



Purley Church of England (VC) Primary School

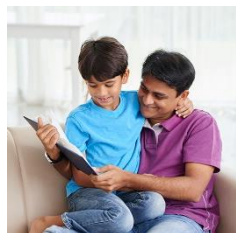
"Let all that you do be done in love" 1 Corinthians 16:14

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Dear parents/carers,

As it is the Easter holidays until April 21, I thought I'm message you today. I hope you have managed to get some Easter eggs in for yourselves as well as for your children. Chocolate is so comforting.



We have "ABC to read volunteers" come into school to support some children with their reading and they have kindly offered their guidance for us to share with you, I hope you find it useful (attached).

Don't forget VIPERS which is additional guidance - which can be found in your child's reading record or on our website

<https://www.purleyprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=Reading&pid=31>



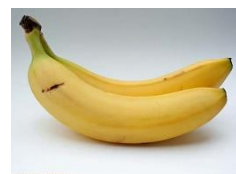
This is important for children all through the school, even when they are confident readers.

During these challenging times, it is still important to safeguard our children. If you are concerned about any activity, including online, please get in touch.

Where can I go to get support to help keep my child safe online?

There is a lot of support available to keep your child safe online. Below are some useful links to help parents and carers:

- [Thinkyouknow](#) (advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online)
- [Internet matters](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [Parent info](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [LGfL](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [Net-aware](#) (support for parents and careers from the NSPCC)



These are anxious time, should you be needing a little mindfulness there are plenty of online resources <https://www.headspace.com/meditation/kids>. Quite often there will be quite intricate colouring sheets which are not only good to calm the mind but develop fine motor control. Give the meditation a go, you will be surprised if you have never done this before! One of my favourites is eating a sweet mindfully, seeing how long you can make it last, savouring the flavour. A fun one is to have two pieces of the same

fruit and compare them. What differences can you spot? Should you need support, again, please contact us.

We are very sorry not to have our usual Passion play led by Owl class at St Mary's church this year. Mrs Pickering, to the rescue, is providing an Easter service online for all to access via our website.

<https://www.purleyprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=COLLECTIVE+WORSHIP&pid=66>

Finally a Community Support Hub has been set up to assist those who need any help and support, the hub is also there to help people who wish to volunteer in the community and don't know where to start:
Community Support Hub: westberksbct@westberks.gov.uk Tel: 01635 503579

"Let all that you do be done in love"

Love

Courage

Wisdom

Kind Regards

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