

Weekly Word

5.3.2021

To all Parents/Carers,

Well, we finally made it!

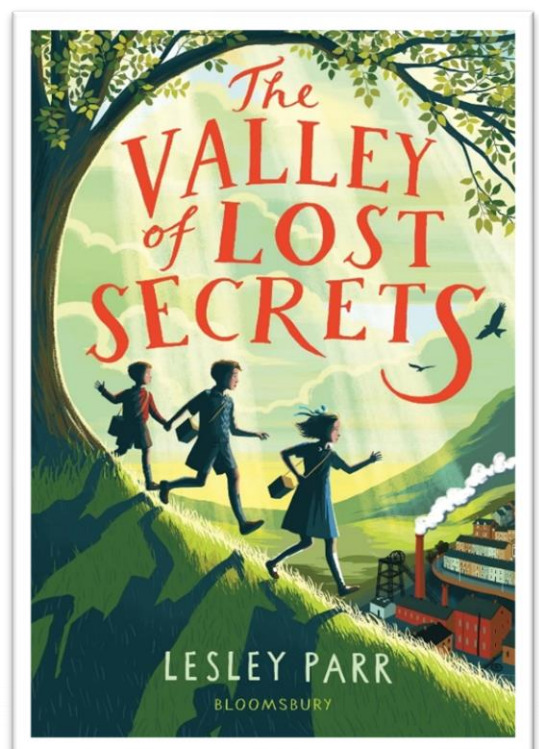
Lockdown 3.0 has now come to an end and we can look forward to school opening its doors once again on Monday. Once again, a huge thank you to you all for remote learning, keeping your child(ren) at home as often as you could and doing your bit to keep things going. It has all been greatly appreciated and hopefully we can now really focus on the immediate future and into next year.

If you haven't already, please read the ['Back to School'](#) Plan as we are still taking calls about start times, which gate to come in and various other FAQs. Everything is in there so please take one last look before Monday.

In other news, in case you missed it, we were joined by Lesley Parr on Tuesday for a special story session with the Y3 to Y6 children.

She read a chapter from her book 'The Valley of Lost Secrets' and it was fantastic. The children were captivated and she even agreed to award some signed copies of her book to three children drawn out of a hat. The winners will receive their prize next week and hopefully, when things are back to normal, she will come into school and do a proper face to face visit.

I also want to make a special plea to anyone interested in becoming a Midday Supervisor at school. It would be just under two hours each day (for as many days as you can spare) and it would involve looking after the children on the field, helping out in the hall with dinners and making sure they are all safe and having fun! If you are interested, please contact the school office (admin@markeaton.derby.sch.uk) and we can go from there. They are a lovely team to work for and I am sure they wouldn't mind me saying on their behalf that they enjoy what they do 😊



As a reminder, school will close on Wednesday 31st March as we have an INSET day on 1st April and the day after that it is Good Friday. Then we are back on Monday 19th April and the Summer Term can begin!

Finally, there are lots of roadworks on Bromley St and the surrounding roads so my advice would be to park and ride on Monday or walk if you can as it will be utter chaos if everyone decides to drive!

Have a lovely weekend and I will see you all on Monday at the gate.

Mr I. Johnson