

## STAYING CONNECTED

Staying connected is really important. It might be more difficult than usual for you and your family to feel connected, to stay safe and healthy and to keep busy over the next few months.

We want to make it really easy for you to stay in touch with us and so we've set up lots of different ways to keep Five Acre Wood talking. At the moment, we have four main ways that we're sharing and talking to you. **We would ask that you try to use all of them so that you don't miss any important information!**

## WAYS TO STAY CONNECTED



### Parentmail

#### What you can do:

*Download the Parentmail app to your phone*

*Make sure that the school has your most up to date email address*

*Speak to your teacher if you don't receive parent mail updates*

#### What to expect:

- Daily updates on how the school is adapting to the Covid-19 situation
- Termly newsletters from Peggy, therapy team and learning approach leads
- Information about social events that the school might be running
- Information about parents evenings, and parent consultations
- Links to resources or resources that our staff have made which you might find useful



### Phone calls from your class team

#### What you can do:

*Set up a regular time with your pupil's class teacher to catch up*

*Make sure we have the best number to phone you on*

#### What to expect:

- Regular check ins to make sure that your family and your children are busy, healthy, safe and well connected
- An opportunity to discuss any issues related to school which might be related to your child's

learning, support they are receiving or keeping your child safe and healthy.

## Facebook

### What you can do:

*Like our page! Five Acre Wood School and Friends of Five Acre Wood School*

### What to expect

- Stories about Five Acre Wood School and our community
- Information about events that are happening at the school
- Stories about things we are doing to raise money for new resources at school
- Opportunities to get involved in volunteering at school
- Pictures and videos which let you know more about what Five Acre pupils, staff and pupils are doing
- Discussions about how we can make the school and the services that we provide more useful for you and your family
- Resources which might be useful for your child and family
- Links to resources, events and groups that might be useful to you and your family
- Conversations between families about information that might be useful to you and your child



## Email

### What you can do:

*Please take a note of your pupil's class teacher's email address*

*If you want to get in touch then please **do not call the school** Email your class teacher and they will call you, or email you back*

### What to expect

- A direct way to contact to your class teacher
- A way of receiving resources, advice and activities for your child



## Look for your child's class email address



- **Chaffinch** jgriffin-garcia@five-acre.kent.sch.uk

#### **STRUCTURED APPROACH**

- **Badger** AGarton@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
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- **Dormouse** jcadman@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
- **Squirrel** JMyburgh@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
- **Fox** lscott@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
- **Otter** rberry@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
- **Rabbit** BSmallwood@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
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