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Note to Parents/Carers

Further to the Prime Minister's announcement on Wednesday, we can confirm that St Paul's will remain closed to all pupils (other than currently identified pupils) until at least March 8th. While we are disappointed to hear this news, we know that we must continue to ensure that our community is kept as safe as possible during this pandemic and that our NHS is not overwhelmed.

We are very happy with the provision that your children are currently receiving and the work that they are doing and so we have no plans to change the way that we run remote learning at this point. We always appreciate your feedback though so if you have any suggestions or comments, we are always keen to hear them.

We have been thrilled this week to see that attendance at live lessons has remained as high (over 95% on average) and that children are increasingly submitting work. So, to reiterate our message from last week... WELL DONE...keep up the great work!

Finally, we really appreciate that this is a difficult time for everyone. If there is any support that you need, or if indeed, you just need a sounding board, please do get in touch.

Lateral Flow Testing

Starting this week, all staff working in St Paul's will be regularly tested for COVID-19. This will occur twice weekly in line with DfE guidance in the attempt to identify any members of staff who may have the virus and not be showing any symptoms. Please note that if your child is currently attending St Paul's as a key worker/identified child and a member of staff in their bubble tests positive, this would mean that the whole bubble would need to self isolate in line with government requirements.

STARS OF THE WEEK!



Phase 1 Earth	Sofija, for always attending and participating in all lessons
Phase 1 Water	Lacey, for always trying hard with her reading in phonics
Phase 2 Air	Calvin, so enthusiastic, completing every piece of work and more, always engaged and cheerful
Phase 2 Earth	Lyla, for completing every piece of work, asking for help and being really positive with every aspect of remote learning
Phase 2 Water	Taya, for fantastic effort in all online sessions and some lovely work handed in
Phase 3 Earth	Jamie, for excellent contributions to live lessons and always being engaged
Phase 3 Water	Miko O, for extremely high levels of engagement and submission of high-quality learning pieces
Mrs Chambers	Oliver, for being engaged in all activities this week
Mrs Brindley	Antak, for trying really hard in all activities: amazing effort!
Mr Gill/Mrs Potts /Mrs White	Zicara, for a really good effort in activities all week