



CG/LA/Closure
03.04.2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

This would usually be the time whereupon we would be sending out the 'end of term' newsletter which, I suppose, seems somewhat inappropriate at the given time.

However, I would like to wish you all as pleasant an Easter period as can possibly be expected and hopefully this weekend should allow you all to enjoy the permitted outdoor time as much as one possibly can.

As mentioned in the previous correspondence, the term dates for 2020 / 2021 are included here. You will note that they are not too dissimilar to those for 2019 / 2020!

In terms of the Easter break, **for key workers who have no other possible means of childcare**, we will continue to be operating the same service as we do at the present time. HOWEVER, IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT YOU INFORM US OF YOUR INTENTION TO UTILISE THIS FACILITY IN ORDER THAT WE DO NOT ROTA STAFF TO BE ON SITE UNNECESSARILY. As always, you can do this using our dedicated email address, schoolclosure@belmont.rac.sch.uk, stating the days you wish your child to attend and, if not having done so already, the nature of your job role (as we are being asked to request this information to ensure the service is being appropriately utilised). Remember, children will need to bring a packed lunch with them as no school lunches will be provided during this time.

As also mentioned previously, we are not setting activities to be completed over the Easter break but will resume from the week beginning Monday 20th April. I have also been asked if packs will be sent out. This will not be the case for a multitude of reasons, but direction will be given to the online portals we have subscribed to. Remember to continue to check the Freeflow platform as I know teachers are regularly updating and sharing activities and ideas.

Many thanks once again for all that you are doing to keep your children safe and occupied. Remember, you are doing a terrific job AND IGNORE WHAT PEOPLE ON SOCIAL MEDIA WILL HAVE YOU BELIEVE THEY ARE DOING!

Take care and stay safe.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Gibson'.

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