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20th March 2020

Dear pupils, staff, parents, carers and our school community,

It has been a challenging few weeks at Kirkhill with so much uncertainty and many changes to school life as we know it. Everyone in our school community has been working hard to make sure that our pupils are safe, happy, secure and they have always remained at the centre of everything we do. We have been overwhelmed with the support from our families within Kirkhill; we are so lucky to have such a unique and supportive school community that join us in wanting the very best for our pupils and our school. It has been lovely seeing different acts of kindness being shared on our twitter page and examples of our pupils supporting our local community and I look forward to seeing more of this in the coming weeks.

The staff within the school have shown great team work and support and have rallied together to ensure that we could continue to provide the best opportunities for our pupils and I would like to thank them for all their positive contributions towards the school. Our Janitors, Cleaners, Teachers, Pupil Support Assistants, Catering Team, Office and Leadership Team have all gone above and beyond throughout the past few weeks!

I know that the next few weeks will be an anxious time for us all but I want you to remember that we will always be here to support in any way we can and we will be thinking of our families and our school community during this challenging period.

We will continue to update you with our Friday bundle, newsletters, through twitter and on our blogs. Please continue to share your achievements, learning and what you have been up to in our school community through twitter and do not hesitate to get in touch with any queries.

I recently attended a leadership training and during this a poem was shared with us all that really struck a chord with me. I was hoping to share it with our school community at our services at Easter this year but unfortunately with things the way they are I won't be able to do that. I have attached the poem for you to share with your families and look forward to sharing it with the pupils properly when we return to school.

Thank you for your continued support of the school especially through the past few weeks – we are so lucky to be part of such an amazing school community!

Take care of yourselves and your families and I look forward to welcoming you back to Kirkhill in the not so distant future.

Kind Regards

Liz Edmonstone

Head Teacher

#PROUD Perseverance Resilience and Respect Optimism Unity Diversity



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PEOPLE ARE OFTEN UNREASONABLE AND SELF-CENTERED.
forgive them anyway.

IF YOU ARE KIND, PEOPLE MAY ACCUSE YOU OF SELFISH MOTIVES.
be kind anyway.

IF YOU ARE HONEST, PEOPLE MAY CHEAT YOU.
be honest anyway.

IF YOU FIND HAPPINESS, PEOPLE MAY BE JEALOUS.
be happy anyway.

THE GOOD YOU DO TODAY MAY BE FORGOTTEN TOMORROW.
do good anyway.

GIVE THE WORLD THE BEST YOU HAVE AND IT MAY NEVER BE ENOUGH.
give your best anyway.

FOR YOU SEE, IN THE END, IT IS BETWEEN YOU + GOD.
it was never between you and them anyway.