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SIR JOHN BARROW SCHOOL



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Tuesday 20th October

Hello again,

A short Snippets with some of our news after the formal communications of the last couple of days.

First of all thank you to our whole school community for responding so helpfully to our need to close. We are very grateful that you were able to reorganise your lives at such short notice. We also appreciated your messages of support as it was a difficult decision to take.

School is strangely quiet and certainly not as much fun without you however classes are starting to meet up virtually. We will be interested to hear your comments on how this is going. We are all learning this together and will make improvements as we go.

Thank you to our cleaners who have been hard at work since you left. We are tidying up as well so if you have a named sweatshirt in school we will return it to your class. Others will be available to collect if you tell us the size.

In other news, sports coaching has gone very well over the last couple of weeks with the children really enjoying the opportunity to get active. Mindfulness is proving popular with our classes and the loose parts play is going down very well in the juniors.

Although we are hoping this will only be a short closure we do understand that it will have caused anxiety and disruption for children and adults alike. Please get in touch by using phone or email (admin@sjbarrow.cumbria.sch.uk) if there is anything we can help you with. If you are having problems buying food and clothing contact us as we can help. This will be treated confidentially.

There will be someone in the office until Friday and after that you can use the Facebook page and the admin email until we reopen.

Mrs Fletcher, Deputy Headteacher

Snippets

Date for Diaries - Flu immunisations for Reception to Year 6 children will now take place on Monday 14th December.

Teachers are booking parentals this week and the week after half term so please make sure you sign up.

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Year Group	Covid-19 Update
1	Some children isolating due to family member with symptoms
2	1 +ve result Some children isolating due to family member with symptoms
3	Some children isolating due to family member with symptoms
4	Some children isolating due to family member with symptoms
Staff	2 +ve results, 7 isolating, 1 shielding