Water Primary School

Happiness, Health & Opportunity

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

It has been such a delight to have the children back in school these last two weeks. Thank you for all your support and positive comments.

I know that a return to school will require time and space to adjust and we will work together so that they can all get back into the rhythm of school. We want them all to feel happy, confident safe.

Please do get in touch with me if you have any concerns or if you require any help and support. I will always help where I can. I appreciate times are difficult, both financially and emotionally. I am here for you all. Please remember school can help with any school or PE uniform purchases, if required. Similarly, if you need any help, advice or support then please just ask even if it is for a virtual cuppa. My email address is <u>head@water.lancs.sch.uk</u> I am proud of how our school community has grown stronger through this pandemic and I feel schools should be at the very heart of their communities, supporting and connecting to all.

Easter Virtual Holiday Camp

Parents can register for a free Easter Holiday Virtual Camp please see details here <u>https://discovercamp.youthaction.org.uk/</u> Once registered FSM children can receive a free digital activity pack and please enquire within school for these and then we can hand over to parents.

Secondment

I am currently involved in leading a very exciting project with Dr Emma Gladwinfield, Rossendale Leisure Trust and Active Lancashire. The purpose of the project is to connect all local schools in Rossendale in order to create a network of physically active schools, which puts happiness and health at the very heart of their school curriculum and communities. Unfortunately, this will mean I am away from Water one day per week, however Miss McKay and Mrs Edington will be on hand to lead and manage the school in my absence. I am always available on email, a response or reply may be delayed depending upon commitments. This is a wonderful opportunity to spread the Water joy and ethos to more schools, communities and pupils. I will keep you all updated on our progress.

Red Nose Day

Thank you to everyone who took part in non-uniform day for Red Nose Day. We have raised £85 so far.







After School Club and Breakfast Club

Please can I ask that all parents book onto ASC and Breakfast Club. This can be done through ParentPay, alternatively if you are struggling for any reason, then please ring the school office. We are having a number of children who are just turning up to ASC, due to the current circumstances regarding staffing and risk assessments, we can't allow this to happen. Therefore, I am afraid if your child is not booked on we will need to ring you and ask you to collect your children. I do hope you understand the need for this.

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mr Willan Headteacher



