

CHAPMANSLADE CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL



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3rd September 2020

Dear Blossom Parents,

PE will begin again next Thursday with Wiltshire Cricket coming in to deliver skills coaching sessions for Willow, Oak and Redwood. Blossom pupils will have PE with their class teachers while the youngest pupils settle in to school life.

The Wiltshire Cricket programme is for KS1 and KS2 pupils only, and is not suitable for Reception pupils. Usually, we would ensure that all Year 1 pupils experience the coaching together, with Blossom Y1s joining in with Willow class. However, due to the Covid-security requirement to maintain 'bubbles' within school, we are unable to offer Wiltshire Cricket coaching to year 1 pupils in Blossom at this time. I will ensure equality of access to outside specialist sports coaching for all children, hopefully by offering Wiltshire Cricket coaching to Blossom Y1s later in the year, or by prioritising Blossom Y1s for other specialist coaching that arises.

All pupils should arrive at school on Thursdays wearing <u>full outdoor PE kit</u> during term 1. This will minimise the number of items moving between school and home and help to keep everyone safe. It is essential that children have black tracksuit bottoms and warm tops over shorts and polo shirts, as well as well-fitting trainers, because PE will take place outside whatever the weather (unless conditions are too dangerous).

Yours sincerely, Mrs Chapman

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