



St. Andrew's
C.E. Primary School

Friday 12th June 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Work for the next two weeks will be available on the school website through the 'Home Learning' link (<https://standrewsce.rochdale.sch.uk/home-learning/>). The theme for Week 13 is 'Explorers' and for Week 14 'Mythical Creatures.'

In addition, our Great Science Share competition launches this coming week. We are asking children to formulate questions and carry out their own investigations. More details are available on the school website and social media, with prizes on offer! The closing date is 23rd June 2020.

We look forward to receiving our **Year 1** children back to school from Monday 15th June, whilst remaining open for those children from key worker families across the year groups. **Reception** children are invited back from Monday 22nd June and **Year 6** from Monday 29th June. Attendance is not statutory and parents will not be penalised should they decide they do not wish for their child to return to school at this time.

The curriculum will be closely aligned for all children, whether they are in school or home learning. This includes transition opportunities which are always important to us at this time of year. We intend to give children from Years 2, 3, 4 and 5 the opportunity to come into school prior to the end of the term for a visit (a letter will follow in due course). All opportunities in school will be mirrored in the home learning curriculum.

Teachers are also busy planning for next year and the class lists for September 2020 are now available on the website.

All staff are committed to providing the safest environment for our children and we ask for your patience as we prepare for wider reopening, particularly by maintaining social distancing and directing queries through the office via email or telephone. As in the book of Romans, Chapter 8 verse 25, 'But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.'

With very best wishes

Mrs J A Rainford
Head Teacher

Dear God
Thank you that you love each of us and are
always patient with us
Please help me to show patience with those I
love and myself too
It can be hard to wait in difficult times
Please give me the strength to be patient in
everything that comes my way.
Amen