



Lavant

C.E. Primary School

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Dear Parents,

Thank you all so much for your ongoing support this week, and for your vigilance and regular testing of your children for COVID-19. In the past couple of weeks ½ the staff team have been unwell and over 1/5 of the pupils have been off after testing positive. Huge thanks to the parents who kindly came in to help in school this week to enable us to remain open to all pupils. Although we are continuing to have some new cases each day, we are confident that we are now over the worst of this latest outbreak.

Flood Damage update

We are having workmen in this weekend to lift sections of the classroom floors to ascertain how far moisture has penetrated into the concrete. Once we have received the meter readings, we will have a clearer idea of further works that need to be completed. This will enable a clear timeline of restoration to be set and give us a much better indication as to when we will be able to reoccupy the damaged areas of our building. The current plan is to have a portacabin installed at the front of the school next Tuesday to provide us with some additional teaching space. Should it be required, this will be followed by a double classroom block and toilets which will be installed on the school playground over the Easter break to enable all our children to be learning back on site.

Changes to collection of children in Wren Class and Pheasant Class at the end of the day.

We are aware that outside the hall has been very overcrowded at the end of the day as parents collect their children from Wren Class. From Monday, Mrs Totman will bring her class out onto the patio outside my office. Please can parents come onto the playground to enable Mrs Totman to hand your children over to you safely. Mr Taylor will dismiss his class from the hall doors. We will continue to monitor the situation closely and make any necessary changes to ensure the end of the school day runs as smoothly as possible.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Kindest regards,

Adrian King