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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you and all your family and friends are keeping well. All the staff at school are keeping well.

Hopefully you will be able to enjoy some of the sunny weather forecast for the Bank Holiday weekend in your garden, if you are lucky enough to have one, or on a permitted walk. There are suggestions for VE day activities on our website and there will be various programmes broadcast about VE day on Friday.

As you may be aware we are awaiting a Government briefing on Sunday about any potential forthcoming changes to the Lockdown. At the present time we do not have any further information.

When we have any information I will discuss this with my staff and Governors and then we will send out information as soon as we can. If there are any changes they will need careful planning for to continue to try to ensure everyone remains safe. The safety and wellbeing of everyone remains a priority.

You have all been doing an absolutely fabulous job; just keeping going and being cheerful is amazing. Remember that the emotional wellbeing of all is the priority and for yourselves and your children to look back at this momentous time in history with some happy memories through such strange times. I hope you have all managed to create some happy moments together.

Stay safe and well, you remain always in our hearts and we will look forward to seeing you all soon.

Best wishes Karen Wrixon

Picture by Charlie Mackesy.









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