



# BRONINGTON VOLUNTARY AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2022



School Value for this half term is: **Friendship**

**Covid Self-Isolation:** rules changed last Friday. They are:

0	Your symptoms begin or you test positive
1	Start counting self-isolation days
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5	Start home testing with LFT
6	From day 6 to day 8 you can end self-isolation if you have 2 negative tests on 2 consecutive days
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10	Self-isolation ends- no more testing required

"You should take a lateral flow test (LFT) on day 5 of your self-isolation period and a second LFT the next day (aim to take it 12-24 hours after your first test.) This will help determine if you are still infectious and could potentially pass Covid-19 to others. You should not take a LFT before day 5 of your self-isolation period because the risk of remaining infectious and therefore passing the infection onto others before this period is significantly higher. You can leave self-isolation after 5 full days (on day 6 of your self-isolation period) if you test positive you

should remain in self-isolation until you can return 2 consecutive negative LFT tests, or until day 10, whichever is sooner."

**Bumblebees:** We have had a brilliant week celebrating Chinese New Year and taking part in a variety of activities to celebrate the Year of the Tiger. The children created Tiger themed Chinese lanterns, got stuck in with messy play and tasted Chinese food! Well done to everyone!

Thank you to those of you who have already sent in milk bottles - we hope to start building our igloo very soon!



Miss Charlotte.

**PC Kim:** our School Community Police Officer (SCPO), visited all the classes yesterday to deliver a session on Anti-Social Behaviour. Class 1 and 2 through discussion and drama, considered whether a range of actions were right or wrong. Class 3 considered what was anti-social behaviour, the effect it has on others, and the possible consequences, and talked about ways to make positive choices. PC Kim was very impressed with the children's engagement and behaviour, this makes me very proud. Thank you everyone!

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**Children's Mental Health Week:** is next week, taking place on 7-13<sup>th</sup> February. This year's theme is Growing Together. We will be looking at one area of the 5 Ways to Wellbeing each day next week and doing some activities based on them.

### What are the Five Ways to Wellbeing?

The Five Ways to Wellbeing Framework was developed by the New Economics Foundation as a set of five evidence based actions that promote wellbeing. Based on the latest scientific evidence the simple actions, if taken regularly, can improve wellbeing and enhance quality of life.

### What is wellbeing?

The definition of wellbeing is both feeling good and functioning well.

The five ways to wellbeing may help young people:

- Make the most of opportunities and deal with stressful situations by taking time out and learning how to cope when things get tough.
- Increase their interpersonal skills, empathy and communication skills through giving and seeing themselves as part of the wider community.
- Increase their chances of employability and self-worth by taking notice of what they are good at and what they have to offer others.



**Valentine's themed disco:** is being arranged by the Friends of Bronington School on **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February from 5.30pm until 6.45pm.**

The cost will be £2.50 to include entrance, drinks, crisps and a glow bracelet.

Please could you complete the form on the separate letter, given out earlier in the week, and return it to school with your payment, in a named envelope, by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February.



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**Safer Internet Day** is being celebrated globally next Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February. We will be promoting the safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people, and having conversations about using technology responsibly, respectfully, critically, and creatively. In next week's newsletter I'll share with you the activities the children have participated in.

Mrs Beth Davies - Associate Headteacher



**SCHOOL TRAINING DAYS 2021 - 2022** are Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April, Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June (for Jubilee Day) and Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February - Valentine's Disco 5.30pm – 6.45pm in school hall**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February – Half term starts**

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February – School re-opens to pupils**

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March – FoBs committee meeting - time and venue to be confirmed**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Bingo – school hall, time tbc**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Holidays**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Training day, school closed to pupils**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April – School re-opens to pupils**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May – Community Day**

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