



# Mary Dean's CE Primary School

## Newsletter

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,



Well, the sun has finally made an appearance and it seems we are in for a warmer weekend.

Things certainly feel more positive and 'on the up' since the Prime Minister's announcement on Monday.

As you are all no doubt aware, the decision has been made that **all children will return to school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March.**

We are all delighted and I am sure a collective sigh of relief went through the majority of homes in the country where there are school-age children.

We will be ready to receive the children and will continue to follow very similar plans to those in place throughout the autumn term. A detailed letter will be sent out next week to ensure you all have the right information.

It is important to note that, although the children are returning, there will still be restrictions in place regarding mixing of groups and numbers of people on the school site. This will remain the case at least until the Easter Holiday in the first instance and your co-operation with these measures will be much appreciated.

Until then, we will continue to work with the children in school and provide remote learning for all those at home. Thank you for all your hard work in keeping your children going at home. We appreciate how challenging the past weeks have been for all families and I have nothing but admiration for you all.

### World Book Day

We will be celebrating world book day with a number of activities, both in school and remotely. Children are encouraged to dress up on the day. If you are at home, please send your photo, via Class Dojo, to your teacher before 11 am on Thursday. We can then see the whole range of costumes from across the class.



We have book vouchers in school and we will be giving them to the children when they return on Monday 8<sup>th</sup>.



### St Mary's Church Fund Raiser

The church are raising funds for new cloakroom and kitchen facilities. They have the idea for everyone to be sponsored and to try to run or walk a marathon or half marathon during the month of March. A copy of their letter and sponsor form can be found on the newsletters page of our website. Please click [here](#) to go to the page. Alternatively, we have copies of the forms in the school office if you would like to collect one.

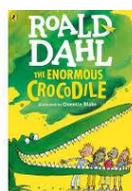
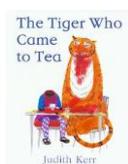
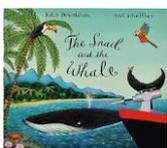
### Work opportunity

We are hoping to be able to expand our workforce with an additional cleaner in the near future. It would also be highly beneficial for us to have a suitable person on call to cover for sickness or other absence. If you are interested in such a post, please contact the school office. Thank you.

*Have a lovely weekend. I hope the sunshine stays.*

Mrs Jones

Head Teacher



*A school family, learning for life in all its fullness*

