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Dear Parents / Carers,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our parents / carers for the support you have given your child/children in accessing online learning. The engagement of pupils throughout P4-P7 has been fabulous. The children continue to rise to the challenges presented by learning in this way.



Eastfield Virtual Assembly

Virtual Assembly

On Friday 26th February at 10am we had our first virtual assembly. We have created a new Team for this and the code has been issued to parents/carers and children to be able to join. We had a really good turn out of children join for the assembly and we would encourage many more if possible. If it is not possible to join live at 10am on Friday mornings we will always post the power-point in this Team so that everyone can see it. Just remember to use the code to join this Team.

Return to School Information

Following the First Minister's announcement on Tuesday 2nd February 2021, our nursery - primary 3 children have returned to school. All the boys and girls have settled in really well back to school and have made great progress in their learning during lockdown.



The Scottish Government announced on the 2nd March 2021 that P4-P7 will return to school on the 15th March 2021. We are delighted to hear this news and can't wait to have all the children back in the school building. The staggered starts will remain and the one way system around the school is still in place, as it was before Christmas.



Parking

Please be mindful that cars are not allowed to use the staff car park to collect or drop off your children.



Eastfield Escapades

We have recently introduced Eastfield Escapades on a Friday. This is to encourage children away from the screen and to have some fun doing. Each week the activity will be revealed on a Friday morning at the virtual assembly. We are asking the children to send in some of the work they have created or pictures of the activities to help us make an Eastfield Escapades Lockdown Gallery so that we can showcase some of the things the children have done during lockdown as it is now part of their school journey. If children could post anything for the assembly or Eastfield Escapades on the virtual assembly page and if parents have Twitter they could Tweet the image and tag the school in it.

Parent Council

The Parent Council have organised a virtual quiz night for the Eastfield Community to boost spirits during these times. A flyer advertising this event has also been sent out. This will be held on Friday 26th March 2021 at 7:30pm. If you are interested in joining please contact a member of the Parent Council for further details or see their Twitter page @EastfieldPC



April Holidays

Thursday 1st April 2021 - Children finish for Spring break today

Friday 2nd April 2021 - School closed & Good Friday

Sunday 4th April 2021 - Easter Sunday

Monday 5th April 2021 - Easter Monday

Monday 19th April 2021 - All children return to school





If you have an enquiry about your child's learning please contact the school at enquiries@eastfield.n-lanark.sch.uk or call 01236 632106 and we will be happy to help.



Please do not ask direct questions of staff on the Teams posts as this is a child forum. The online platform should be a place for children only, but we do understand our younger pupils need support with reading posts and uploading work. We will continue to use class Teams to set and return

homework.

We hope that the children enjoy their Spring break and that our Eastfield community stays safe.



Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs McPhee and Mrs Bradshaw



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