

28th January 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

I am sure that, like me, you have found listening to the news difficult this week especially hearing that the death toll has surpassed 100,000 and that schools will not be reopening until at least 8th March.

I therefore just want to say thank you: thank you for your hard work, positive comments, gifts of treats for the staff and for your best wishes. I also want to thank our whole school team for their resilience and dedication to ensuring the very best for our children.

The amazing efforts you are going to at home to juggle your "normal life" and your children's education is hugely appreciated by us all, as we all work together to reduce contacts, slow the spread of the virus and keep each other safe. None of us signed up for this online learning journey – parents and school staff alike. We are all trying our very hardest to do our best for our children during very difficult circumstances so please be kind to yourselves and know that you are doing your very best.

If you have any concerns or suggestions, we will take the time to listen and do what we can to support you and your children at this challenging time. If there is anything we can do to support you, please do get in touch – just for a chat, a virtual coffee or a listening ear – we are here for you!

Keep going everyone - hopefully there is light at the end of the tunnel and we will be able to welcome the children back again soon and we can return to some form of normality in our lives.

Stay safe and we will get through this together.

With very best wishes,

Judith Bentley

We cannot believe the amazing acts of kindness during this pandemic. With thanks to wonderful donations from the community, we are in a position to offer devices to families who are home learning.

If you have more than one child sharing a device or your family is juggling and sharing a mobile phone then please let us know. We can help!



Thank you

We would like to say thank you to **Melbourne Holdings** for their extremely generous donation. We are totally overwhelmed by this very kind gesture which will make a huge difference to families.

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If you are struggling with data/internet usage or devices for remote learning, please do get in touch. We will try to help where we can. Email us on enquiries@heckington.lincs.sch.uk or ring the school office.