

Dear parents and carers,

We hope that you and your child have been able to speak to a member of the team over the past few days to discuss the Spring Term Report and your child's learning at home. Whilst we're missing seeing everyone, we're thankful that we are able to connect with families over the phone and by email. We'd love you to share examples of work or pictures of home learning with us by emailing in the usual way. (You can't reply to ScholarPack messages).

## **Easter Holidays**

The school will be operating a reduced service every day over the Easter period, so if you need to get in touch, a member of the team will be able to help you. Teachers will be back in contact the week beginning **20**<sup>th</sup> **April**. Whilst we won't be sending specific work home for the Easter period, there is a wealth of high-quality learning material available. I thoroughly recommend <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary</a> for a great range of clips, links and activities for any aspect of the primary curriculum.

## **Easter Activity**

This weekend is Palm Sunday and <u>this pack</u> gives families something to discuss, reflect on and pray about each day of Holy Week as we approach Easter next weekend.

## **Keeping Active**

The team at Think Active have pulled together a range of sources for home exercise #stayinworkout

## **Entertainment**

There are so many examples of creative ways to have fun and stay connected during this time; you could consider setting up or joining a *family quiz* at home or with relatives via video link with questions for grown-ups and children.

Take a <u>virtual ride</u> on attractions at Disney World.

Listen to a *great book* being read online or in audiobook format (many available free of charge.) David Walliams is reading a book every day at 11am on his 'Elevenses' Youtube channel.

Art Club with Noel Fielding is a great weekend activity.

I hope your family are able to enjoy the Easter period in spite of the change in circumstances we are all experiencing. I am constantly encouraged by the many examples of compassion, service, appreciation and love for each other that are abounding at the moment and I am delighted that we can play our part as a school community.

A huge thank you from us to you all.

Yours sincerely

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