



# The **BROADCAST'**

Newsletter 21: Friday 12th February

Dear Families

Enjoy half term!

It was lovely to finish the term in such a positive way. The staff are very grateful for your generous gifts of hand cream and are really appreciative for the work you have done yourselves to ensure this term has run as smoothly as possible.

We were delighted that so many families were able to join in our whole school art lesson on Thursday afternoon. It was incredibly emotional to see your children's faces together on the screen reminding us of those times we used to be together as a whole school community.

## Live Lessons

Following the positive feedback we have had from the art lesson and the fact that over 70 pupils were able to access the lesson using devices at home we have organised for more weekly live lessons.

- On Friday 26th February at 1.30pm we will run an online cookery lesson. Look out on Monday 22nd February for this planned on the weekly timetable. A list of ingredients will be available on See Saw on Monday too so that you can prepare what you need and get your cooking station ready. The hyperlink will also be on Google Classroom on Friday morning.
- On Thursday 4th March at 10.15am Mrs Ettrick will lead a World Book Day session. No preparation is needed for this event. Snuggle down with your child/ren and enjoy listening along. The link will be on Google Classroom on the morning of the event.



## What you can expect after half term

Monday 22nd February

- Weekly timetable on Seesaw
- New PAWS sheet
- New topic web

We are planning to all be back in school for Monday 8th March. On Monday 22nd February we are hoping that this is what The Government will ratify.

We are planning to hold Parents Evenings in March so that we can gauge the progress, motivation and effort that you are aware of from the home learning. This will support us to begin the journey to get all children back on track with Castle Hill School expectations. These will be held remotely. Details to follow.