

# "Growing together at the heart of God's community



## Glazebury C.E. Primary school

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# Assessment information for parents- 2019-2020

#### **CONTEXT:**

In March 2020, the Government instructed a national lockdown as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic (Covid 19) sweeping the nation. All schools were required to close, as educational establishments and remain open for vulnerable children and the children of keyworkers.

Glazebury CE Primary stayed open through this time including holidays, until reopening on the 8<sup>th</sup> June ,2020, where we welcomed back all the children that the government health and safety guidelines would permit (Year 6, Year 1, EYFS vulnerable and keyworkers). We were at approximately 69% of normal school attendance. Full educational opening of school began in September 2020.

Glazebury CE Primary delivered learning packs to all children during this time, which included a balance of learning, craft and well being materials. This was produced every two weeks and resources from the website were also available as an extra opportunity to learn.

Assessment information for Parents – 2019-2020. May we start by saying that all your children have been exceptional and each and every one of should be proud of their determination, hard work and perseverance that they have shown particularly during the Covid -19 lockdown period. They are credit to you, the school and themselves. As ever, whilst assessment is a very important part of our children's learning journey, I like to think they are also a smaller part of the whole child and assessments don't assess all the skills that children possess.

All national assessments did not take place during this academic year as per government directive- these include:

- Year 6 End of Year information 2019/2020: English Grammar, punctuation and Spelling, English Reading, Mathematics and Science
- Year 2 End of year Information 2019/2020: Teacher assessment of reading, writing and Science
- Year 1 phonic screening check

## Teacher assessments have been provided to the DFE regarding this

At Glazebury CE primary we have analysed children's lost learning and incorporated a catch up programme into our curriculum which can be found on our website.

Children's well being and emotional health will always be the priority at Glazebury CE, and we always consider our mantra to be: "I can, YOU can, WE can" to encourage and support all.

Kind regards

Karen Mowbray

Head Teacher