



## Welcome Back

Welcome back to the second half of the summer term. I hope everyone is keeping safe and well. School has now reopened for pupils in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 as well as for children of critical workers, pupils with EHCPs and those pupils that are vulnerable. For all other pupils school continues to remain closed. As Governmental guidance around the wider opening of school is released, we will continue to follow this closely and keep you informed.

Thank you to the families that we welcomed back this week, carefully keeping to the timings and following the new procedures has really helped to keep everyone safe. As Headteacher I am deeply grateful for your support with this.

For those pupils that are currently learning at home, the home learning team continues to be led by Mrs Turner. Mrs Turner will happily answer any questions that you may have her email address is : [homeworkteacher@thirsk-pri.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:homeworkteacher@thirsk-pri.n-yorks.sch.uk) .You may have noticed that the home learning team have started posting video lessons. We hope that these are proving useful. Over the coming fortnight we will be carrying out phone calls home. This will be to those children and families that are not currently in school, in this round of calls we will be making one call per family.

## Office hours

Thank you to everyone that has contacted the school office via the phone or by email. Please be aware that during this period, the office hours are from 8.30 -4pm Monday to Thursday and 8.30-1.00pm on Friday. Please contact the office via phone rather than in person.

For pupils who are the children of critical workers can I please remind you that you still need to book the days that you need with the school office -this helps us with planning .

## Pupil Reports

Later this month we will be sending out pupil reports. These will inform you of your child's learning over the school year up and until school closure at the end of March.