

# Hardwick Primary School NEWSLETTER



Issue 21: Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020

## April

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup>

School closes

## April

Monday 20<sup>th</sup>

School reopens

## Lunches

Thank you to the parents of children in Year 2 who took the time to come into school and have lunch with us. The feedback was positive.

I was pleased that a number of children tried the tacos that Andrea trialled on the menu this week. We will be looking to take on board more of the children's other suggestions in future weeks.

## Mobile Phones

I would like to remind you that we do not allow the children to bring mobile phones in to school. In exceptional circumstances they can be left in the school office.

## Toothbrushes

As we have a large number of children who attend Breakfast Club we will no longer be able to provide toothbrushes. If you would still like your child to clean their teeth having eaten breakfast, then we ask that you provide them with a toothbrush and toothpaste that they can keep in their book bag.

This also applies to those children in nursery who have lunch in school and then brush their teeth

## Coronavirus

We have been taking a number of measures to protect all members of the school community. This includes regular handwashing with warm water and soap, along with constant reminders about the importance of good personal hygiene.

We have started restricting the number of visitors into school, including other professionals, staff from other schools and members of the regional support team. Swimming has been cancelled until further notice to avoid taking the children to a public place. Year 3 will not be visiting the local library for the same reason. The trips to Warriner Farm and the Butterfly Farm have been postponed. Forest School will take place on the school site.

The SATS meeting for parents of children in Year 2 and Year 6 has also been postponed.

The latest advice is that if you develop a new and persistent cough and have a high temperature then you should isolate for 7 days. This advice applies to parents, staff and children. I know that you will be very sensible in following this advice.

If you have any concerns, do not hesitate to contact me. As a school we will continue to follow all the guidance issued.

Yours sincerely

J M Hawkin

Headteacher