

'A Caring Christian Family Where We Grow Together'

Bunbury Aldersey CE Primary School

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Good Morning Bunbury,

Welcome back to the first day of the second half of the summer term. Today marks the opening of Education after a period of closure and as I have shared with you previously we have changed our homeschooling to reflect this. Although we won't be opening our doors to those specified year groups until the 15th June onwards we have begun our new approach today. With this new timetable we aim to give those in school and at home as much of an equal diet as we possibly can. As always all material can be found on our class closure pages.

I hope that you have all had a restful week, unfortunately this has not been possible for those in school as we prepare for opening and much work has been done. As always the safety and well-being of all pupils and staff remains my number one priority. I am sure many of you have seen the preparations taking place around the site to try and keep you as safe as possible. The staff at Bunbury School have continued to do their very best for the Bunbury children; despite some suffering personal loss and family illness they have worked incredibly hard to keep everything going during these unprecedented times.

This week, I have missed hearing from the children on Padlet greatly and seeing the wonderful things you have been up to, so I can't wait to see all your wonderful adventures, challenges and work once again during this new half term.

As throughout the closure our channels of communication have remained open for parents and pupils. Many of the children continue to share their work through our secure Padlet allowing contact between friends and Bunbury staff. This is a fantastic way to keep in touch with everyone at school and share what you have been up to whether work or pleasure. I know many of you have also used our closure email address to ask personal questions and advice about your child's learning. The email is monitored by all teaching staff and so therefore class teachers will continue to respond to individual needs. This will be particularly important moving forward for those year groups who may not return before September.

As always please feel free to contact the school whenever you need to, both these channels of communication will remain open.

A reminder of the 3 addresses for communication are as follows, please use all 3 when communicating with school: <u>admin@bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk</u> <u>principalbunbury@rcsat.cheshire.sch.uk</u> <u>closurebunbury@rcsat.cheshire.sch.uk</u>

I know for many of you the last few months may have been quite challenging, for others I know you have enjoyed having this extra time with your children; spending quality time and learning new life skills. However, as long as your children have been safe and well I know it will have been right whatever path you have chosen to follow.

Many thanks for your continued support

Take care and stay safe

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