



# Morice Town Mirror

## Morice Town Primary Academy Newsletter

Autumn Term no.6 05<sup>th</sup> February 2021 [www.moriceprimary.co.uk](http://www.moriceprimary.co.uk)

### Term Dates

15<sup>th</sup> February 2021 – 19<sup>th</sup> February 2021 Half Term

### Dates for your calendar

Please check our Website for up to date calendar information [www.moriceprimary.co.uk](http://www.moriceprimary.co.uk)  
Follow us on twitter @MoriceTownPS

### Morice Town Primary Nursery



We still have places available in our wonderful nursery for 3 & 4 year olds. Please contact the school office for more information.

### Returning to School

We are all keen to return to school when conditions allow. Part of this will be reducing the infection rate nationally so adhering to the lockdown guidance will certainly help this. The prime minister was clear that schools **might** fully reopen from the 8<sup>th</sup> of March and we would get two weeks' notice of this. This means we are expecting an announcement on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February and once we know more we will update you all to our plans.

### Remote Learning

Thank you all for your wonderful support you are offering your children in the remote learning. Mrs Carroll has started a weekly remote learner's award, which she shares on the school's Facebook page. We appreciate how hard it is for many of you but please use the video clips and make sure your child watches them carefully to the end, as this will help them complete the activities in the learning packs. Please return the pack for the teachers to mark the work and share their comments with you via email. If you need help or guidance, please use the class email address on the school website to get in touch with your child's teacher.

### Covid Testing

Recently we started the routine twice weekly testing of staff in school. This is a positive step, as it will help to keep the virus out of our school by isolating asymptomatic staff who test positive but otherwise feel well and may be in school. Can I please remind you all to help us by carefully following the current guidelines on hands, face and space and by staying within your own support bubbles.

### Free School Meal Vouchers – Half Term

Free school meal vouchers will be issued to those entitled to cover the half term holiday at a value of £15 per child. Letters will be emailed to you by Thursday of next week with your voucher code and instructions on how to redeem them.

### Personal Possessions

Reminder for those children attending school that they are not to bring in personal possessions as they may get lost and can be distracting. Thank you.

### Reading Books

Please return any old read, write, inc books from last year that you may have at home.



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## Mental Health Week

Children's Mental Health Week is taking place this week.

This year's theme is Express Yourself.

Follow the link below to see what is happening.

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/about-the-week/>



## Year 4 Home learning

Some of the great work from our Year 4 home learners who have been studying rivers and last week's poems on superhero's. Keep up the good work.

