans this weekend? I hope you have some exciting things to look forward to, I am looking forward to spending some time in the sun and I really fancy fish and chips again for my tea. Friday also means shopping day so I will have to do that tonight. Have you managed to complete some work today? Darcy has sent me lots of work which she has been completing and I must say, she has been very busy and her work is excellent!

It has been lovely to speak to some of the Year 1 parents this morning, you never know we might be back at school learning again very soon.

I'm afraid Year 2 you might have to wait a little longer but I am always here for a chat and will happily provide you some different activities if you need me to. We will all be back together again when it is safe!

Take care, keep smiling, keep making us proud and enjoy your weekend.

Miss Price x

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Hi children,

Well here we are, at the end of another week! You know what Friday's mean...spelling test. Have you been learning your spellings and getting someone to test you? If so, I would love to see your scores so please email me if you can to show me. Today I am having a walk along Skinningrove beach and I must say it is gorgeous down here and later I will do some jobs for school and might possibly have a bbq for tea. What have you all been up to this week?

See you soon,

Miss Kendall ekendall@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hi Year 4,

Today I have been for a lovely walk in the sun, which was a great start to my day. I can't wait for next week because Lacey emailed me today telling me it is going to be nice weather all week for Miss Price's birthday. It was lovely to see another child accepting my challenge and making a wonderful chocolate cake, it looks delicious Lacey and I wish I could have a piece. Have a wonderful weekend everyone and enjoy lots of sun but please remember to stay safe. I am really missing you all but I have thoroughly enjoyed seeing what some of you have been getting up to. You have still made me proud even when learning at home.

Mr Farrier

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Hello everyone, this week I went out in the car just for a drive, it was my first time out in 54 days and I can admit I was a bit scared but I had to do it. I saw Mrs Oakley and give her a wave which was nice. I hope you are all staying safe and enjoying whatever you have been doing. I have seen a few more children out walking and riding bikes. It is lovely when they stop for a chat.

Hope to see you all soon and everyone keep safe missing you, Miss Hood x

Hi Year 3,

I hope you have all had a lovely week and have managed to keep doing a little bit of work each day. We are supposed to have some more nice weather over the weekend so I am hoping to get in the garden and sort some of my plants out. Do you remember earlier in the year when we grew plants in the classroom? It seems a long time ago now but do you remember what they needed to grow and how they all grew differently? We looked at the parts of a flower too. You could look for flowers at home and see if you can remember the parts of them and what their function is. It would be lovely to see even more of the work you have been doing at home.

Enjoy the weekend,
Mrs Brodie

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Hi everyone! I hope you're all staying safe and enjoying spending time with your family. I've been trying to keep busy with lots of online training, helping the teacher's get resources ready for next year and completing some of those 5d diamond paintings. Have you seen them? They are brilliant for relaxing and taking your mind off things. So far I've done a unicorn, a puppy in a basket of roses and a family of sloths. I'm currently doing a space one and it's almost finished! I'm really excited to get back to school and see you all, hoping it won't be too much longer now. Stay safe 🙏 Mrs Treloar x

Hello Year 6

I hope that you are all well. So we come to the end of another school week and again the weekend is upon us. A weekend in which the sense of lockdown has drifted slightly and we can move further afield and explore places which may not be on our doorstep only. If any of you have chosen to drift further with your families, please keep yourselves safe and maintain that social distance.

Sometimes we forget these things when the flood gates open. I live opposite fields and these fields spread far. Considering that I live in Middlesbrough, I live right on the south of the town so as I stare out of my front room window, I have countryside only with the whole of the town behind me. I feel fortunate with regards this because at times like this, I have these fields that have accommodated my dog walks and family exercise for the last few weeks with us never needed to come into contact with anyone else or pass through any village or town. In that respect I don't feel that I have missed out and now the restrictions have been lifted slightly I don't feel I need to drift much further than where I am. Wherever you end up, please remember my concern is you so keep your distance and keep yourselves safe. But please, we have a bit more freedom now so ensure that you enjoy it.

Take care all of you. Mr Emmerson pemmerson@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hi all, I hope you're all keeping safe and keeping healthy. Hoping we start seeing you all again very soon!

Mr Cameron x

Hello Year 5,

Today I have been in school with the small number of children present and they've been getting up to some fun activities. Charlie has worked on a model of Hogwarts, Elise and Mary are building a castle out of Mrs Lister's blocks and Owen, Jasmin and I have been sketching. I received some lovely pictures from

Tyler today, showing me some of the awesome activities that he has been getting up at home, including baking, art and even learning to mow the lawn.

What kind of fun activities have you been getting up to today?

Stay safe,

Mr Bell

Hello to all the pupils of Handale

Hope you are all keeping well and are all busy. It's been a long time since we were all together here. I miss seeing your happy smiling faces. I have been keeping busy painting, gardening and packing my house up ready to move. I have been waiting for the country to begin to come out of lockdown so I could get a moving date. I think I now have a date to move which is the 29th May, so fingers crossed it happens.

Take care all of you and hope to see you all very soon.

Stay save and well,

Mrs Robinson

Hi Year 1's,

Another week over, which can only mean we are closer to getting our classroom family back together.

My son had his birthday this week, he had a good day even though he couldn't celebrate with family and friends. He had his favourite food and of course we still had a birthday cake with candles.

Hope you have had another good week with your families and managed to get some fresh air into your lungs.

☀️stay safe☀️

Mrs Darby

Hello Reception Children

Well another week over and I'm sure another week closer to getting back to school. This weekend take a break from your phonics and number work and instead do something a little bit different! How about asking someone at home if you can make some cakes? Crispies or cornflakes covered in melted chocolate are delicious! For the more adventurous of you maybe make some fairy cakes.

You could take a look on

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/collection/kids-baking> some lovely simple recipes for you to try. I haven't got any self-raising flour at home so I am going to search the internet for something different! I will let you know on Monday what I decide to bake.

If you don't want to bake anything this weekend how about making something out of your recycling at home? Why don't you make a rocket or bus or train or car in fact anything that Cheeky Monkey and the toys could enjoy playing with when we get back to school! Whatever you do this weekend try to be the best you can and smile just for me.

Take care of yourself and keep safe

With Love

Mrs Skirving xx

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Hello everyone,

This week has been another week of finishing my Uni work so that has meant a lot of time working on my laptop. Although I have been doing some work at school getting it ready for when we can be back together. Today is a lovely, warm sunny day so I'm going to take my little dog Betty on a nice walk through the fields near my house,

See you all soon, love Miss Alderson.



Hello Nursery Children,

Well an exciting thing happened last night! We went outdoors onto Mrs Lister's step to do our clap for all the doctors and nurses who look after us. We clapped until our paws were tingling! After the clapping had finished the most beautiful rainbow appeared in the sky. We sat on Mrs Lister's garden wall so we could see how fabulous it was. If we had been at nursery we could have put the rainbow picture on our weather chart - that is nursery favourite isn't it?

Love from

Morning Floppy and Afternoon Floppy xx

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Hello reception children, this week I have been into school on Tuesday. We made mini pizzas and had a fish flapping race it was lots of fun. Have you been baking or cooking? If not maybe you could try and help cook tea or bake with your family. At home I have been keeping busy with my university work and I have been watching Disney films with my family. My favourite is Lion King, what's your favourite film? Maybe you could draw a picture from your favourite film and write why you like it. I have spoken to all the teddies and George said hello to you all and to say that he misses you all.

Miss you all and can't wait to see you.

Love Miss. Barwick and all the teddies x

Hello everyone, hope you're all okay!

This week I have done some university work, been on some long walks and also spent some time watching Netflix! I was in school on Wednesday doing some jobs for Mrs Blakeley and Mrs Lister; it is still so quiet without you all. It is Aaron's birthday on Saturday so I have baked him a rainbow cake and I am going to put up lots of banners and balloons to make it special.

Hope you're all keeping busy!

Love Miss Sweeney xxx

Hello Pre Nursery!

Hope you are all ok and are keeping busy at home?

I have been enjoying going for some lovely walks this week. One of my favourite walks was Loftus woods -I haven't been there for a very long time so it was like an adventure because I couldn't remember where to go - it was a very long walk and my legs were tired but I really enjoyed it! I hope you have enjoyed some walks too!

Missing you all lots!

Love from Mrs Dean xx



Hello nursery and pre nursery. I hope that you are all well and staying safe. I have had a quiet week at home with Chester and Ollie. They have enjoyed playing in a box that I got a delivery in! Here is a picture of Chester in the box. I miss you all. Love Miss Reid x

Hi Pre-nursery, hope you are all well. The sun has been really shining this week so me, Karl and Tom had a lovely barbecue. We enjoyed our burgers the best! Have you had a barbecue, what's your favourite food to eat? Karl found a paddling pool in the back of the shed, our dog Gizmo had great fun splashing in the water. Have you got a paddling pool, if not even a bowl with some water in with jugs and bowls can be great fun to play with outside. I hope we are soon back at pre-nursery as I really miss you all.

Love Mrs Mallaby x