

30th April 2021

Hadley Phase 1 Parents

Summer 1 term update

I hope this letter finds you and your family healthy and well and you managed to have a rest over the Easter holiday, even though it probably seems like a long time ago now!

Now that we are back in school, I thought I would give you some updates for Phase 1.

You should by now have received your curriculum letters which outline the topics that your child will be learning over the coming weeks. I do hope you find these useful and provide you with ideas about how you can support learning at home. Also, now that all children in Phase 1 have iPads, we will begin to use the Apple learning technology which has been designed specifically to support learning inside and outside the classroom. It is really exciting and I will be sharing more information about this in the coming weeks.

Well done to the children in Year 4 who have taken part in their swimming lessons this week for the first time since lockdown a year ago. It seems we have some future Olympic swimmers in the making!!

Covid has caused quite a bit of disruption to the school year, and consequently we have needed to change the day of the Summer Academic Review day. The parent meetings will now take place on Wednesday, 30th June 2021. We will hold these online and arrange appointments with you as before.

Providing the Government schedule doesn't change, the lockdown restrictions are due to lift at the end of June. We are currently planning trips and activities to take place and so the Summer is shaping up to be a busy one.

Finally, I am sorry to tell you that Mr Labuschagne has had to travel back to his home country of South Africa to tend to some personal family matters. As a result of this, Mrs Ravi Varma, who you all know, will be acting as the Phase 1 Leader until further notice. She will be well supported by Ms Burns and the rest of the Phase 1 team.

That's all for now, enjoy the bank holiday weekend.

Yours sincerely



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