# Hove Junior School Newsletter Children Tuesday 21st April 2020



Dear Children,

We hope that you are safe and well at home. We have missed you all very much at school and are looking forward to talking to you more using Google Classroom.

We know this is a difficult time for many of you and that you are missing your friends and teachers very much. We have enjoyed reading and been incredibly proud of the many messages and work that you've shared with us by email already in the two weeks that you've been at home. Even though we are apart at the moment, all of you are in our thoughts. We hope you enjoy the class letters you receive this week and can't wait to read your letters back if you decide to write one.

### **Running Challenge**

As some of you may remember we were going to start our Olympic topic this term and start training for a shared marathon across both schools with our 26 classes, with each class running a mile each. Even though we have moved the topic to the Summer Term 2021 we would still love you all to train for a run using your daily exercise, when you can. We can then all complete the run together as a school community on our return to school. On the day(s) of the actual run, this would be a lovely opportunity to donate and raise funds for the NHS. This can be our way of coming back together as a team and supporting each other for a good cause.

Your teachers will also give you all ideas and advice on training and along with ourselves, we know Mrs Tamlyn, Mrs Deacon, Mr Kelsey and Miss Allum-Watts have been already running during the Easter break. Many of the other staff have also used their exercise time to cycle and keep fit in many different ways. If you want to send in a photo of yourself 'keeping fit' and/or 'running' please send these in and will we share them each week in our school newsletter. I know I have run a lot more during this time and found it a great way to energise and keep fit. We have included some photos below of myself, Mrs Cummings and Mr Kelsey training while we are in school looking after key worker children.

#### Thankyou

Please can you all also say thank you to your parents/carers for their goodwill hampers for staff who are working in school during this difficult time. We really appreciate your support and good wishes.

We look forward to hearing from you and we will be sending you all a video message for your Google Classroom this week.

Best wishes,

Mrs Southern & Mrs Cumming



## **Running Challenge**

Mrs Southern, Mrs Kelsey and Mrs Cummings in training!





## **Eggstravganza Competition**

Over the Easter break, children were set the challenge of drawing or making an Easter egg design of their choice. We received a colourful array of submissions, which have been included below. Submissions are still coming in – winners to be announced in next week's newsletter.

























## This Won't Be Forever Poster

Here's a fun poster for children to colour in, which can also be found on the website under Art Home Learning for each year group, in the Children Hut - <u>hovejuniorschool.co.uk/children</u>

