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Information for our new 45, starting this September.

We would normally give you out packs on the evening of the welcome presentation, however, alas, the welcome presentation will be virtual this year. So please, collect your pack from the school office from Wednesday the 13th May. The office is open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week. If you're unable to collect a pack don't worry we will deliver it to you on Monday 18th May

Good afternoon, I hope you're all well, or at least as well as expected. If I'm honest I feel unsettled today, but I think that's just because we're about to enter another period of the unknown, and there's always that scramble to sort everything out, and the need to have all the answers at virtually the click of a button.... I've had a chat with myself, and I'm staying as I am for this week... see what unfolds! Anyone joining me?

That said, I'm cancelling story times for y3/4, and infant story time until Thursday.... Myself and the SLT team are interviewing potential new teachers over the Tuesday and Wednesday, the evening story for years 5 and 6 will go ahead as normal. Furthermore, assembly communication may go a little random, but I'll see which staff are in and see what we can arrange. But for Tuesday and Wednesday there will be interruptions to the Facebook service.

Take care folks

Andy xx

It's not my poem kids, it was sent to me.... But it is lovely, and very relevant for our Year 6 kids, who I particularly feel sorry for today. They should have been tapping into their skills of resilience, learning how to cope with a little well managed nerves, and thriving with the stimulus of SATs, and boy would they have done great! But, it's not to be this year is it.....

Today is the day that SATs would have started,
The classroom set up and the tables parted,
The rules on the board, the display walls all covered,
Your workbooks away, out of sight in the cupboard,
Instead you are home, you're doing your bit,
Protecting your families from getting sick,
It's important right now, we're in lockdown you see,
Being part of world history,
You've all worked so hard, you should be so proud,
You've practised your SPAG and times tables out loud,
You've learnt algebra to the Nth degree,
And now the tests, they will no longer be,
Some may be sad that they can't take the tests,
"Hip hip hooray," I've no doubt said the rest,
Whilst the tests are on hold and you stay home this term,
Remember that tests can't measure everything you learn,
And I don't need SATs results to tell me,
How hard you have worked, it's easy to see,
St George's Year 6, let me shout it out loud,
You've made all your teachers so very proud,
So please continue to learn, fill that brain up full,
And remember, we think you're all wonderful!

I'm going to do a zoom a week....

Join me for a class Chat

This week year 6 are invited. Get the pizzas in. I'll see you on Zoom.

Friday 12pm

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