

Benfieldside Primary Newsletter April 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that our April newsletter finds you fit and well and that you enjoyed the Easter holidays. We are very much looking forward to a summer term where things may begin to be a bit more familiar, after the difficult times we have all endured during the covid pandemic. When the school reopened, the children returned to school in a very positive manner. Thank you to all those parents and carers who ensured that their children engaged with the remote learning provided by our teachers during lockdown- the pupils have benefitted hugely from it and returned to school ready to learn. We have the same restrictions and guidance in place as we did before the Easter break and appreciate you supporting us to keep everyone safe by adhering to our requests.

Best wishes, Mrs Addison Headteacher.

Please view our website www.benfieldside.durham.sch.uk and/or follow us on [Twitter@BenfieldsidePr1](https://twitter.com/BenfieldsidePr1)



Please support us with our reading initiative, by enjoying books and other reading materials with your child/children as often as possible.

We will continue to present our weekly Reading Trophy in Friday assembly.

Thank you for your support.



Congratulations to Mrs Kerry (formerly Mrs Coombe) on her marriage to Mr Kerry during the Easter holidays- we wish them a happy and healthy future.

Safeguarding:

Safeguarding and Child Protection concerns can be shared with our Senior Designated Person (DSP) and the four Deputy DSPs, who will listen, advise, or report as appropriate.

Mrs Addison- DSP

Mrs Rowell -Deputy DSP Miss Clarkson -Deputy DSP

Mrs Coombe- Deputy DSP Mr Wright - Deputy DSP

Please be aware that any parents or carers who are worried about a risk of significant harm to a child can share their concerns by contacting First Contact on 03000267979

All Benfieldside staff are L1 safeguarding trained.

Our Safeguarding Governor is Mrs Knapp.

