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Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Dear Parents,

Thank you for all your support at home over that last number of weeks with Remote Learning. It really has been a long, busy half term for everyone and your support has been invaluable in maintaining the link with school and getting so much work done. After six weeks working at home, the boys and girls are undoubtedly missing their friends and the social connection school provides which is also so important. The current reopening date is Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March, infection rates permitting, so hopefully we have not much longer to wait until we get back into school.

#### **HALF TERM HOLIDAY – MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> – FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

I think it is fair to say that we are all ready to have a break from online learning and that includes our teachers and classroom assistants! Please turn your devices off and take the opportunity to get away from working on a screen for a few days. Weather permitting, get outside and do something different. Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> is Pancake Tuesday, which is always a special day in school – perhaps that would be something for you all to enjoy at home.

Teachers will communicate directly with their class through Seesaw about resources and activities for after half term.

#### **SUPERVISED LEARNING**

Please email [imckane521@c2kni.net](mailto:imckane521@c2kni.net) by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February to book children in, who have no alternative child care, for 'Supervised Learning' for week beginning Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. It is important that school is kept informed if your child, who we are expecting in school, is, for whatever reason, unable to attend.

#### **COVID REMINDER**

*Please do not send your children to school if they are unwell, **particularly if they have any covid symptoms:***

- High Temperature, New / Persistent Cough, Loss of taste or smell – Stay at home, isolate and book a test. <https://covid-19.hscni.net/testing>
- Inform school immediately and advise us of the result as soon as possible.
- Pupils do not return until symptoms have gone for at least 48 hours – even if the test result was negative.

Where a child has been in school for supervised learning it is essential that parents inform the principal by email immediately if he / she becomes unwell with Covid symptoms or is being tested for Covid, even if the result ends up being negative. The Public Health Agency(PHA) procedures are very efficient and robust should a member of our community test positive, but it is useful to know in advance so that we can identify close contacts before the PHA begins their work with the school.

Best wishes for the half term break.

Yours faithfully,

I. McKane  
Principal