



# The Clinton Church of England Primary School

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*'Together we nurture, love and learn whilst aspiring for excellence.'*

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Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 16, 2020

Dear Parents/ carers,

There has been lots of great learning again this week, I have attached photos below for your perusal.

As always the children make me exceptionally proud and this week they blew me away when I asked them about the character virtue of gratitude – what it means and what they were thankful for. Many children spoke of being thank for their families, for their Mums and Dads because they protect them and keep them safe and for free education. All responses warmed my heart.

As the week has progressed classes have looked further at gratitude to support them in planning for the Virtual Harvest Worship on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm. It has been wonderful to see so many of you sign up to attend this and we look forward to greeting you via zoom next week. As part of harvest week we will be placing clear boxes outside each school gate all week for children and parents to donate Non – Perishable food for a local food bank. We understand that times are challenging for all but anything will help those most in need.

There has been much on the news this week regarding COVID 19 and the rising cases. At present we still sit in the medium risk tier that was announced on Monday however can I please remind everyone that if any family member is symptomatic and awaiting results then the whole of the household needs to isolate. We have remote learning in place to support families that are having to do this, please keep in touch through phone calls and emails to admin.

Finally, we are sad that we cannot invite parents into school as there are so many wonderful things happening and learning taking place. We are uploading to twitter each week and our school website is being continually updated. Please remember to take a look, the school website is [www.clintonanddolton.org](http://www.clintonanddolton.org) and our twitter account is: @clinton\_dolton

We are always wanting to improve communication between parents and are reviewing how we do this over the next few weeks. Please look out for a google form created by myself and the Local Schools Committee to complete, your thoughts and ideas would be greatly appreciated – we want to get it right for you whilst managing the work life balance and wellbeing of all staff.

Wishing you a wonderful, safe weekend.

Warmest regards,

*R Sharpe* Mrs. Rachael Sharpe

