

# ST MARGARET CLITHEROW ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

I hope you all enjoyed the sunshine this weekend!

Please read the following message to your child/children in your best headteacher voice...!

Dear Boys and Girls

I hope you are all keeping safe and well! I have been in contact with your parents quite a bit recently (they might be a bit fed up from hearing from me) and I thought it was time to write to you.

I must start this message with a thank you to all of you! You seem to have all settled into home learning routines well and I am so proud of you. Every situation at home is different. Most of your parents are trying to work from home whilst helping you with learning, setting up activities and keeping you all entertained! I am sure you will agree with me when I say they are doing a great job with it all! I hope you are helping your parents out by doing things without question and being thankful for their efforts!

I am sure you are missing seeing family members, I have dearly missed seeing my family, especially my nephew Max and my niece Emilia (she will be 1 next month!) every week but we have managed to face time each other almost every day. I hope you have been able to do the same with your family members. I hope they are safe and well.

The corridors and classrooms are not the same without all of you. We all miss you so very much! We miss your smiles and laughter. You all make our school such a special and fun place to be. We can not wait to see you all again soon.

We have all loved seeing the photos your parents have sent to us, you look like you are all having a great time at home! Lots of baking, gardening, learning new skills (lots of children have learnt to ride their bikes!), home learning, creating rainbows for the wonderful NHS heroes and helping at home. Please tell your parents to keep sending them in, they really do bring a smile to our faces! Ask them to show you the photos on our twitter account, find yourself and your friends too. I have been on some bike rides near my house and I posted some photos on twitter this weekend of my bike ride.

Year 1 and 5 children all received a call from their teachers last week. The phone calls were taking place in the main office and I did not get much work done as I kept listening to the teachers talking to you instead of doing my jobs! I did not mind though as it was lovely to hear about the activities you have been getting up to. Reception, Year 4 and Year 6 children will hear from your teachers this week. Year 2, Year 3 and Nursery children will receive a call next week. I know the other teachers are looking forward to catching up with you!

To our Year 6 pupils, we heard from The John Henry Newman School last week, they have said that they will work with us to ensure your time here is celebrated and acknowledged. I am not sure what that will look like yet, but it is good to hear there will be this opportunity.

Lots of people keep asking me when will be back together again, unfortunately I do not have that answer yet. I wish I could give you answers but we will only be together once it is safe to do so. Hopefully, it will not be for much longer.



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I sent an email to your parents last week about a special prayer wall project we are going to do. Thank you to the children that have already shared their prayer intentions. If you would like to take part, please ask your parents to send your ideas to us and we will create a tile from you to add to our wall.

Boys and girls, listen to your parents, be thankful and grateful for everything they do for you and be the best that you can be.

You and your family are in my thoughts and my prayers and I pray that we will be together again soon. God bless.

Stay safe

Miss Puccio x



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