

# Wyke Regis Primary Federation

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am sorry to begin with a grumble this week but please could the large group of parents who wait at Victoria Road gate at the end of the school day follow the pick-up rules like every other parent is doing? I have had several complaints from parents this week about double parking, dangerous parking, children not being able to get through the crowd and generally being frustrated with the lack of thought and consideration for other children and their parents, who are following the one-way system as we requested in September. Staff who are trying to deal with large groups of children in a safe and secure way are finding this increasingly worrying. Unfortunately, due to circumstances beyond our control we have had to implement measures that are not always convenient; but are entirely necessary to keep the school open. May I remind everyone that the access to the junior pick-ups is via High Street and not Victoria Road. Thank you very much to all parents who are helping us to do that.

It has come to our attention this week that parents have not seen the year group welcome newsletters sent out a few weeks ago. These went on to Google classroom as it co-incided with the week I asked you all to check log-ins for access to the online classes, all the letters are also on our website. Mrs Clarke will email the letters direct to ensure you have received them.

The remote learning policy has been approved by governors and will be added to the website next week. Mrs Ellis has put together a useful parent guide which is attached to this email. Parents in FS2 (reception) are being asked to join in with the letter formation challenge by 'liking' the video posts so that teachers know you have seen them and can then help your child with the correct formation of the letters.

Teachers have started the process of making contact with all parents and will aim to complete this by half term. These calls are being made on school mobiles so will show as a new number on your phone and not the schools.

We have taken an order of PE hoodies and will distribute what we have so far next week. There is not enough stock for everyone yet so not every child will get theirs before half term. Thank you for supporting the PE uniform which the children are clearly enjoying!

That's all for now; have a lovely weekend and stay safe everyone. We have no positive COVID cases thus far.

Mrs W Roberts  
Head of Federation