

Good afternoon everyone

So finally the sun has decided to make an appearance - just in time for the weekend! I feel that we should all make the most of it as I don't think it will be lasting long... I hope you all have something to look forward to.

I think it would be fair to say that staff in school are running on rather low batteries at the moment. Your children seem to have a never ending supply of energy and it's a shame that we can't tap into it sometimes! However we are determined to make the next four weeks as memorable as we can for everyone. I need to tell you that it is the support of all of you that has really made the difference to us in school. There have been several times over the last week when we have had to ask you to organise tests for your children, or to collect them from school - and there has never been a word of complaint. The understanding with which you accept our decisions has been quite humbling at times - I hope it is because you know that in all the decisions we make we put the children first - just as you do as parents. I can never say it often enough - thank you.

As you know we have several staff leaving this year - some of them you will know well and others you may not know so well. All of them will be greatly missed by us as a school. I have attached to this email a form which gives you or your child the opportunity to send a message to any of these staff - Julie Syms, Jayne Ives, Linda Truslove, Linda Reeve and Debbie O'Brien. If you would like to write a message to any of these staff please do so and send the message back to school in an envelope marked with my name.

I have spent the day sharing amazing work with some of your children, reminding me just what has been achieved this year even with so much time out of school. You should all be so proud of what your child has achieved.

Take care and have a lovely restful weekend,

Jacky