



*"Learning is a journey, to be taken together, one step at a time"*



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Today's update...week 9.

I hope everyone is keeping well and enjoying the sunshine which, even if like me, you can't actually get outside very much due to work. Hopefully if it stays well over the weekend that will make up for it a little!

The children have all continued to thrive this week and we have started to see our numbers creep up a bit. Obviously, there is now the Government's announcement that after TT, Years 2 and 6 are able to come back into the schools also and we will be moving away from the Hub set up into our own schools once more. The Hub will carry on working at its' present capacity all of next week with the usual rotation of staff coming in who are not working from home. We have had so much positivity from so many of you about our Onchan Hub both in person and on posts which I see on Social Media. The teachers are still also busy working on home learning for next week before they will be having a well-deserved break over what would have been TT. We also need to start getting our own schools prepared for the period of time after the break so if anything, we seem to be even busier than we have been over the last nine weeks.

It has been an absolute delight having new children in our Onchan building. This organisation was certainly not anything I could ever have envisaged, but the opportunity to meet with other staff and your children has been something that I will not forget for a very long time.

Thank you for all of your support and from me, please continue to stay well so that we can hopefully combat this virus on our Island by taking the right precautions at the right time.

Have a lovely weekend.

Jo Richardson

Headteacher (Onchan)