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Remote Learning

Dear Parents and Carers



emailed to parents and carers

Headteacher's awards for excellent effort and commitment to learning this week go to: *William, Ella, Myla, Maddison, Darcie and Elkie*

We hope you all have an enjoyable and restful half term at home with your families. For those of you who have kept up well with your virtual learning this will enable you to have a real break of curriculum. Equally for those who have gaps in their learning, this is an opportunity to catch up to ensure your child is at the same starting point as their peers for the beginning of Spring Term 2. The Government expectation following the introduction of remote learning on Google classrooms, is that work will always be set when the school is closed regardless of reason. We would not want any child to miss out on experiencing seasonal weather such as snow, but families should be aware that learning was scheduled online for Monday and Tuesday and this is sequential in nature. Children who did not complete their learning on Monday and Tuesday will be disadvantaged in subsequent lessons as a degree of competence is assumed. Class teachers will always ensure that there is a mix between core learning and wider experiences and, as a Church of England school, it is fitting to spend some time experiencing awe and wonder of the natural world.

Covid-19 notification of a positive test result - Please note that it is essential that the school is notified by email (<u>admin@cavendish.suffolk.sch.uk</u>) if you or a member of your family receives a positive test result during half term. This is in addition to following government expectations for isolation and social distancing.

World Book Day – Thursday 4th March We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday, 4th March both in school and at home. Our theme this year will be 'Family Favourites'. We would very much like to see how you share reading at home. This may be as a photograph, book review, audio/visual recording, picture or just a posted recommendation in your class chat. There will still be prizes for best costumes and grown-ups who are supporting learning at home are welcome to join in if they wish to share in their family favourite. Children who attend school on this day should come to school in their World Book Day costume (please make sure you have warm enough clothes for play and lunchtime and for the well- ventilated classroom!). On this occasion children should not bring their book in to school but should be able to share reasons for their choice with their class teacher. This year the World Book Day tokens will be issued digitally to enable every child to have access to the specially produced books released to support World Book Day. Further details will follow after half term. A poster is attached.



Challenge, Creativity, Compassion: Create a pure heart in me – Psalm 51:10

World Maths Day – Wednesday 3rd March We would also like to promote our World Maths Day Hat Competition and are giving children and families advanced notice of this so that they have time over half term to plan their creative ideas. The attached poster has some suggestions to get you started.

We look forward to welcoming Key Worker and Identifed Children back at school on Monday, 22nd February 2021.

Kind regards Cheryl Wass Headteacher



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