Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 6 are currently on their way to Norfolk for their residential. I am sure they will have a fantastic time exploring all the activities on offer; photos and updates will be posted on our secure Twitter feed. As the class departed, they were feeling very fortunate to have the opportunity to go.

By now you will have received our latest 'road map' explaining events until the end of term. We have tried to mitigate the restrictions, and enforced cancellations, by filming to record events whenever possible. The children have received the news of cancellations with great resilience, we are extremely proud of their growth mindset attitudes.

Mrs Wilde

Y5 and 6 Cricket

Unfortunately, this has now been cancelled.

Online Safety

A quick reminder that we recommend your children are supervised whilst using the internet. The content available online is sometimes shocking and reaches our children through seemingly innocent ways. The age recommendation for TikTok, Instagram and What's App is 13+ Whilst we teach children about their safety online all the time, reinforcement from home is key. Training for parents from the NSPCC comes highly recommended: https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/. Thank you for your emails in support of the message sent out earlier this week about access to TikTok.

Staffing from September

Mrs Wilde will be on secondment at Brill School as Acting Headteacher from September. This arrangement is initially for two terms, whilst their Headteacher is on maternity leave. We will be internally restructuring to cover her, further details to follow.

NSPCC work

As mentioned in last week's email, all children will be doing work on Keeping Safe, I would like to recommend the parents section on our Safeguarding page:

https://www.cuddingtonanddintonschool.co.uk/safeguarding/

In all classes we will be using the correct biological terms for genitals. This is part of our PHSE policy, agreed by staff and Governors.

Activities Roadmap

All of you should have received a letter about our plan for parental attendance at activities in school. There is a copy of it on the website, if you have missed it. Can we please reminder you that we still need to be aware of social distancing and must continue to wear face masks at the school gate.

Water Bottles

There are still Junior children who are coming to school without water bottles. Please ensure your child has a bottle every day in school.

Important Dates

- Chiltern Open Air Museum (Year 3&4) 22nd June
- Drumming performance at juniors 23rd June
- Moving up day F, Years1,2,3,4,5 6th July (am)
- Parents evening zoom sessions 7th & 8th July
- Junior sports day Y3&4 14th July (am)
- Junior sports day Y5&6 15th July (am)
- Y6 Leavers assembly 16th July (am)
- Keyboard performance 19th July

Stars of the Week

Little Owls: Thalia and Jaden

Y1: Darcey P and Ava Y2: Josh and Oscar Y3: Lana and Holly Y4: Cooper and Harry Y5: Blake and Emma

Science Stars

Y1: Ava Y2: Ben

Leaf of Respect

Y3: Everyone!

Y4: Genevieve, Rosie and Annabelle

Y5: Ross