



ONCHAN HUB NEWSLETTER



Friday 10th April 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

As has become customary on a Friday in the Onchan 'Hub', I'm pleased to write to you to keep you updated with everything that's been going on at school.

Last week, Team A worked across the school with Mr Kelly, from the Laxey / Dhoon Federation, coordinating the hub. This week it's been a pleasure to work alongside colleagues from all four schools and witness the exciting opportunities on offer.

In what would be the first week of the Easter break, you won't be surprised to find out that plenty of Easter-based activities have been on the agenda, with all schools getting creative! From card making to creating bunny ears and egg hunts to Easter baskets, everyone has thoroughly enjoyed the activities on offer!

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, routines are well established and all children are becoming well used to washing their hands at regular intervals throughout the day. We have been blessed with lovely weather throughout the week which has meant the children can spend significant time in the fresh air!

We have also been supported by the MSR team this week, and our community coaches, Callum and Adam, have been extremely complimentary about the children's behaviour and attitude during the sessions. I wanted to reassure you that during these activities, the coaches continue to stress the importance of social distancing and set up games and activities that ensure children remain an appropriate distance from each other.

Mrs Griffiths, from Onchan Primary School, will be leading the Hub next week. I am sure she'll be happy to provide a further update at the end of the week.

In the meantime, I hope everyone keeps safe and manages to enjoy the Easter weekend. I have heard the Easter bunny has been given 'key worker' status, so fingers crossed you're able to enjoy something delicious over the weekend!

Kind regards,

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