



# KILLINGHALL CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Helping children to make the next step on their learning journey.'



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Dear Parents,

I hope that you all had a good half term break – even if a little more subdued and stay at home that would be the 'norm'. You should have all received information this week regarding the re-trun to school on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Further information can be found in the COVID folder on the home page of the school website. This includes the up to date risk assessment and guidelines for parents.

Some parents have asked about us being flexible with staggered the drop off/pick up times for siblings, at this time we are unable to do this. We must adhere to our risk assessment and the Govt guidelines. As soon as it is safe to offer some flexibility we will, but not yet. This will probably have to be the case up to the Easter holiday.

### Lunch Orders

Please make sure that you log in to <https://appetite.hutchisoncatering.co.uk/> to order school lunches for the last three weeks of term from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. You must do this as soon as possible if you wish your child to have a school lunch.



### House Haiku Challenge

Well done to the children who took up the Haiku House challenge; I was disappointed that there weren't more entries. We have entered all that we received in to The Harrogate Sports Partnership competition. The winning houses were Big Wheels and Roller Coaster who had the same number of entries.

Here are some examples of the Haikus:

**DESPITE THE VIRUS  
THIS YEARS OLYMPICS REMAIN  
FIVE RINGS ONCE AGAIN**

Medals gold to bronze.

The ancient Greeks started it.

The eternal flame.

Britain together  
Blue, yellow, black, green and red  
But going for GOLD!!!



### Olympic Haiku

Looking at those rings,  
that represent everyone,  
black, blue, red, green, gold.



## World Book Day

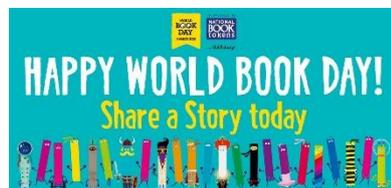
I hope that those of you at home have been able to set up and register for the Settle Stories live Arabian Night's story telling session ready for next Wednesday. Here is the link again.

[https://www.settlestories.org.uk/whats\\_on/world-book-day-2021/](https://www.settlestories.org.uk/whats_on/world-book-day-2021/)

Please make sure that you register for the right age group. For children in school, staff will have registered for them.

Children are asked to dress up as their favourite book character on 4<sup>th</sup> March – if your child is in school please do not send any props, books etc with them – just a simple outfit would be great.

Children in KS2 will be expected to watch Romeo & Juliet performed live by the Globe Players on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 1.45pm. The link for this will be sent out on Wednesday. There are also a range of other activities planned – I think one of the highlights will be 'The Masked Reader', yes just like the Masked Singer, we have gone the extra mile to produce our own version with staff reading stories. Each day a new video will be released on Teams for the children to guess who is behind the mask. Prizes are up for grabs. Teachers will let you know about the various activities via email and the website.

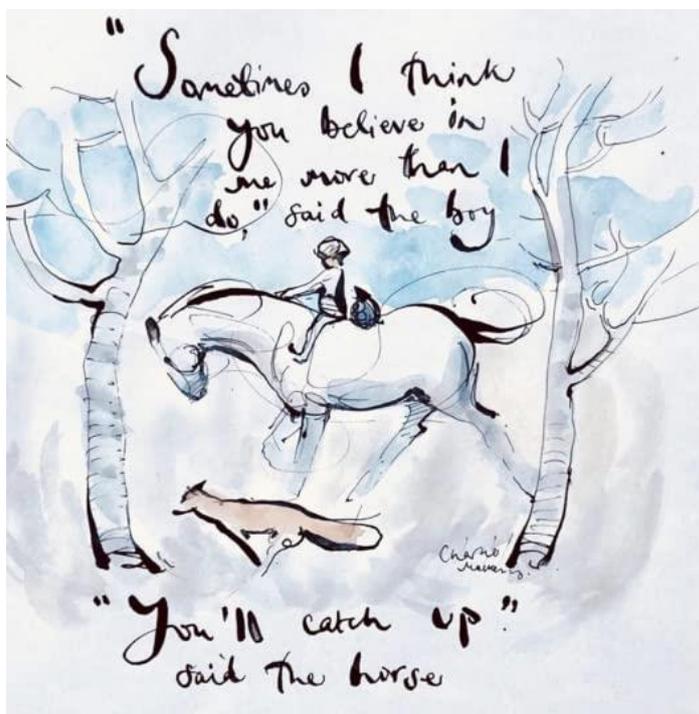


We hope that it won't be too long before we can use our new libraries. The EYFS/KS1 area is now complete with the sofa having been delivered.

Take care and stay safe.

Best wishes

Mrs Sarah Bassitt



We believe in you all – we will all catch up!

