



Tilston Parochial
CE Primary School

Bringing out the Best in Everyone.
'Encourage one another and build each other up.' Thessalonians 5:11

Date: 12th March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Back to School

Thank you for all your support this week and for the fabulous team effort at drop off and collection times; the new system seems to be working well and there has been a significant reduction in the number of adults on the yard. Please continue to work with us and drop off and collect according to the first initial of your surname.

	Drop Off	Collect
A-J	8:40-8:50am	3:00-3:10pm
K-Z	8:55am-9:05am	3:15-3:25pm

Please do not arrive early or late or we will ask you to wait in your car to avoid mixing with other households.

It has been an incredible week and we are delighted to have all children back in school. Our school is full of happy, laughing children who have settled back in very quickly and are thoroughly enjoying being back in class with their friends and teachers. It is more important than ever that we continue to follow the lockdown rules and hope more restrictions will be lifted in the coming weeks.

Lateral Flow Rapid Testing

Households, support and childcare bubbles, of children at nursery, primary and secondary schools and colleges, can now get regular rapid COVID19 testing. Please follow the link for further information on our school website: <http://www.tilston.cheshire.sch.uk/page/asymptomatic-testing/99839>

Staff have been doing this for some time now, testing ourselves every Monday and Thursday morning before school, in order to offer the greatest protection we can for our children and for each other. I think it would be really good if all of our families would do this too. It is very simple to do and is a great way to look after one another.

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If a member of staff or child displays Covid symptoms, they still need to self-isolate immediately and book a PCR test. Lateral flow tests are not to be used when a person displays symptoms.

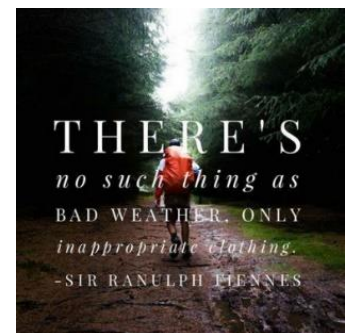
Symptoms

Public Health England have provided a list of additional Covid symptoms in children. If your child displays any of the symptoms on the list below, you must book a PCR test immediately and your child must stay at home.

- Shortness of breath
- Muscle or body aches
- Fatigue
- Sore throat
- Headache
- Nasal congestion or runny nose
- Diarrhoea
- Nausea or vomiting

Outdoor Exploring

Polite reminder that all children need to come dressed appropriately for PE and outdoor exploring sessions please. We go outside in all weathers so please provide a full set of waterproofs.



Lunch Menu for week beginning 15th March 2021	
Monday	Burger* in a bun with wedges and baked beans or veg or filled jacket potato with salad. Sponge & custard
Tuesday	Pasta Bolognese* with garlic bread and veg or deli option with salad. Cheese & crackers
Wednesday	Roast chicken* dinner or filled jacket potato with salad. Sponge cake
Thursday	Chicken* curry with rice and veg or deli option with salad. Fresh fruit platter
Friday	Fish & chips with peas or beans or filled jacket potato with salad. Biscuit and fruit wedge

*Vegetarian option available. Fresh fruit and yoghurt available daily.

Celebration Assembly

Our personal development goal this week is **don't give up**. Well done to the following children for showing perseverance this week.

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Stars of the Week



R	Julian: not giving up when things get tough.
Y1	Harry J: keeping going when writing his BEWARE poster.
Y2	Phoebe: always striving to improve her work.
Y3	Alfie: to keep trying when things are tricky in maths
Y4	Will C: always giving his best and not giving up when things get challenging.
Y5	Karl: working hard all week and never giving up.
Y6	Charlotte: never giving up with her maths work.



Improved Handwriting Award

Reception	Oliver W
Year 1	Felix
Year 2	Nell
Year 3	Harriet
Year 4	Alexander
Year 5	Dylan
Year 6	Ronan



Let's Go Green for Clatterbridge Cancer Charity.

We are delighted so many families are embarking on our Let's Go Green for Clatterbridge Challenge and covering the 31 miles in very creative ways! We have raised £174.00 so far. Please help us to reach our £250.00 target by joining us and completing 31 miles by the end of March.

To donate, please follow the link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/tilstonprimaryschool>

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Red Nose Day

Red Nose Day is back on Friday 19th March 2021. We are asking all children to donate £1 and wear something red.



Easter

We are busy planning for our Easter Service which will run in the same format as our Christmas services. Our service will be pre-recorded and shared via Zoom on Thursday 1st April at 2pm. A Zoom link will be emailed to all parents and please feel free to share with grandparents and family members. Please do not share the link on social media for safeguarding reasons. To enable us to start on time, please set your Zoom account so it displays your name. Please pass on the names of family members joining the service so we can create a register.

The staff and TSA have donated Easter eggs for an Easter Raffle- a way of giving something back and saying thank you for your continued support. The Easter Raffle will be drawn prior to the Easter Service at 1:30pm, using the same Zoom link. We are asking all children to wear non-uniform on Thursday 1st April and donate £1 for a chance to win an Easter egg or the Easter hamper. For an 'egg-xtra' chance to win, please bring in an additional £1 per raffle ticket.



Prayer of the week: Olivia Higazi

Dear God,

Thank you for the opportunity that means we can go back to school and continue our learning,

Thank you for our teachers all around the world who have made so many new ways so we can learn and have worked so hard so we can be in school again,

Thank you for our parents who support us in everything we do and although may be missing us will now be enjoying a nice cup of tea in peace,

Thank you for our friends who make us laugh and smile and in my case chat,

Thank you for all these people and lots more who have supported us in everything we do from riding a bike to learning online,

Thank you everyone who has helped us get through these hard but enjoyable times,

Amen.

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It's been a busy and exciting week and we couldn't be happier having our wonderful Tilston family back together. Wishing you all a great weekend.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "K Mort". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted.

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