

# TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2020



**Thank you from all the School  
Governors to all the staff at Twerton  
Infants and Nursery School for going  
above and beyond to keep the school  
running, delivering learning packs;  
lunches and more, whilst you support  
the community in these challenging  
times.**

**We applaud you!**



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# Dear Parents and Carers

## Exceptional Times

It has been almost 2 weeks since the school was instructed to close its doors in response to the outbreak of coronavirus.

In such a short space of time so much has changed and so much is still uncertain. We hope you are managing with the changes as best as can be expected and we are here to help if we can.

Teachers will be in regular contact with you by telephone and SMS, so please let them know of any difficulties you are experiencing that we may be able to help with.

Also, please note details of the Coronavirus Helpline:

## **CORONAVIRUS HELPLINE**

B&NES 3SG has today launched a helpline for residents in Bath and North East Somerset who need support because they are sick or self-isolating from coronavirus. The number is:

**0300 247 0050**

**The helpline will be in operation every day between  
9.00am - 5.00pm.**

**PLEASE NOTE** the helpline should not be used to seek medical advice but can support you in some of the following ways:

- If you need to collect a prescription
- If you require an emergency food parcel
- If you need a gas or electricity meter top-up
- If you are feeling anxious or lonely and need to talk to somebody

**Please make sure that your friends, family and neighbours are aware of this helpline.**

A big thank you to all of the volunteers who are a part of this effort to support our communities!

## **Foodbank**

Rose Cottage is open on **Monday between 6pm and 7pm** and on **Thursday between 9:30am and 10:30am.**

## **Packed Lunches Available**

We can provide a packed lunch to any child in the school that would like one; the choice is **ham** or **cheese** sandwiches.

From next week, families will need to arrange for the lunches to be collected from school. **N.B. The helpline above may be able to help with collecting lunches over the Easter holiday period.**

Please do contact the school by SMS or leave a voicemail message if you are not currently receiving a lunch and you would like one.

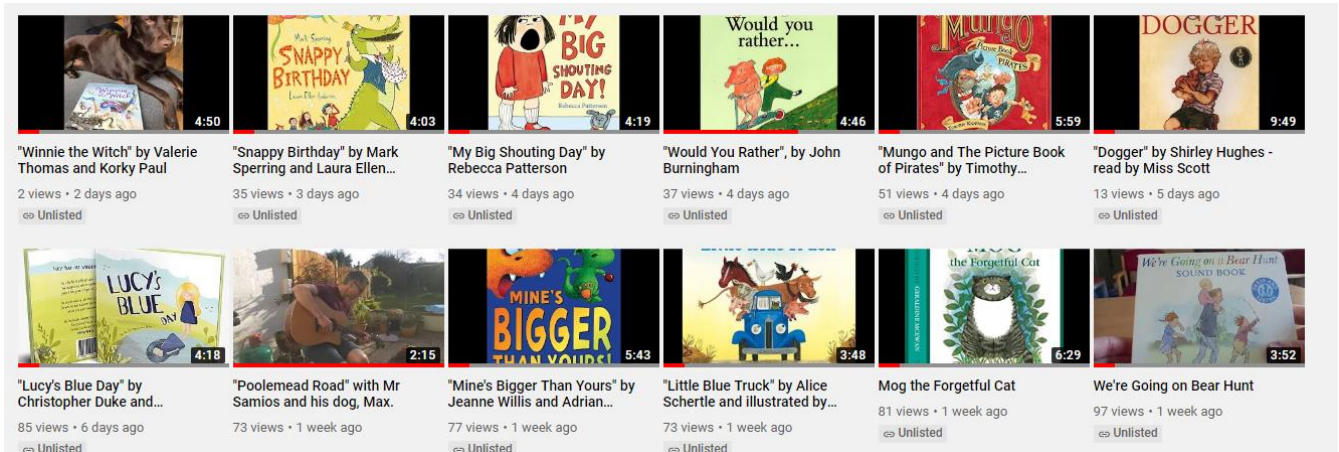
- You can send us an SMS message to: **07786 201170**
- School telephone numbers: (01225) **423526** & **314745**
  - Press '**3**' to leave a message on the answer machine.

# Ongoing Learning & Continuing Community

We will continue to use our **website**, **Facebook** and **YouTube** to communicate with you all.

We have uploaded a number of **video clips** of members of staff reading some of their **favourite books**:

<https://twertoninfant.school/online-learning/#Books>



We are also sharing some of the photos that you have sent in of the activities your children are enjoying at home. These are really helpful for spreading good ideas and spurring the children on. Do take a look:

<https://twertoninfant.school/childrens-gallery/>

You can send **photos** and **video** clips to **twerton.infants@gmail.com** and these will be forwarded on to your child's teacher.

You may also want to **record your child**, or **even yourself**, **reading a favourite book**. We would love to be able to share these things within our Learning Community.



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