



# Tull-egraph

Term 2 Week 1

November 2020

Dear Parents, Carers and friends of Mundella,

Another month, another Lockdown; but what does it mean for us?

Essentially nothing much will change. I am really proud of the way in which pupils, parents and staff have responded to the routines and regulations that we have needed to put in place. I was particularly pleased to see so many of you attend parent consultation evenings; braving the cold and the dark, and taking the opportunity to meet with teachers, three of whom are new to the school.

We are being vigilant and making sure that hygiene, movement and grouping procedures are adhered to in order to keep pupils and staff safe. You can continue to support this by wearing masks when you come in to school; as well as queuing outside, only one visitor on site and not sending or allowing items to come in to school from home.

Although there will always be an additional risk outside of your own home, I am confident that we minimise the chances of transmission. Furthermore, learning time lost from school is hard; if not impossible, to regain.

The next month or so is going to be tricky for all of us. If you are struggling and need any help please speak to a member of the school team. Help us to help you.

Mr Westmorland

### Birthday Parties

Many children are unable to celebrate their birthdays with the pandemic situation so we have decided to have a classroom party each term. The first party will be on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November for all the children who have had a birthday between **September 1st and 13th November**. Birthday children will be able to wear their own clothes on 13/11 and they will each get a cupcake. There will be party games for all children to take part in. You will be informed of the next Birthday Party date as this will continue throughout the year so that all children get a chance to celebrate their birthday.

### Year 5 Swimming

Year 5 swimming lessons have had to be cancelled due to the new lockdown. The lessons may start in Term 3 instead, all payments so far have been added as a credit.

### Poppies

A reminder that poppy merchandise will be available in the playground at school pick up time in exchange for a small donation.

## DIARY

### November

**09.11.20** School Photos

**13.11.20** Birthday Party

### December

**11.12.20** Birthday Party for children who have their birthday in Term 2.

**14.12.20** Infant Production

**16.12.20** Christmas Service

**16.12.20 and 17.12.20** Christmas Jumper and Dinner day (split into 2 groups over 2 days)

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Term 2 ends on the **18<sup>th</sup> December** for the Christmas break. We return to school on the **4<sup>th</sup> January**.

### Class Attendance for the Week Ending – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November

#### 95% or More

Rauf 97.5%  
Donaldson 96.3%  
Zephaniah 96.7%

#### 90%-94.9%

Fletcher 90%  
Potter 91.4%  
Shepherd 93.2%  
Morpurgo 93.1%

#### Below 90%

## School Photos

Kittle will be coming into school on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> November to take individual photos whilst maintaining social distancing. They will not be taking any sibling photos this year due to the current situation. On Monday your child will receive a slip of paper in the morning with a code that will be scanned by the photographer. This will then be brought home for you to scan which will take you to a pop up link to view your child's photograph.



## Writers of the Week

Year R - Fleur

Year 1 - Amy

Year 2 - Kaitlynn

Year 3 - Baiker

Year 4 - Ian

Year 5 - Rylee

Year 6 - Lily



## Stars of the Week



### Phase 1

### Phase 2

### Phase 3



Year R - Thea



Year 2 - Holly



Year 5 - Brooke



Year 1 - Juliet



Year 3 - Lacey-Mae



Year 6 - Ashton



Year 4 - Kamille

