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It was so lovely to welcome the children back to school last week. They have certainly been missed and we have enjoyed seeing them socialising with their class mates and getting back in to the school routines. Teaching staff have been assessing the children to see where they are coming out of this last lockdown. We anticipate that most children will have gaps in their learning, which is only to be expected, and we have plans in place to support every child where needed.



Communication

We are expanding our methods of keeping in touch with you. In addition to our Parentmail system, we have launched a Thurleigh Primary Facebook. We intend to post articles of interest for you each week so that you can see all the exciting things that are happening in school.

Our school website www.thurleighprimary.uk has all the latest curriculum information for you, so that you can see the planned learning for each term. You can find this under the 'Our Learning' tab. You can also find our school calendar of events, latest news, 2021-2022 term dates, gallery photos and newsletters under the 'Latest News' tab.

Red Nose Day 2021

This year Comic Relief Red Nose Day is on Friday 19th March, with the theme being 'Superheroes'. Children are very welcome to come dressed in Superhero costumes if they would like to, or alternatively in mufti clothes. We will be collecting for this very worthy cause with the suggested donation being £1 per child.

There are lots of ways to get involved if you would like to. For more ideas, here is the link to the Comic Relief website:

<https://www.comicrelief.com/rednoseday/>



Seesaw, Purple Mash and TTRockstars

Teachers will continue to set homework tasks and independent activities via Seesaw and Purple Mash.

Additionally, we will continue to set 'battles' within TTRockstars, for Willow, Chestnut and Ash classes. This has been extremely successful during the home learning and we cannot stress enough, how important it is for children to be secure in their times tables for all aspects of the Maths curriculum, as it underpins most of what we will be teaching them.

If anyone has lost their log in to any of these learning resources, please do ask your class teacher. In addition, if anyone would like some additional support or have a question to ask, we are always very happy to help.

Please note...

**There are training days on
Monday 12th April 2021
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Monday 7th June 2021**



Upcoming Dates for Your Diary

Friday 19 th March	Red Nose Day – come dressed as a Superhero or in mufti
Tuesday 23 rd March	Parent Consultations
Wednesday 24 th March	Parent Consultations
Friday 26 th March	Break up for Easter
Monday 12 th April	INSET
Tuesday 13 th April	Children return to school
Monday 19 th April	Robotics Workshops
Tuesday 20 th April	Robotics Workshops