



Great Denham Primary School

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EXCELLENCE RESPECT COURAGE DETERMINATION FRIENDSHIP EQUALITY

29th May 2020

A message from the head.....

I hope you have all had a nice half term and a break from the home learning! We are very much looking forward to seeing some of our children back in school next week!

On Tuesday next week we will be taking part in the Young Voices Power in Me project. Young Voices are attempting to get into the Guinness book of records for the most singers singing 'Power in Me.' I was interviewed by ITV news yesterday about our school's involvement in this project as this was the song we used in our video to the staff from the children. We will be taking part in school and it would be great if some of the children still at home could to! Sign up to take part at <https://www.youngvoices.co.uk/powerinme> and join the sing along at 2.30pm on Tuesday 2nd June. You can also watch myself, Mrs Swanepoel, Samuel, Maxwell and Summer on the ITV Anglia news on Tuesday evening!

If your child is in Pre-School, Reception, Year 1 or Year 6 and you have chosen not to send your child back to school on 1st June, please note, due to further new guidance since writing to you, we have had to change our organisation of some bubbles so therefore it will not be possible for 'new' children to just join as and when parents wish. If you decide that you would like your child to return to school at a later date, please email us and we will do our best to accommodate you. This may mean your child has to go into a bubble in their year group that may not be their actual class or onto a waiting list for us to open a new bubble. As I said before please do not just send your child back into school.

Have a lovely weekend,

Denise Burgess




Home Learning Packs

Thank you to those parents who completed the survey regarding if you would like a printed home learning pack, the response was overwhelmingly that parents would! Therefore, home learning packs will be available on the days outlined on the next page. They will be left under the canopy by the main entrance. Please collect your child's pack which will be labelled with their name on. The table will not be able to be 'manned' as all staff will be working in bubbles in school so please only come for your child's pack on the allocated day. I am afraid this means that you may need to make 2 trips on different days if you have siblings in different year groups. Please note the times for Pre-School, Reception, Year 1 and 6 are only for children **who are not attending school**. The work in the packs will be mirrored in class by the year groups attending. Parents of children in care club do not need to collect a pack either. We are not able to deliver packs this term so we will require parents to collect them. If this is a difficulty for you please let us know.

If you would like work to complete in the day(s) before your pack is ready please can we encourage you to use the online resources at BBC or the National Oak Academy.


Date	Year Group	Time for collection
Monday 1 st June	Year 5	12.15 pm – 2.45pm
Tuesday 2 nd June	Year 4	9.30am – 12 pm
Tuesday 2 nd June	Year 3	12.15pm – 2.45pm
Wednesday 3 rd June	Year 2	9.30am – 12pm
Wednesday 3 rd June	Year 1 (children not in school)	12.15pm – 2.45pm
Thursday 4 th June	Reception (children not in school)	9.30am – 12pm
Thursday 4 th June	Year 6 (children not in school)	12.15pm – 2.45pm
Friday 5 th June	Pre-School (children not in school)	9.30am – 12pm



THE POWER IN ME

Be part of the World's Largest Children's Choir at Home

Young Voices invites you to sing with Children, Teachers and Parents all over the World, sign up today (all for free).



#PowerinMe #ThankYouTeachers #YVatHome

