



Dear parents and carers, boys and girls,

I hope that all of you are keeping safe and well and that you enjoyed the spring fortnight. It has been a very strange few weeks but I have enjoyed time with the family, managing a few "movie nights" when we could agree on what to watch, and trying to keep the peace in the debate over doing the dishes!

It feels strange to be thinking about "back to school" when we will not actually be seeing each other in Rigside but I know I speak on behalf of all the staff when I say we are looking forward to being back in touch. Teachers have prepared a new "Learning Pack" with suggested activities for children to try at home for each of the stages. This will be available on your child's Google Classroom. This learning pack is intended for use over a number of weeks, and we would encourage adults and children to continue to come up with your own ways to learn at home. This could include cooking, gardening, or the many other creative activities you might already enjoy as a hobby. The activities we have provided are a suggestion and are aimed at supporting you at home.

Please remember there is a dedicated email that can be used to contact us at any time. If you have not yet accessed Google Classroom and require support to do this, get in touch. Please use this if you have any queries and/or comments and one of the team will get back to you. The email is: emergencyclosurerps@glow.sch.uk

Finally, please look after yourselves and stay safe. I intend to give each of you a call at some point this week, just for a quick catch up. The Rigside Team are missing all of you and looking forward to the days to come when we return to normality.

Kind regards,

Mrs Mechan

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