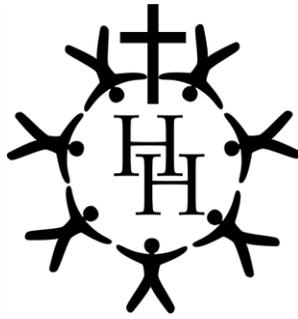


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News Sheet

Discussion topic: "Be kind, for everyone you meet may be facing a harder battle." — Plato

27th November, 2020

Covid update

We remain in National lockdown until next Wednesday 2nd December when Kirklees, along with all of West Yorkshire, will enter tier 3 – very high risk. This is more strict than previous tier 3 and full details can be found [here](#).

Briefly:

- We must not be meeting indoors with anyone who is not from our household or support bubble.
- We may meet in public outdoor spaces (ie not private gardens) in groups of up to 6 people although you must remain socially distanced from anyone who you do not live with.
- We may continue to travel to businesses which are open, but should aim to reduce the number of journeys we make where possible

Whilst this may be disappointing for us, it is essential that we follow the guidance in order to keep us all as safe as possible. Vulnerable children and colleagues are attending school and we need everyone to play their part in helping keep them safe. I know households with vulnerable family members also echo this plea for their own safety.

Congratulations to class 1, many of whom have worked hard from home over the past week and a half. Miss Brook and Mrs Ryder have enjoyed looking at how much you have learnt. We look forward to seeing you all again on Monday.

Should you wish to speak to myself or any other member of staff, please contact the school office on 01924 463035 to arrange an appointment. Thank you

Road Safety around school

We are most grateful to a group of our parents who have been proactive in enlisting support to make the area around our school safer. They contacted Cllr Eric Firth to investigate whether railings could be installed at the side of the path leading up to Kirkgate. This has been agreed with Highway Services and these should be installed very soon. I am delighted that this has been arranged – measures to keep our children and families as safe as possible are very much welcomed. Huge thanks to them and to Cllr Firth.

Don't forget!

Entries for our class bauble competitions need to be returned on Monday 30th November. I'm looking forward to seeing some great class Christmas trees!

Understanding behaviour as communication

Salma Mahmood our Family Emotional Health link worker from Northorpe Hall is running a virtual session on Friday 4th NDecember at 9.30am around the above topic. If you are interested, please contact me via email on head.hangingheaton@kirkleeseducation.uk or on 01924 463035 and I will send out the meeting invitation.

This could be particularly helpful if you are struggling or concerned about behaviours at home at the moment.

"Let all that you do be done in love"