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LL14 5NH
Sunday 17th January 2021

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to report that our first full week of home learning has been very successful. Teaching staff have confirmed that between 80 and 90% of pupils are completing work tasks regularly. This is a big improvement when compared to the first school closure in March 2020.

Teaching staff are working hard every day to ensure that children receive feedback on the work they submit. Teachers also reply to lots of emails and seesaw messages daily. As the head teacher I am very proud of the way our teaching staff have adapted to this new way of working.

Sessions for keyworker children at school have also been very successful with sessions being run on both sites every day. The success of these sessions is largely down to the commitment shown by all staff which includes our teaching assistants, administrators, cleaners, breakfast club workers, kitchen staff and lunchtime supervisors. All staff have fully committed to this new way of working and work hard to ensure sessions are enjoyable and challenging but most of all – safe for the pupils.

We have seen an increase in attendance at school keyworker sessions, **we would ask that you make every effort to keep children at home wherever possible as school sessions should only be seen as the final option.** If you are working at home then please make every effort to keep your children at home.

COVID-19 infection rates in Wrexham remain extremely high so we need to keep social interactions to a bare minimum.

We all look forward to a time when we can put all this behind us and hope that the current lockdown and the promise of vaccinations in the near future allow this to happen soon.

Yours Sincerely,

J. Roberts

Head Teacher

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