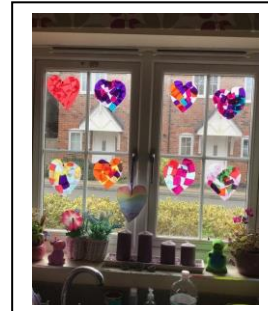




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Dear Parents / Carers



We have come to the end of the first 6 weeks of this lockdown and I am sure we shall all be grateful for a break next week – for all our children, home learning supporting parents and teachers. I hope that you all have a lovely week, even though we cannot do all the things we normally do, but it will be nice to have more time to get outside and take a break from those screens! Let's hope for some nice weather. After my snow failure, I should not make any predictions!

Home and in school learning will resume on Monday 22nd February. The home learning for the first week will be uploaded to Padlet on 19th February.

Drop off and collection of children

This week there have been a number of occasions when parents have arrived to drop off or collect children at the wrong times. Please arrive at the correct time to support the protection of our bubbles:

Reception	9.10 am	3.00pm
Year 1	8.40am	3.10pm
Year 2	8.50am	3.20pm
Year 3	9.00am	3.30pm
Year 4	8.40am	3.10pm
Year 5	8.50am	3.20pm
Year 6	9.00am	3.30pm

In memory of Captain Tom

The Smith family are undertaking a challenge in memory of Captain Tom by doing something 100 times – and the something is walking round the block 100 times which will mean 60 miles of walking. If you would like to support them, please go to <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/100lapsbytheSmiths> All the money they will raise will go to the BPSCA!

West Sussex Educational Psychology Service

West Sussex Educational Psychology Service is offering the opportunity for parents to speak with an Educational Psychologist about their child. Educational Psychologists are professionals concerned with the development, learning and social and emotional wellbeing of children and young people. Calls can be requested where there is a question or concern about learning or behaviour as well as worries about wellbeing and emotions. Please follow the link below for more information



Yours sincerely,



Helen Williamson
Headteacher

Letters Home This Week

Year 6 – Blackland Farm Letter
All – Sussex Police Letter

Dates for Diary

Spring Term -	Monday 4 th January 2021 – Thursday 1 st April 2021
Half Term -	Monday 15 th February 2021 – Friday 19 th February 2021
Summer Term -	Monday 19 th April 2021 – Friday 23 rd July 2021
Half Term -	Monday 31 st May 2021 – Friday 4 th June 2021
INSET Day -	Monday 19 th April 2021