



Dear Children,

Good morning! Well! Thursday again already! What a busy few weeks you have had! Year 6 have been learning to juggle and I have seen some amazing videos of

you doing all sorts of different challenges. Having seen Mrs Davey's beautifully crocheted animals, I am thinking of teaching myself over the half term holidays and I have learnt lots of new skills in IT.



Lots of people have started learning new things and practising new skills whilst they have had extra time at home during the evenings and weekends. Usually, I think this is fantastic! However, I am getting quite worried now, because Mr Browne has been learning the piano and Mr Massey has got a trumpet! I think it might be very noisy in school when they come back! (After listening to Mr Massey's video on the google class stream, I may buy some ear plugs!).

Let me know what you can do now, which you couldn't do before home/school started!



Happy Birthday to Kellen! We hope you have a lovely day!

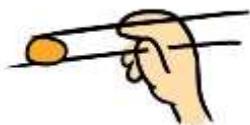


Our thought for today is: Every time something goes wrong, you get a bit closer to learning how to get it right.



Song for today: Never Give up - here is a sing a long version:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6EWNV33Ws1g>



Today's challenge: If you have chop sticks at home, see how quickly you can pick things up with them - you could use beads, dried peas or beans, lentils (if you are really good) pasta or small toys. Try to move them from one dish to another. If you don't have any chopsticks at home, you could use two pencils instead! How many can you do in a minute? Can you beat your score?

Enjoy your learning!

Love from Mrs Pollard xx

Read on for messages from your teachers ...

Hello again Nursery,

What was your favourite animal you 'saw' on safari yesterday? Could you draw a picture of it? Did you see any cheetahs? What do you know about cheetahs? That's right, they are the fastest land animal on the planet. Can you be a cheetah? Run round your garden. You could time how long it takes. Have another go and see if you can beat your time.

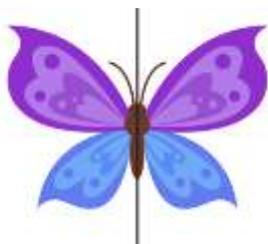
Can you remember the story of Iris and her lion? You could find some of your toys to be the characters from the story. Who will you need? Can you remember what happened? Can you act out the story with your toys? You might add in extra places for the lion to hide. What else could he do that would make him a hero for the towns people? You can watch the video again to remind you of the story.

Here's a little maths activity you might like to do:

Look in your food cupboard and find objects you can count like pasta, cereal or if you are lucky, sweets(!). Take a dessertspoon of each (the numbers need to all be below 20 so change the spoon size if necessary). Ask the children questions such as, do you think there are more pieces of pasta than cereal? How do you know? Can you prove it? (they could match them up in pairs to check/prove it) Try comparing two more sets but this time ask which has got less. Out of all of the sets which has got the most?/ the least? How many have you got of each object? Can you write a label to show the number?

Happy Thursday Reception

Today it is symmetrical butterfly making day. Can you remember that symmetrical means it has matching patterns on both sides like the butterfly below.



Have fun!

Your challenge for today is.....

Can you make a paper towel roll or toilet roll butterfly, (once it has no more paper on it!)

You can make it as fun and colourful as you would like. You can use whatever you have available to



decorate it, pencils, felt tips, paint. Do you think the toilet roll butterfly above is symmetrical?

If you have any string you could always hang it up in your room (if a grown up can help you). Do you remember how we have all of the little ducks you made on Art day, they are hanging from the ceiling in our classroom. I love seeing those little ducks when I go into school each week and I keep bumping my head on them when I go underneath!.

Have a great Thursday

Love from

Mrs Pyle

x

**Good morning**

I hope you are all well. Have you heard my excellent trumpet playing? I am thinking of going on 'Britain's Got Talent' next year. I think I might play while jumping on a trampoline to add a little bit of danger.

Let me know what you think.

**Q: Did you hear about the trumpet player who played in tune?**

**A: Nobody else has either...**

I have solved the mystery around why our classroom is such a mess. It's a secret so keep it quiet, Nursery has been redecorated! What a nice surprise for them when they return. Mrs Foster has told me that she will clear all the stuff out before we return. I will see if there are any toys we might want to keep first.

Today I would like you to do the sheets on telling the time. They are on both Purple Mash and Google Classroom. Please save paper and do not print them out just write the times in your work books. Next I would like you to write about what you like about school and what you are good at. Both are on PM and GC.

**THEN: Miss Bass and I were going to get you to write your epic tale about the dragons. Having seen some of the videos we thought you might want to make a movie. Use everyone in your house as an actor (This includes dogs and cats) and film an epic. You have done the hard work already thinking about your dragons, escaping the dragon attack, meeting the wise old woman and the final battle... LET'S MAKE A MOVIE!!!! (or you can write it in your book if you rather)**

Look after yourselves and all those around you.

Mr M and Miss B

Good morning children!

How are you all on this Thursday morning! All out of bed, dressed and ready to get going! What did you have for your breakfast this morning? I had peanut butter on toast! YUM!



I am looking forward to seeing you on the google hangout tomorrow! Let me know on the google stream if you are going to try and join me!! We can have a little chat and then maybe I can read you a story! Would you like that? I hope you are all still reading lots of books! You know that Mrs Barber will be checking your reading records when we come back to school!!!

Okay so I must go now and let you get on with your work.

But as always we must have a little joke before I say goodbye.

A mummy tomato, a daddy tomato and a baby tomato are walking down the street.

The mum and dad tomato are walking together and the baby tomato keeps getting behind.

The daddy tomato walks over to the baby tomato, squashes him and says "ketchup!"

Until tomorrow..... Goodbye..... mince pie.....

Love Miss Grainger x



Bonjour Year Three,

Today, on the hangout it would be lovely if you could greet us by saying hello in a different language if you know how to!

Can you match up these greetings to the countries they come from?

France

Hola

Spain

Guten Tag

Germany

Bonjour

I am still waiting to see some lovely paper people on the stream, as well as healthy meals. Alternatively you can show us or describe a healthy meal on the hangout today.

Here is a silly joke for today

Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Spell.

Spell who?

W-H-O.

Missing you as always, Mrs Wood and Mrs Broad

Happy Thursday Year 4,

It was great to see over two-thirds of year 4 yesterday on our hangout - I think that must be a record. Being able to share ideas and help each other, is so valuable. It is also good to see how much you are growing and changing, as well as seeing some of your new haircuts.

Thank you for all your brilliant animations. You have really learnt how to use the Purple Mash 2Animation tools and your ideas are fantastic. Keep posting them on the class stream as I know everyone will enjoy seeing them.

Don't forget to look at the art lesson for Friday afternoon and start collecting any materials you might need whilst out on your walks.

Have fun today with your area calculations and fronted adverbials. I hope you will enjoy finding out about life in Britain this afternoon in your topic work, as we didn't do this yesterday! Oopps...silly me!!

Lots of love,

Mrs Mesher xxx

Dear Year 5

It's Thursday already!

In PSHE today you will be having a go at writing a letter to yourself in the future! This strange time will pass, and soon we will be back to school, and back to normal.

Have a think about what you would like yourself in the future to know about this time, and have a go at putting it in writing. If I was writing the letter, I know I will be thinking about how hard it was to buy certain food items, the extra time I have spent with my family, and really wanting to get back to school to see everyone. I have had different emotions too - sometimes really happy, sometimes a bit sad and fed up. What will you write about?

Have a lovely day

From

Mrs Gloyn

Dear Year 6

I have been amazed yet again by your ICT skills this week as you have worked to create your websites. The truly are amazing!

You will be pleased to know I have factored in some 'catch up time' for you today as well as some Art work which can be done over the next few days.

I hope you enjoyed your science work on the human eye - we are now going to look at The Circulatory system in humans - Heart, Lungs and Blood - so that should be fun but it won't be gory!

Lesser known Facts - Day 10 The Clark / Lewis Expedition

On this day, in 1804, The Clark /Lewis Expedition started from Camp Dubois, near present day Hartford, Illinois. It was the celebrated first journey across America from the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean. They reached the Pacific on November 20<sup>th</sup> 1805.

Until tomorrow.

Mr B x

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Hi all,

Happy Thursday! I have finally got the dance video ready, we just have to check with Mrs Pollard if it is okay to put on your streams; I am really impressed with the level of dancing. In school yesterday, we tried to do some Break Dancing as Chiara S in Year 1 has been learning from home I thought, oh it must be easy. It was not. We tried, that is the main thing, why don't you have a go at home.

As we are talking about dancing, Kidz Bop have an hour dance a long every day from 3pm which would be great exercising for when the weather is rubbish, remember you need to try and get an hour's exercise a day to keep you fit and healthy. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=imTmqYnCPQw>

Love Mel

Just Dance Songs-

- Sweet Sensation- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Od1vvBG-jSI>
- Policeman- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WNiSJj6Okdw>
- Blame- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A6kuzCmYYWg&list=PLnL5du-VvEXYiMhyNEkyQkOVbbrVIMPMM&index=12>