

Hello children, parents and carers,
I can't begin to tell you how much all of the staff and I are missing coming to school every day and working with you all. It is really is hard for the adults but we know that it is especially hard for the all of the children. We know that you want to be out playing with your friends in the sunshine, going to the parks and seeing your extended family, but we have to follow the rules to ensure that we are all keeping safe and protecting those workers who help us.

I would also like to say a big 'THANK-YOU' to all of our key workers who are doing an amazing job. We are continuing to open school over the bank-holiday weekend to allow these people to carry on doing the fantastic job they do... We will do anything we can to support our nurses, healthcare assistants, pharmacists, police officers, teachers, delivery drivers and anyone else who needs it.

I would also like to say a big 'THANK-YOU' to the whole Ladygrove team. We have staff who are leaving their own families to come to work, to make sure that school continues to open for our families who need us. The whole team also are who are doing such an amazing job at keeping in-touch with all of you and your teachers have loved chatting to you. Also a special thank you to Miss Parsons who has been our 'Website Queen' during the last few weeks and to our admin team who are doing a fantastic job of answering any queries. I know lots of you appreciate this contact and we will keep doing it until we are all back together. Our governors have also been working very hard to make sure we are looking after everyone correctly.

I have been kept very busy reading all of the latest information the Government, Local Authority and other important people and other organisations, as well as writing lots of important e-mails. It has been lovely to speak to the parents and children I have done by phone and e-mail. It is so nice to hear what you have all been up to.

I have also spent time with my children... we have baked cakes, made dens in our garden, painted, planted some vegetables and they have got very good at tidying their bedrooms! I have also

learnt some new skills while I have been off - troubleshooting my school laptop with telephone support from our ICT technician and even mending a temperamental cooker (with support from the internet) yesterday.

Parents and carers remember... the team are only an e-mail away during these unusual times. We will get back to you as soon as possible and can help with all sorts of things.

I cannot wait to see you all again. Please keep safe and continue following the rules - the more we do the quicker things will begin to back to normal.

Take care and keep washing those hands!

Mrs Weichlbauer.

