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**Dear Parents and Carers,**

It was wonderful to welcome everybody back to school on Monday. It feels like a proper school once more. The children have settled back really well and are working really hard. They will definitely sleep well tonight as will we all!

Thank you for all your support and positive feedback throughout.

We had an amazing response to our potato book character project! We have displayed them for all the children to see and they look absolutely incredible as you can see from these photographs-





## Sustainability

It is great to see so many of our pupils walking, scooting and cycling to school. Please ensure that your child wears a helmet when cycling or scooting to keep them safe in case of an accident. A number of our pupils have had accidents over the years and thankfully suffered minimal injuries to their heads because they were wearing helmets.

We have all been working really hard to ensure that we are managing waste in our school in the most sustainable way. We have managed to get lots of composting bins to create our own compost in school. We are also planning to get the children to write to our local council and MPs to persuade them to compost food waste from the school meals as this is currently collected with general waste and sent to land fill.

It would be great if packed lunches could be put in reusable containers as many still have lots of packaging which we cannot recycle.

***“Reclaim our Common Home:*** *This year, the UK will host the largest gathering of world leaders ever to take place on British soil: the ‘COP26’ climate talks. As Prime Minister, Boris Johnson must push world leaders to show the ambition we need to keep temperature rises below the disastrous 1.5-degree threshold. This means that all countries must play their part. Wealthy nations, who bear the greatest responsibility for the crisis, need to step up. With the eyes of the world on the UK, we must urge the Prime Minister to make sure communities hardest hit by the climate emergency are listened to at COP26. CAFOD have launched a petition in support of this.*

*Have you signed CAFOD’s new climate petition yet? If not please do so by following the link below and also please promote to your family and friends!*

<https://e-activist.com/page/73304/petition/1> “

## Nursery Places for September 2021

We are still accepting applications for pupils starting Nursery in September. Please contact the school office if you would like to apply . This is for children born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019. We offer 15 hour or 30 hour places.

## **Easter Holidays**

Please note that the school breaks up for Easter on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> March and reopens for children on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April.

## **Wednesday Word**

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

Keep safe and have a really lovely weekend.

Margaret Hanrahan

