



Pilgrims' Way Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers and children

Hasn't this term been wonderful, especially now the sun has finally made an appearance?

This has been the first full term since before Christmas and time seems to have flown by. The children continue to amaze me with their resilience to rules and routines that we have had to put in place to keep us all safe. My thanks to you all for your unwavering support, messages of thanks and happy smiles when you are on the school site.

Our Covid Risk assessment remains in place with children and staff working in Pods, the one-way system, staff wearing face masks in shared areas around the school and high levels of hygiene. I monitor the government guidance and cautiously review our Risk assessment on a regular basis. We have done so well at Pilgrims' Way to significantly reduced infections and I urge you to continue to inform us immediately of any symptoms and results of PCR tests.

Amongst all of these changes and difficulties, my staff have continued to work tirelessly to deliver a curriculum designed to inspire the children; I have seen first-hand some of the stunning work taking place in classes and have seen fantastic progress taking place across the school. I would like to say a huge thank you to the whole staff team here at Pilgrims' Way.

Everyone continues to pull together and work tirelessly to support all the children. Whether it be Mr. Harrington and the cleaning staff who work relentlessly each day to keep our site clean and safe; our office team and Helen who are always there to support all of our families; our finance and business teams working behind the scenes to keep our school running; and our teaching assistants, teachers and leaders who give so much to provide the best possible provision for our pupils; I am lucky to work with such a dedicated team who give so much to provide the best possible education for our children.

We currently have vacancies for a teaching assistant and two play assistants. If you would like more information and to apply for any of the positions please visit <https://www.kent-teach.com/>

I thank you all for your ongoing support and wish you all an enjoyable and healthy half term break. I will see you all on Monday 7 June.

My warmest regards to you all.

Miss AM Middleton