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Dear Parents and Carers,

Easter Holiday Arrangements

As we approach a very different sort of Easter break, may we take this opportunity to thank you all for your support and kindness over the past few weeks. These strange times have certainly been a test for us all but our Redbrook Hayes family has continued stronger than ever and we cannot thank you enough for your messages, your dedication to learning and your love. It really is a privilege to be part of such an amazing community.

The Easter break is a time to sit back, take stock and be thankful for all that we have and we encourage you all to take this time to celebrate with your family. For this reason there will be no home learning set during this period and we will start again with our online video lessons from Monday 20th April 2020. To allow our teachers and staff time to spend with their families, they will not be replying to emails during this period but feel free to continue sharing your experiences with us and we look forward to picking them all up at the end of the holidays.

To help you stave off the boredom we have created a Family Challenge for the Easter break for those of you who wish to access it and this is now available on the school website. This is a series of home-based art, PE, science and music based fun ideas, compiled by the staff team which we think your families might enjoy at this difficult time. You can access this challenge in the letters section of the school website or via this link: <https://tinyurl.com/yx2e32au>

If you do complete any of these, please do email your class teachers and share your fun with us. We will be creating a special shout-out video showcasing your amazing entries at the end of the holidays.

We hope that you are enjoying the home-learning videos we are creating, we are learning more and more about this new way of working every day and after the break we will be moving away from your printed workbooks and towards more comprehensive video learning lessons led by your child's teacher. These will be accessed via the Redbrook Hayes Youtube channel and the school website and should be able to be accessed by your child almost independently as their teachers will be guiding them through the learning activities each day.

Mr Gaffiney has joined us in sharing a very special end of term video message which can be viewed [here](#) and on the school website. Please remember that we are here to help, whenever you need us and if you find yourself struggling over the holiday period please do get in touch and we will do all we can to help. As the class emails will not be monitored we ask that you contact us through office@redbrookhayes.staffs.sch.uk if you are in need of support.

Have a wonderful holiday period and we look forward to seeing you all again soon,

Kindest Regards,

Mrs C Pilkington
Deputy Headteacher