Canon Burrows C of E Primary School, Oldham Road, Ashton-Under-Lyne

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We are really grateful for all the resources that have been sent in so far. Please can you continue collecting and sending in items that can be reused for our art. For example, washed bottle top lids, washed bottles, boxes (of any size), washed margarine tubs, kitchen roll tubes, junk modelling resources, plastic bags, bits of fabric & old clothes and empty crisp packets.





Google Classroom

Please can parents make sure they check on Google classroom for any homework that is set for their child(ren), especially if they do not bring their homework book home. Many classes in school are regularly setting their homework on

Google classroom.

If you are sending in birthday treats for your child to share with their classmates, please can you ensure they are individually wrapped and consider sending an alternative to jelly sweets, as there are many vegetarian children in school who are unable to eat jelly sweets.



### **BREAKFAST CLUB**

There are some spaces still available at our breakfast club. It is open from 8am and there is a cost of £4 per session. The children are provided

with a healthy breakfast and games and crafts to do in their year group/class bubbles. If you would like a place for your child please contact Mrs Lees in the office via the admin email.

Do you have any children's books in good condition that could be donated to school? We would be very grateful for any donations of books for all ages for our Breakfast Club book stop.



Please can we ask all parent/carers to remind their children about stranger danger.



As the weather starts to improve, please can you ensure your child has sun cream applied before they come to school. If your child is able to apply their own sun cream, they may bring it to school in a labelled bottle, but staff will not be able to apply the sun cream for them.

Please can you also ensure that you child has a labelled water bottle, so they can remain hydrated, particularly in warmer weather and a hat with their name in, to provide extra sun protection.



This week's recipients of our my Happy mind awards are:

Character Strength - Billy (Year 4) Happy Breathing - Shaun (Year 4)

### Aftendance Award

Miss Large's & Miss Bardsley's Classes

### Tidy Cloakroom Award

Miss Muzyka's

Class

Citizen of the week

1yaan, Year 3

For being kind and caring

### This week we have shown our Christian value of Justice.

The justice revealed in the Bible is always seen in the context of love. It includes the call to take responsibility for one another, especially the poor and oppressed, and to see that no-one is excluded from the essentials of life.

This week, we have been holding class council meetings before our school council meets next week. During the meetings, we have discussed a range of points including Arts Week plans and Collective Worship. Our school councillors will then have the responsibility of representing their class in sharing those ideas within the council meeting and possibly coming to some decisions about future actions. Our class and school council meetings are an important part of ensuring we all have a voice within the decision making across school.



### School drop off & pick up

Thank you for your continued patience and support with regards to dropping off & collecting children from school. Please can you ensure you are following the guidance below.

- Please adhere strictly to your drop off & collection times and do not loiter outside the gates.
- Maintain social distancing at all times during drop off & pick up
- We kindly ask that parents/carers wear face coverings when they drop off & pick up their children
- Please wear a face covering Help stop the spread
- Please do not park on the school or vets car park when dropping off or collecting your children.

Please do not send children into school if they are waiting for Covid-19 test results or if they have symptoms of Covid-19 (cough, temperature, loss of taste or smell); take them for Covid-19 PCR test.

Please inform school if you have tested positive for Covid-19 or are waiting for test results.

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Please could all parents/carers make sure that they are checking emails regularly and check that notifications are turned on, on their SchoolComms App. We are sending out lots of electronic communication at the moment and we don't want you to miss any important messages.

Children's belongings

Please can parents/carers ensure their child(ren) have everything they need at the very start of the school day in order to avoid multiple visits from parents/carers and other family members/friends to the gate. This will reduce the number of objects being passed from person to person and help reduce the risk of spread of infection.

Appointments during the school day.

Please can we remind parents/carers that wherever possible non-emergency appointments should be booked out of school hours to reduce disruption and lost learning time.

If your child has an essential appointment, please screenshot appointment letters & cards and e-mail them to the school office: admin@canonburrows.co.uk as this will also help reduce the number of contacts.

Contact details for the school office: admin@canonburrows.co.uk 0161 330 4755



### Issues around not following government guidance:

As you will appreciate staff and parents who send their children to school are trusting that everyone else coming into school are following the strict guidance around national restrictions and not mixing with other households. If there is evidence on social media that these restrictions are being broken or if the children are telling us they are visiting family and friends, attending birthday parties or going for tea at someone else's house outside of their bubble, then obviously staff and other parents are going to be genuinely concerned. Please do not be offended if you are asked about these concerns. We are purely trying to keep everyone as safe as they possibly can be. School may choose to ask that your child isolated for a period of 10 days if they have mixed with other bubbles.

### Free rapid testing for all as COVID restrictions eased

All adults in Tameside are now able to access free, regular, rapid coronavirus testing as part of the easing of COVID restrictions.

Alongside the rollout of the vaccine, regular testing of those without symptoms is an essential part of the easing of restrictions as it will help to quickly suppress the spread of COVID and break the chain of transmission. The rapid lateral flow tests are quick, easy and give a result within half an hour.

To help best protect the community it's recommended that everyone gets tested twice a week. If you receive a positive result you should isolate and book a confirmatory PCR test.

Remember, these test are only for those who are asymptomatic (do not have any symptoms). If you have symptoms, you need to have a PCR test.

The DFE advise that primary-aged pupils should only be tested if they are symptomatic, in which case their families should follow the guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection and book a PCR test for the child.

### Rapid Testing in Tameside

### How can I get tested?

- Order a home testing kit online: www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests
- Collect home test kits at the locations below just turn up.

Darnton Road, Ashton-under-Lyne, SK15 1NH	Every day (until the end of April)	2.30pm-8pm
Beeley Street Car Park, Hyde, SK14 2TB	Every day (until the end of April)	2.30pm-8pm
Stalybridge Civic Hall - (Old Market Hall) entrance near the Statue, Trinity Street, Stalybridge, SK15 2BN	Monday – Friday (until further notice)	9am-5pm
Active Copley, Huddersfield Road, Millbrook, Stalybridge, SK15 3ET	Tuesday 13 – Saturday 17 April Monday 26 – Friday 30 April	11am-4pm
Active Ken Ward, Hattersley Road East, Hattersley, SK14 3NL	Monday 19 April – Saturday 24 April	11am-4pm

 Visit a local asymptomatic testing site to get tested on site, no need to book just turn up.

Dukinfield Town Hall, Chapel Street entrance King Street, Dukinfield, SK16 4LA	Monday - Friday	7am-7pm
Stalybridge Civic Hall, - (Old Market Hall) entrance near the Statue, Trinity Street, Stalybridge SK15 2BN	Monday - Friday	9am-5pm

More information about rapid testing in Tameside: www.tameside.gov.uk/rapidtesting







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Tameside Libraries have stories and information books for children of all ages, including board and picture books for young children, books for children learning to read independently and all types of junior and teenage fiction and non-fiction. The library is also a great place for children to study or do homework, to use a computer and printer and for free activities during school holidays, including the annual Summer Reading Challenge.



April 2021: Libraries are now open for borrowing, PC use and pre-booked study space. Activities are currently taking place online. Check the website for up to date news on Covid restrictions.



Children can borrow 20 items from the library at any time for a loan period of 3 weeks.

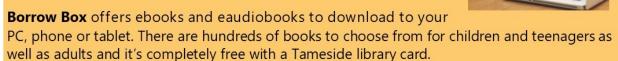
Children can also download free ebooks, talking books and comics at home using their Tameside Library card. **Children can join the library from birth and it's free!** 

### **Access Online**

### **Library Catalogue**

See what's available to borrow from the library using the library catalogue at **tameside.spydus.co.uk** or using the library app **www.tameside.gov.uk/libraries/mobileapp**.

Log in using a library card and PIN to see the books on loan, extend their loan period and reserve books to pick up at a chosen library.



**Libby** has free loans of digital magazines using a Tameside library card, including National Geographic Kids, Minecraft World, Astronomy for Kids and Raspberry Pi for Kids magazines for children.

**Encyclopedia Britannica Online** gives free access to the full text of the Encyclopedia Britannica standard edition as well as dedicated sites at Junior (age 5-10) and Student (age 10-14) level for homework use and fact finders.

Find out more about the library and get the latest Covid updates:

www.tameside.gov.uk/libraries

Search the library catalogue: https://tameside.spydus.co.uk

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## Mini Messys' Multi-Sports Session

Canon Burrows Primary School, Oldham Road, Ashton-under-Lyne,
OL7 9ND

**EVERY SATURDAY MORNING 9 - 11am** 

Ages 5 - 11

€6

## \*SESSIONS MUST BE BOOKED

Come along to make new friends, learn new skills and have lots of fun!

\*Only 45 places available! You MUST pre-book. Sibling discount applies



### Activities Include:

Dodgeball, Tri-Golf, Football, Multi-skills, Table-Tennis, Basketball, Netball, Yoga, Cricket, Curling, Hockey & many more!

All coaches DBS checked - Social Distancing Guidelines adhered too - First Aider on site

All coaches suitably qualified

To book contact Ben on 07775674785



# Mini Messys' Soccer School

West Hill School, Stamford Street, Stalybridge, SK15 1LX EVERY SATURDAY MORNING 9 - 10am

Ages 5 - 11

£5

### **\*YOU MUST BOOK**

Come along to make new friends, learn new skills and have lots of fun!

\*Only 45 places available! You MUST pre-book. Sibling discount applies

This soccer school is for children who are interested in playing football but lack in confidence. At Mini Messys we will encourage children to develop their confidence and skills in a friendly environment whilst ensuring that they are having fun.

Why not give it a try?

All coaches DBS checked - Social Distancing Guidelines adhered too - First Aider on site

All coaches suitably qualified

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