

Fierté Multi Academy Trust

Ankermoor Primary Academy



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1st June 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

Today, we welcomed back Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 children whilst still working with those from key worker and vulnerable families.

Can I just say – the children were absolutely outstanding! On entry, all families followed the correct procedures and timings of arrival. In addition to this, we didn't get 1 child crying or clinging on to their family member! Well done moms and dads!

Throughout the day, the children have focused on getting back in to a routine – something they did with absolute ease! Lots of activities were planned to support their emotional well-being and support them with any anxieties or worries about coming back.

We will continue to support these areas for the next few weeks to ensure all children are ready for a more structured approach. That way, maths, english, reading, phonics, handwriting and any basic other skills can be taught in the morning and a more creative approach can be considered during the afternoon. This will help ensure that gaps don't widen even more, considering the amount of learning that has been missed.

For children not in school currently, staff will continue to keep in touch via phone calls and the use of 'Teams' and will ensure work is set on the curriculum pages of the website. To access these, visit the Ankermoor website via Goggle and click the 'Curriculum' link to enter your child's class page or click this link from the text sent below:

https://www.ankermoor.staffs.sch.uk/page/?title=Curriculum&pid=22

We look forward to welcoming more children back before the end of the term but if you need anything please call 213780 or email <u>office@ankermoor.org</u>

Stay safe and take care,

Simon Russell Headteacher



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