



Dear Children,

Good morning! This week is going so quickly! Every day is a day closer to having everyone back in school. There are so many things I cannot wait for - even the noise in the dining room and the paint handprints on the cloakroom doors! I am also looking forward to:

- Seeing Mr Browne dance on the staffroom coffee table again
- Helping Miss Grainger putting up displays
- Listening to Mrs Foster singing in the Nursery (she is very good!)
- Mrs Pyle sharing funny cartoons and pictures
- Mr Massey helping us on the computer
- Miss Bass helping us when we get stuck with Apps on our phones
- Mrs Broad thinking of lots of creative ideas (some of them are crazy - but fun!)
- Mrs Wood helping us with re-cycling and telling us about nice vegan recipes
- Listening to Mrs Mesher encouraging Mrs Pyle and Miss Grainger to go for a run and then telling us about all the children they have seen when they get back
- Visiting Mrs Gloyn in her new office with a real WINDOW and seeing how happy she will be not to have to work in a cupboard!
- Seeing how happy Mrs Abrahams is when she has got stuck on the computer and someone has helped her to get unstuck
- Mel showing us how to do clever things with our phones
- Year 6 singing and dancing, looking after the office and chatting to me at lunchtime through the door next to me.

Happy times ahead!



Happy Birthday to Kathleen and Caleb!



Our thought for today is: Be someone who today, makes others look forward to tomorrow!



Song for today: Can't stop the feeling - there is a song along version here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TsoM1UKvjDg>



Today's challenge: Can you design a delicious sandwich? What would you put in? Would you make it multi layered? I have been thinking about my favourite things: prawns, chocolate, marmite, olives, strawberries and smoked salmon - I don't think I would like them all in the same sandwich! If your parents let you, you could make your own sandwich for lunch. Let me know your favourite combinations!

I cannot wait to see you again!

Love from Mrs Pollard xx

Read on for messages from your teachers ...

Hello again Nursery,

Having built dinosaur houses yesterday I thought perhaps you could build a dinosaur den today. What will you make your den out of? What things would you have in your den? Perhaps you could cut out some large leaf shapes and snip into them to make palm leaves to disguise the front of your den. I'm sure your dinosaurs or animals will have great fun playing with you in your den. You could take a book into your den to read to your dinosaurs before bedtime!

Of course, dinosaurs didn't live in houses! So you could make a dinosaur habitat for your dinos to play in. Habitat is a word which means the place where they lived. What was it like when the dinosaurs lived? You could watch some episodes of Andy's prehistoric adventures on BBC iplayer to get some ideas. What will you have in your dinosaur habitat; Mountains, forests, deserts, volcanoes, lakes? I've put some pictures on Google classroom for you to look at too.

Maybe you could paint a picture of a dinosaur world.

Mrs Foster x

Happy Thursday Reception

How did you get on with your pictures yesterday? Did you find it hard to draw a picture of yourself? I have been enjoying doing some flower colouring pictures and I have also put up a rainbow in my window.

Today you have got some more photographs with your Spring writing ~ Can you tell me what you know about lambs and chicks?

Have fun!

Your challenge for today is.....

Can you learn to spell the longest word you can find in one of your books?

My favourite long word is hippopotamus!



Love from

Mrs Pyle

x

It's Thursday! Nearly the weekend!

How are we all doing today? Make sure you are still exercising lots and keep reading too! We are extra lucky again today as we have a wonderful message from Mrs Bick!

Hello everyone in Year 1. It feels like so long since I've seen you all. I hope you are all keeping well and enjoying the sunshine. I hear that you are all working hard and filling up the workbooks we gave you. My son Alex has been doing his school work at home too so I've been helping him. I have also been painting my house and doing work in the garden, but I'd much rather be at school with you all. I can't wait to see you and hear all your news. Keep safe and well. Sending big hugs, love Mrs Bick x

Isn't it lovely hearing from everyone! If you would like to send Mrs Mansell, Mrs Bundy or Mrs Bick a message back then just email Miss Bass and she will send it on for you.

Today's work is the start of a little dragon project! For English you must draw and describe a nice dragon! What colour is it? Can it talk? We are so excited to hear about them!

In Maths you must think about sharing! Pete, Molly and Dave have 8 round shells, 4 big shells and 15 tiny shells. What is the fairest way to share them out? What could you use to help you find the answer? This afternoon you have some science work ready for you on PurpleMash!

Have a fabulous day

Mr Massey and Miss Bass



Good Morning Year Two children!!

I hope you had an excellent Wednesday! I hope you are all still reading every day! Have you read any interesting books?

I would love to hear about them!

I have been doing a lot of just dance to keep fit.... I am getting quite good at the routines now but I do look quite silly!!

I am teaching myself how to cook Chinese too! I will show you some pictures soon!

Have a thrilling Thursday!

Remember to fill in your weather chart!!

Here is a joke for you because I know how you love to read them.

Why did the boy throw butter out the window?



To see butter fly. (DO NOT TRY THIS AT HOME)!

See you soon..... crescent moon...

Love Miss Grainger x

Hello Year 3,

How is everyone doing? I hope you enjoyed the Pam Ayres Poem and comprehension yesterday. It is a funny one and even better with a Northern accent! NoahM. found a clip of it on youtube. He shared the link underneath the instructions if you want to listen to it . Did you beat your adult when you played the maths game? I hope you did - he he.

This afternoon there are a couple of clips on how to draw Buckingham Palace. This art lesson is linked to our Geography work earlier in the week. Remember you can pause the clips if you need to. Save your pictures to share at next week's hangouts.

Today we have our class hangouts. Let's see if we can get as many as possible joining. Mrs Wood is adding a link for you to click on on the stream or you can go onto the calendar (at the top of the classwork page) and then click on hangout to join. Please have your geography paragraph on changing land use to share with everyone.

Remember to keep going with your T.T. Rockstars if you aren't on level 420 and go on Numbots and do the stories and challenges. How high can you go?

Are you going to go out onto your street tonight to clap for the NHS and key workers? Some people are singing happy birthday to Captain Tom. If you are allowed up to do this tell us all about it today at the hangout.

Here is a riddle to finish with - What is full of holes but still holds water?

egnops (backwards)

Take care

Mrs Broad and Mrs Wood



Good Morning Year 4,

Great to see so many of you on our hangout this week and really lovely that Mrs. Henderson is joining us to keep in touch and see all your gorgeous faces. It really makes a good start to the day. I have added a shortcut link on our class stream just in case this makes it easier for you to join. I would love to see everyone have a go at joining us before the end of the week.....come on year 4!! Things are a bit strange for everyone at the moment, but there are some incredible things happening as well. I wonder if you have been following the story of Captain Tom Moore - he is 100 years old today....so happy birthday Captain Tom.... and the amazing thing is that he walked over 100 laps of his garden to raise money for supporting the NHS. He hoped to raise one thousand pounds and has currently raised over £29 million. I hope I am still as fit and with it, if I manage to reach the age of 100!!

Have you been doing any special things to help others or learn something new whilst you have been working at home? I look forward to hearing all about it soon.

Enjoy the day.

Lots of love

Mrs Mesher xxx

Dear Year 5

You have managed so well to keep upbeat and positive while learning from home. I know it is very different to learning at school, with all your friends. At least we can meet on our hang outs to catch up every week, so we can remind ourselves what we all look like!

In PSHE today, you are going to think about your best qualities - what do you think makes you the person you are? Are you good at sport or dance, a good friend, someone who is always there to listens, a hard worker?

Then, ask an adult in your house what they think are your best qualities. How does it make you feel when someone tells you something you are good at, that you haven't thought of? Hopefully it makes you feel GOOD!

From

Mrs Gloyn

G'Day Year 6,

I can't believe we are nearly at the end of another week of Home schooling - You are all working amazingly well and are really producing some work that you should be proud of.

We will be doing some blogging / vlogging / Podcasting this afternoon about our 'Lockdown' experiences so I will provide some more details about that in your assignment. I think you will all remember this time about when you had to do all your lessons from home - truly extraordinary times, so it will be nice to have a record of how you spent the time.

I thought it might be nice to give you a little information on various lesser known celebration days while we are on lockdown, so here's the first one.

Little Known Fact - Day 1 - April 30th - St Walpurgis Night

Did you know that tonight is the celebration of St Walpurgis Night? - she was an Abbess, hailed by the Christians of Germany for battling 'pest, rabies and whopping cough, as well as against witchcraft in 870 AD - this is a big celebration in Germany where bonfires are lit to ward off evil spirits - Let's hope it can work some magic on the coronavirus too.

I look forward to seeing you later

Bye for now!

Mr B x

Hi all,

How are you today? I am missing the sunshine, what about you? Today is my university day in the evening, we have to do it all online too like you do, I have so much respect for all of you, it is very difficult to do work online! We're all in this together! I have seen lots of lovely dance videos so far the completed video will look fantastic, well done to those who have put them on their streams already!! Missing you as always, see you soon.

Love Mel

Just Dance Songs

- Don't you worry child- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CKtX4S2jGfk>
- Panini- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lw3qg0lwV_I
- Blue (Da ba bee) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6-C-gJxyH-4>