



Monday 22 February 2021

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the first week of a new term. I hope you all had a lovely half term break. You should receive class termly newsletters this week, which contain information about the learning for the term ahead. Copies are also available on the year group pages on the school website:

https://www.poplarfarmsch-cit.co.uk/web/about_us/287382

If your child tests positive for coronavirus, or they have to self-isolate due to someone in the household testing positive, or they display symptoms themselves, please let us know at school. You can email the school office: enquiries@poplarfarmsch-cit.co.uk or send me a direct message on Class Dojo. Thank you for your co-operation.

Like you, we are awaiting the latest news from the Prime Minister about the road map to schools re-opening. This information is due to be announced later today, and when we know how it impacts our school community, I will be in touch with you all about the Poplar Farm arrangements.

Thank you to Mr Bennett who is in his final week of his run to the International Space Station and raising money for school. So far he has received £435 in donations, which is remarkable. Thank you to those of you who have supported him. There is still time to donate using this link: <https://www.kindlink.com/fundraising/community-inclusive-trust-/poplar-parent-runs-to-space>

Thank you again to Mr Bennett for his efforts and dedication to raise funds for our school.

I hope you all continue to stay safe at home. If any of you need anything please send a message on Class Dojo to the appropriate member of staff. We will endeavour to reply as quickly as possible during working hours.

Mrs Hodson

Staffing Updates

During last term, we advertised for an Assistant Head Teacher. I am delighted to inform you that after a rigorous selection process, Miss Mason was successfully appointed. She will begin this new role in school in September.

During this term, we will start the recruitment process for two new teachers to join our team in September 2021, as our school increases by two more classes. I will inform you when new appointments have been made.

Childcare bookings

Please ensure that you complete the booking for the following week by every Thursday at 8pm. We have a waiting list for places, and those are allocated on a Friday. We cannot guarantee childcare places if you request them over the weekend.

When we receive more information about the re-opening of schools, if not all children come back at the same time, I will inform you how this impacts on the childcare facility.