



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

8th May 2020



I hope you all managed to find a way to mark VE day today. The children in school made bunting and cards for residents of the Old Rectory Nursing Home as well as enjoying a 'street party' on the playground with the staff who were in - all completed safely as you would expect. As usual, if you have any queries, questions or your childcare needs have changed, please do not hesitate to send them to school using [contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk)

## Celebrations!

Some of this week's activities - remember whilst school is closed, if you would like to keep in touch by sharing the things your children have been doing, why not tweet us a picture? Be sure to use our tag @CapenhurstCEPS so that we can see what they've been up to.

Sophie O has been learning to ride her new bike with gears and going on rides with her family.

Ava and Issy have made bunting for the Old Rectory Nursing Home.

Lucy G enjoyed face time science lessons with her granddad.

Ethan H has been using virtual reality to work on his maths skills.

What have you been up to? Don't forget to let us know.



## Home learning and staying safe online

New emails and updated home learning sheets have been sent to each class from their teachers. Please remember that no-one is expecting you and your child to replicate the format or length of a school day when working together at home. Little and often is the best way to approach home learning - it is there to revisit concepts that have already been taught in school and keep your child's brain ticking over whilst at home. Be kind to yourselves and your child about what you are expecting of them and you!

Don't forget to check out the 'Online Safety at Home' section within our home learning section.

We are only at the end of an email if you get stuck.

Take care of yourselves and each other.

The team at Capenhurst. #teamcapenhurst

## Sharing news with school

It has been a busy week in the inbox of - [contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk) - with lots of lovely news and work being sent in. Mrs Bunting and I have enjoyed looking through them and sending them on to your teachers who have been very impressed with your work. Thank you and keep up sending us your news, work and photos.

There will continue to be emails sent home with general and specific information, please keep an eye on your inbox as the news and guidance changes almost daily!

An announcement about possible phase 2 of the lockdown is expected on Sunday; rest assured that we are working hard to stay abreast of the news and changes as they happen and will inform you of any decisions in a timely and coherent manner.

## Friends of Capenhurst

### **Facebook Page**

Many of you have been using our PTA Facebook page, 'Friends of Capenhurst School (PTA)' to share home learning ideas which is great. Please do remember that this is a closed group for **current parents/carers only**.

### **Bonus Ball**

The winning rollover bonus ball on Saturday 2nd May was number 47 which belongs to Kerry Yates! Congratulations!



## Birthday Celebrations!

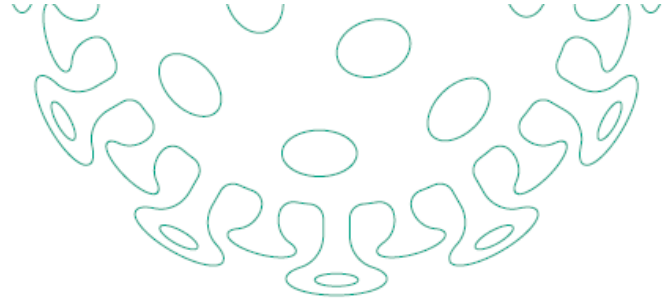
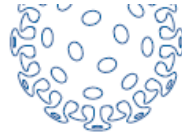
The following children celebrate a birthday this week (8th May to 14th May):

**Riley F**

## Twitter

Follow us on Twitter for class news and updates  
[@CapenhurstCEPS](https://twitter.com/CapenhurstCEPS)





# Advice on the coronavirus for places of education

## How serious is the coronavirus?

- it can cause flu-like symptoms, including fever, cough & difficulty breathing
- the infection is not serious for most people, including children
- there is currently no vaccine
- most people get better with enough rest, water to drink and medicine for pain

## How likely are you to catch the virus?

- you can only catch it if you have been close to a person who has the virus
- the chance of being in contact with the virus is currently low in the UK
- if you have travelled to areas where many people are infected, your chance of catching the virus is higher, i.e. China and any affected areas

## How can you stop coronaviruses spreading?

### If you need to cough or sneeze



Catch it with a tissue



Bin it



Kill it by washing your hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser

### You should wash hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser



After breaks & sport activities



Before cooking & eating



On arrival at any childcare or educational setting



After using the toilet



Before leaving home



Try not to touch your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands



Do not share items that come into contact with your mouth such as cups & bottles



If unwell do not share items such as bedding, dishes, pencils & towels



Stop germs spreading with our e-Bug resources on hand and respiratory hygiene lesson plans for KS1, 2 and 3: [campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools](https://campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools)

## What should you do if you feel unwell?

Keep away from others and stay at home to stop the infection spreading. Avoid public transport if you think you have symptoms of coronavirus. If you become unwell at a place of education, tell a member of staff and let them know if you have travelled to any other countries in the last 14 days.

If your staff member or parent thinks you have symptoms of coronavirus, they should call **NHS 111** for advice. Follow the UK Government advice for childcare or educational settings [gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19). Parents can visit **NHS.UK** to find out more information. Teachers and support staff should follow the UK Government advice.

Staff, students and pupils who have returned from Iran, specific lockdown areas in northern Italy, special care zones in South Korea or Hubei province China (returned in the past 14 days) should self isolate, and NOT attend education or work for 14 days. See **NHS.UK** for advice on coronavirus.

**If there is an emergency, call 999 immediately**

