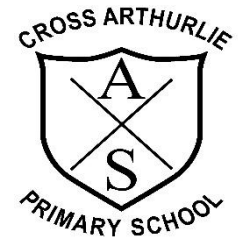


Cross Arthurlie Primary School

Head Teacher's Report

Tuesday 1st February



Staffing

Miss Victoria Carroll has joined the staff team as a temporary teacher. She is working in Primary 2.

We are still awaiting 18 additional PSA hours. Nursery staff are continuing to work in alternative establishments and we have recently appointed Karen Love as a Senior CDO.

Nursery Build

The nursery building is almost complete however given the current national lockdown it isn't open for staff or families yet.

School Closure and Parental Feedback on Remote Learning

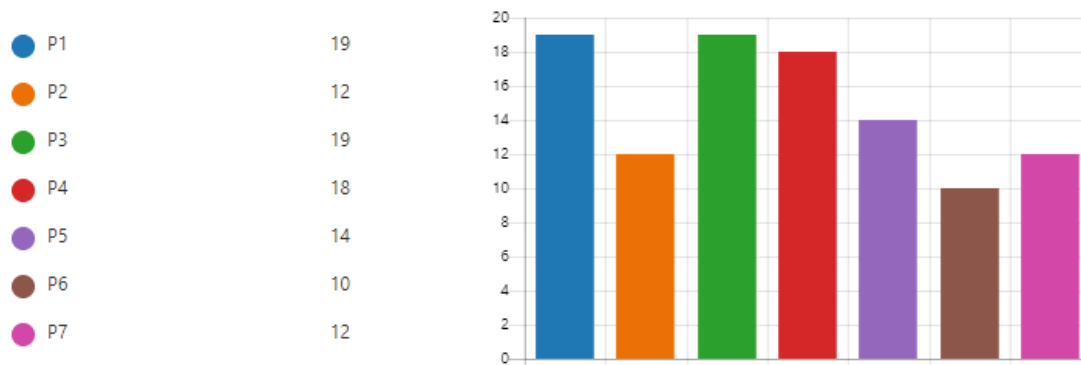
In line with guidelines Cross Arthurlie is currently closed to almost all children. From the 5th January staff organised remote learning packs and have been delivering on-line learning for most children since then.

Letters were issued to parents outlining the format the remote learning would take with a subsequent policy being issued.

At the end of the first two weeks of full remote learning a questionnaire was issued to parents around how they were finding remote learning. A total of 104 returns were received, which is more than any other survey we have issued.

2. What stage is your child in?

[More Details](#)



3. Please tell us about the amount of work being posted?

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[Insights](#)

- I would like more work for my ... 5
- It is the right amount of work 94
- It is too much work for my chil... 5



4. Does your child find the work

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- Too hard 5
- Just right 92
- Too easy 7



5. Do we have the right balance of activities?

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- More maths work 1
- More literacy work 1
- More health and wellbeing wo... 4
- More of other subject areas 12
- Just right 87



6. Does your child find the daily Google Meets helpful?

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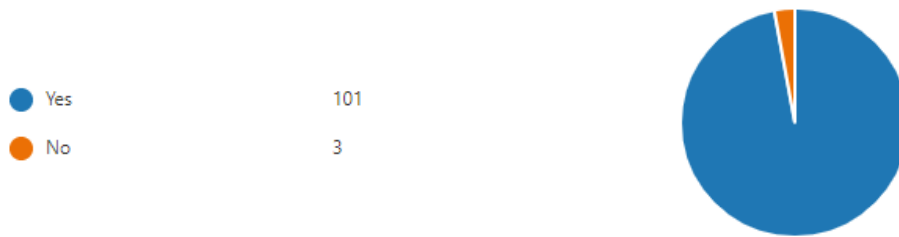
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- Yes 94
- No 4
- Don't know 6
- N/A 0



7. Have you used the Home Learning Packs?

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The Google Meets have been very successful and staff and children are getting used to the routine of these. The comments received were very positive with families recognising the work that staff are undertaking to ensure that children are as well supported as possible during these difficult times. As a result of the questionnaire all work for children is posted the night before on their Google Classroom. Members of the SMT are catching up with individual parents to offer support or clarify issues as they arise.

All staff are part of 'bubbles' and work across stages either in school or on-line. It is really important that we ensure the number of people in the building is minimised. There are currently 56 children attending school who are either classed as vulnerable or whose parents are Key Workers, not working from home, and have no alternative childcare. Most of the children attending school do so on a part time basis. 56 is approximately 18% of the school roll which is higher than the ERC average of 10%.

Fiona MacDonald

Head Teacher

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