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## **Dear Parents and Carers,**

I hope you have all had a good week and are keeping safe and well.

This week we have been focusing on Well-being and supporting our pupils to find ways to express themselves. We have tried to encourage more practical activities which included family members. We have had really positive feedback across the school and many have asked for a well-being day each week.

Next week we will be focusing on Internet safety and we will be working with our pupils to support them to stay safe online. Please see the attached document regarding setting parental controls on devices used by your child.

## **Online Art Classes**

Please see the attached leaflet detailing an opportunity for children aged 6 to 11 to take part in online art sessions.

## Free School Meal Provision for pupils eligible for Pupil Premium

We have recently been notified that more of our pupils are entitled to Pupil Premium as a result of more of you checking your eligibility with the Local Authority. It is worth looking into!

If you feel that you should be eligible to receive vouchers for your child, please click on the link for free school meals application form. Please note that all pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 receive free meals when they attend school this is Universal Free School Meals. Pupil Premium meal vouchers are only available for families below a specific income level and applications have to be made to the local authority using this link.

 $\frac{https://lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/education/student-pupil-support/free-school-meals-and-extra-support-for-your-child$ 

We also have our school food bank to support anyone who needs this provision. Please let us know and we will organise a time for you to come in and choose what you need.





















Thank you so much for all the amazing donations for our food bank. This resource is used regularly and makes a huge difference to many of our families.

## **Wednesday Word**

Link for the Wednesday Word: <a href="https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/community?pid=MTA101634&v=15.6">https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/community?pid=MTA101634&v=15.6</a>

Keep safe and have a really lovely weekend. Let's hope we don't get snowed in!

Margaret Hanrahan