



Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January

Dear parent/carers,

We are now into the second week of our lockdown learning and are beginning to come to terms with our new reality. I know that these are difficult, anxious and stressful times for all of us, but we have been here before and are better prepared this time round. We will get through this and there will be better days ahead of that I am sure.

I would like to start by thanking you for the many kind and supportive comments we have received, our school sense of community has really grown through this national crisis and we are all more appreciative than ever of the support we give and receive from each other.

I have been bowled over by the amazing and hard work of my teachers in getting to grips with the new class groupings, teaching methods and technology that they have created in such a short period of time and in the amazing efforts you are all going to, supporting your children as they learn.

We are all trying to evolve our new systems and so I would like to invite you to attend a Zoom meeting on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> January at 6:00 pm in which you can share your thoughts, good and bad, on how our lockdown learning is working. We need to work together if we are to get the balance right around learning from home and the level of expectation that is appropriate.

Now, more than ever teaching your children is an exercise in partnership, we are in this together, but there is no community with whom I would prefer to be working, Morecambe Bay School Community is very special and precious. Together, we can!

The details for this meeting are as follows:

Topic: Parent meeting 14.1.21

Time: Jan 14, 2021 06:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/91610640153?pwd=ZytFTTloNDhqV0dhanZERmVsQVI5UT09>

Meeting ID: 916 1064 0153

Passcode: qpeUd3

I look forward to meeting as many of you as possible tomorrow, we will aim to finish by 6:30 pm.

Yours,

*Siobhan Collingwood*