



Plumpton Primary School

Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,



We wish you all a very happy New Year and hope that our recent move to remote learning has been a smooth and successful one for you and your children. Here we share with you some updates from Plumpton School this term.

On-line attendance

Attendance at our daily live class check-ins currently stands at almost 100%. **Well done, Plumpton Primary School!** We look forward to continuing to see you all each day for those all-important check-ins with your class teachers.



Curriculum letters

You will now have received your child's class curriculum letter. Copies have been sent to your email addresses, and also posted onto our Google Classroom/Tapestry portals. If you have any questions about the planned learning for the weeks ahead, please don't hesitate to write to your child's class teacher.



INSET day change – REMINDER

Our next INSET day is **Friday 12th Feb (the last day of Term 3)**. As staff will be undertaking essential training, there will be no remote learning materials posted on this day (including no live check-in). School will also be closed to Key Worker and Vulnerable pupils on this day.



Virtual assemblies

We hope you are all enjoying Mr Hughes's virtual assemblies this term. Please don't forget to take a look at today's assembly on your child's online portal: it's a US Election Special!

'Home' – our NEW project

Our NEW whole-school project this term is called 'Home', and children have been honing their Geographical skills this month by learning about Plumpton, Sussex and the United Kingdom. Look at the great work already submitted so far this term:



New on the Market



Sunset Mansion

Price guide: £20,000,000

In the depths of Hawaii stands this beautiful, outstanding mansion. This amazing property includes 5 luxurious bedrooms all Price guide: £20,000,000 with gorgeous spacious ensuite bathrooms. The shimmering features an expansive shaded sunbathing area. The beach behind the property is just 200 metres away along a beautiful tree lined path. And features glorious sunsets in the evening.

Solar system fact-file

There are 8 planets in our solar system revolving around the sun. Only 10% of solar systems can host life, such as our Earth.

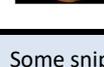


Mercury (Terrestrial)
Mercury is the smallest and second hottest planet. One year lasts 88 days.

The surface is covered with a lot of craters, one team is named for Dr. Geras.



Venus (Terrestrial)
Venus is the hottest and the brightest planet in our solar system.



Some snippets of our home learning!



Our Google Classroom troubleshooting page

Please check out our Google Classroom tab on our school website (<http://www.plumpton.e-sussex.sch.uk/>) where you will find all the information you need to help guide you through the use of G-suite. Included are: our *Golden Rules for Google Meet* - our live 'check-in' tool; a Plumpton timetable to help you follow the school timetable when at home; and clarification of our offer (see: *Remote Learning Policy*).



Dates For Your Diary

February 2021	
Friday 12 th	INSET day

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