

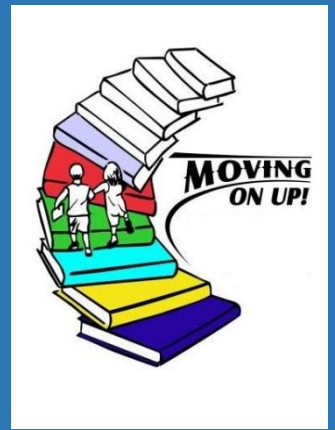
# Charing CE Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2020



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Dear children,

For the first ever time we are having to close the school early because of a national emergency. However, if we all remember to follow the guidelines we will all be safe and I cannot wait for the time when we are ready to reopen. The reason I cannot wait to reopen is because I am so proud to be your Head of School and I am so pleased with your excellent work this year. It is you, the children, who really make this school great and you have really risen to the challenges and expectations the teachers have set.

Please complete your work regularly. It is very important that you do this so when we return you are able to carry on from where you left off and we are able to make this school even better than it is today. Make sure when you are at home, you treat your parents with respect just as you do to your teachers. Remember your parents are your teachers for the time being!

Owls class, do not worry. Even if we do not open properly before September, I will make sure that we arrange for you to come back for an afternoon. This will give you a chance to say goodbye properly, so don't worry: today is not the end of your time at Charing!

Take care during the coming weeks and months. We must all remember the people who are working to keep us safe and we must all remember each other in our prayers.

Continue be amazing and tell your parents to keep in touch.

Best wishes,

Mr Bird

God of love and hope,  
you made the world and care for all creation,  
but the world feels strange right now.  
The news is full of stories about Coronavirus.  
Some people are worried that they might get ill.  
Others are anxious for their family and friends.  
Be with them and help them to find peace.  
We pray for the doctors and nurses and scientists,  
and all who are working to discover the right  
medicines  
to help those who are ill.  
Thank you that even in these anxious times,  
you are with us.  
Help us to put our trust in you and keep us safe.  
**Amen.**



#### For Owls Class

Primary School may be over for now  
With high school coming fast  
I have to tell you so far this year,  
Has simply been a blast,  
So this could be when you're moving on,  
To something fresh and new  
This school will be so different  
If we do not have you  
We've watched you grow and turn  
Into the person that you are,  
To read and write and count with ease,  
You simply are a star!  
We want you to remember  
A message from all of us  
Live your life and chase your dreams  
Whether big or small  
You are unique and wonderful  
And sadly will be missed  
So grab life and  
Forever hold it tightly in your fist  
Goodbye from us and thank you  
It has been so much fun  
Remember you are special  
And you're simply number one!

"At many times throughout their lives, children will feel the world has turned topsy-turvy. It's not the ever-present smile that will help them feel secure. It's knowing that love can hold many feelings, including sadness, and that they can count on the people they love to be with them until the world turns right side up again."

- Fred Rogers

Remember, we will update the website during term time on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please also look out for emails and texts though parent mail and messages on Facebook. We will keep you up dated as regularly as we can.