26.3.20

Dear parents and carers

We hope that you are keeping well.

We are busy refining the different ways we can communicate with you going forward and will be trialling this next week, in the meantime you should have received (or will receive shortly) a phone call from a member of our team checking that you are okay. Staff are also updating the school website regularly, so please keep checking out the different sections, including the home learning pages. Guidance on keeping safe on the internet, whilst remote learning has also been shared on the parents' section under e-safety.

Other members of staff are working on our home learning for after the Easter Holidays. We are keen to ensure that that our children have similar experiences whether they are in school, during this closure period, or at home. Future learning ideas will therefore be based around a shared topic for the different key stages, with plenty of activity ideas and on-line links.

We have heard that many of you have already settled into a daily routine that works for your family, however we are also working on a basic timetable to help those families who would like to introduce a bit more structure to each day, going forward!

In anticipation of the Easter holidays, we will be sharing a range of fun Easter activities (on our website) for you to try out as a family. We have also suggested that our children design a 'rainbow of hope' to display in one of their windows (details on the latest news section of our website). I saw some of these driving into work this morning and they really made me smile!

If you have any questions, queries or worries at this time, please do not hesitate to contact the school via the office email: <u>office@eastbrook.w-sussex.sch.uk</u>

or telephone number: 01273 874050

Keep taking care of yourselves.

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