

Wednesday 17th June 2020

Dear Y6 Parents/Carers,

Year 6 Update

Firstly, in case you haven't heard the exciting news, Mrs Patel and her husband welcomed a gorgeous, healthy, baby boy into the world on the 5th June. His name is Milo and the family are doing really well – if you check the Y6 blog page on the website you will be able to see a photograph of the new arrival and send on your well wishes if you would like to do so!

Secondly, it has been an absolute delight to welcome so many of Y6 back to school! We missed them very much and continue to think about those who remain at home.

In terms of end of year celebrations, we have recruited the wonderful talents of Mr Allinson (our old music teacher) who is going to compose an end of year Leavers' song with the class – albeit from a distance © Those of you who are familiar with Mr Allinson will know that he is capable of great things musically and we know the standard will be high. This will replace the traditional Leavers' Play which, sadly, is not possible to organise logistically while strict measures remain in place in school.

We are all very excited about a Leavers' Song for 2020 and the children in school are beginning to contribute ideas about what words/lines and ideas they would like to include. Mrs Patel is also keen to contribute from afar which brings us to our children who remain learning from home.

Mr Hernandez is going to create a Y6 Leavers' song blog so that the Y6 children at home can also contribute their thoughts and ideas – you are also very welcome to email these to the school office or to give us a call.

Once the song has been composed, we will be in touch with ideas about how children at home can be involved with learning the song and being part of the final outcome – we are hoping to create a video to go alongside the singing so that every member of Y6 will have a record of their production.

Please do encourage your child to contribute so that it is a real Y6 team effort.

We will be in touch with further Y6 leavers' updates.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

The Senior Leadership & Y6 Team