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At Rokesly...

Our community is warm and welcoming

Learning is fun and fascinating

We celebrate the things that make us special

We challenge ourselves to go further

♥We are in this together – even when we are all apart♥

Dear Parents/Carers

Monday 27th April 2020

I hope you and your families are all well and that you managed to have a restful Easter break. To our families celebrating the Holy month of Ramadan: Ramadan Kareem!

It has been an unusual start to the summer term and we all look forward to a time when the school is fully open again. In the coming weeks we will continue to keep the school open for the children of key workers who carry out jobs that benefit us all. You will be aware that the national lockdown, including school closures, will continue for a further 3 weeks. There has been a lot of speculation in the press about the status of schools beyond this, but at this time, there is no information on when or how schools will reopen. We will of course keep you updated as and when we get any further information.

We also continue to make learning activities and teacher messages available for you and your child on the school website every Wednesday. There are an overwhelming number of resources available, and we are trying to help you navigate these by directing you to the most useful content each week. Last week BBC Bitesize and Oak National Academy launched online sites with daily online learning sessions. We shall be making links to both sites in the Year group home learning packs when appropriate. Our Purple Mash activities are monitored by staff who will give you feedback on work posted, and they welcome your comments.

Home Learning resources are here: <https://www.rokesly-inf.haringey.sch.uk/rokesly-home-learning-page/> We hope that you find the resources useful, but please do not worry if your child does not complete all of the work.

We will not be providing online lessons or face to face interactions (eg through Zoom) at this time, as this can present some safeguarding issues and also does not offer equality of access for all of our Rokesly families.

Thank you to all of the children that submitted an Easter cake picture. I love to see your pictures, so if you have any photos of activities you are doing at home, or artwork you have made for the weekly art challenge, please send them to the school email so I can share them online.

Rokesly art page: <https://www.rokesly-inf.haringey.sch.uk/rokesly-art-page/>

The best we can do for each other is work together to make sure we communicate, share and care – even when we are apart. Use your networks to share ideas, have group chats and make sure your friends are not alone.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding during what is a very challenging time for us all. It is very much appreciated!

Stay at home, stay healthy and stay in touch.

Grant Bright
Head teacher