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## Southway Junior School

Learning and Achieving Together

## NEWSLETTER



## **Dear Families**

We are now in to week two of the new 'normal' and I hope you are all coping well with the

significant changes we are all experiencing. I am learning so much more about the latest ways of communicating in real time. I am now guite adept in the use of Zoom!

As a teaching staff we are all in constant contact and I can assure you that we are really missing the children. They are certainly in our thoughts.

You might be aware that one way in which we are reaching out to children is through the creation of our very own 'Southway Junior' YouTube channel, which already has 25 subscribers. On there you will find teachers reading some of their favourite stories and a weekly assembly with me (and various friends!). I hope the children are enjoying watching and listening.

We would love to see and display some of the work the children have been creating so please send them to <a href="mailto:parentline@southwayjunior.co.uk">parentline@southwayjunior.co.uk</a> . If you have any suggestions, comments or questions please don't hesitate to contact us through our <a href="mailto:parentline@southwayjunior.co.uk">parentline@southwayjunior.co.uk</a> address. We are always here to help in any way we can.

No doubt you have managed to create a daily routine with your child to ensure they do not lose the excellent learning habits they have picked up and exhibit at school. Your child's class page will help with this as we have offered a simple daily timetable for guidance purposes. You will also find daily lessons provided by the best educational providers which we also use in school regularly. This page will be updated so please keep checking in.

Two of my very favourite sites at the moment are <a href="https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/">https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/</a> which is a

treasure trove of facts beautifully presented. I am also a big fan of <a href="https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/">https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/</a>. Both these sites are of the very highest quality.

Please don't hesitate to contact me directly on <a href="head@southwayjunior.co.uk">head@southwayjunior.co.uk</a> should you wish to discuss anything or ask a specific question.

Finally remember that we have a school website tab dedicated to providing you with the latest updates regarding Coronavirus which you may find helpful.

In the mean time I wish you well.

Kind regards

Mr P Newbold Headteacher





