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Bramley Sunnyside Infant School

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Newsletter 18 - 11th February 2021



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Reminder: Inset Day

Friday 12th February is a school INSET Day and closed to <u>all children</u>. Therefore, the child's last day at school will be Thursday 11th February. The school will re-open to vulnerable and

children of critical workers only on Monday 22nd February.

RMBC Road Safety Family craft competition



Please find details below of a family craft competition that the RMBC Road Safety Team will be running over half term.



www.sysrp.co.uk

Half Term Crafty Competition

People who help us!

Think about all the people who help us every day- nurses, teachers, police officers, shop workers, delivery drivers, plumbers.... Get creative and turn an old cardboard tube into a model of your favourite key worker.



You will need a cardboard roll, colours, scissors, glue or Sellotape. You can also choose to stick on paper, fabric or decorations. |



To enter: Send a photo of your creation to <u>road safety@rotherham.dov.uk</u> with your name, class and school.

We will contact winners via their school and place winning entries on South Yorkshire Safer Roads Partnership (sysrp.co.uk) Closing date Sunday February 21st



Leaving the EU

As you will be aware, the UK left the European Union on 31st December 2020 with the end of the transition period. This does have implications on data protection.

We are aware of an enforced consent popup that has appeared on ClassDojo. We would therefore like to draw your attention to this with the following guidance.

This guidance is necessary because data transfers to the US were generally covered by the EU-US Privacy Shield which is no longer legally adequate, and standard contractual clauses are not considered enough to provide UK citizens with enough protection.

The risk to your data is that US law enforcement has unfettered access, if it chooses, to data held on any USowned server.

Please note that there are also some issues relating to Brexit that mean we do not know if the EU and UK GDPR will diverge, we have been pausing to wait and see.

Our best guess is that these laws will not diverge in the short-term.

We are sharing this information with you as, by giving consent to use Class Dojo, you will also be giving explicit consent for your data being transferred to US servers.

As a school we are continuing to use ClassDojo in the short-term as an effective communication tool between school and home during Covid, and also as tool to support remote learning. Our DPO is aware of this decision.

Class Dojo has further information about their Standard Contractual Clause (SCC) here:

h>ps://classdojo.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/ar1cles/

In the light of this information, if you no longer wish to give consent to use Class Dojo, please let your child's class teacher know by messaging them on Dojo or via the class email account. Alternatively, you can inform the School Office and we will amend our records accordingly.



What to do if your child or member of your household tests positive over the February Half term



School has been asked to support the Track and Trace system over the half term period. If

your child currently attends school and they or a family member tests **positive** for coronavirus (Covid-19), then Parents / Carers are requested to contact the school immediately via the school email address **enquiries@bsi.school**.

<u>Please mark the subject box as **POSITIVE COVID TEST** give your child's / family member's name, date symptoms started and date positive test result was received.</u>

The school will then identify any children and staff that have been in close contact in school to the affected person in the last 48 hours from the onset of their symptoms. The Parents / Carers of these children will be contacted and advised that their child needs to self- isolate for 10 days from their last contact with the positive case. The emails will be checked each morning before 10.00am and parents notified immediately afterwards.

Department for Education coronavirus (COVID-19) helpline

The Department for Education coronavirus (COVID-19) helpline is available to answer questions about coronavirus (COVID-19) relating to education and children's social care. Staff, parents and young people can contact this helpline by calling: Phone: 0800 046 8687

Opening hours: Monday to Friday from 8am to 6pm Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 4pm Page **2** of **3**

Dates to Note

Friday	12 th February 2021 (INSET DAY).	
Friday	28 th May 2021 (INSET DAY)	
Monday	28 th June 2021 (INSET DAY)	
(School will be closed to all children on these INSET days)		

Holiday Dates:

February half term -	15th February to 19th February. (1 week)
Easter -	29th March to 9th April. (2 weeks)
May Day -	Friday 3rd May.
Spring Bank -	31st May to 4th June. (1 week)
Summer -	21st July (6weeks)