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HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear Parents,

Thank you for returning your forms regarding the possible reopening of the school on June 1st. This has really helped with us planning the groupings, safety routines and staff required. I understand that there is a wide range of opinions and it is very much a personal decision. You know your child and circumstances best so please feel secure in the decision that you have come to.

Following Government guidance and after discussion with staff, local head teachers and Telford and Wrekin Advisors I have set out a [plan of the structure of the day](#) and how the routines have been adapted to ensure that safety measures are met and risks are limited as far as possible although obviously there is no guarantee due to the nature of the coronavirus itself.

As social distancing is particularly difficult for children the safety measures of regular handwashing, extra cleaning of areas and equipment and children staying within the same group, with the same adults are deemed to be the most effective. We will continue to review the plan on a regular basis. Please be reassured that whether your child is home learning or in school, staff will continue to support their education.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Jenny Griffiths



IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Government guidance and information for parents on the opening of schools during the Coronavirus outbreak.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers>

IMPORTANT NOTE TO KEY WORKER PARENTS

Next week we shall only be open [Tuesday 26th May](#) and

[Wednesday 27th May](#)

For children of critical workers who have already booked in.



CLASS 1

Hi Class 1, next week is half term so we would like you just to reflect on your time at home so far.

Think about the time you have had at home. What have the highlights been? Have there been things that you have missed? Have you learned to do something that you couldn't do before? Mrs Bryon got her paints out for the first time for years and years. She had forgotten how much she enjoys doing art work. Mrs Richardson has been sewing some beautiful pictures.

Have a great week. It looks like this lovely weather is here to stay.



CLASS 2

Class 2 we've reached the end of our first Summer half term. Hopefully you are enjoying lots of time outside while the sun is shining. How did the tower challenge go this week? If you can I would like you to do this maths challenge...

Make a tower worth 20p using different coins. How many ways can you make 20p using different coins? Start with the least amount of coins first then work your way through until you make 20p with the most amount of coins. Now try a tower worth 100p=£1. How many different ways can you make the tower?



SCHOOL CALENDAR DATES



P.E with Joe ...Every Monday—Friday 9am for 30 mins
join in with his daily workout at;

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ>

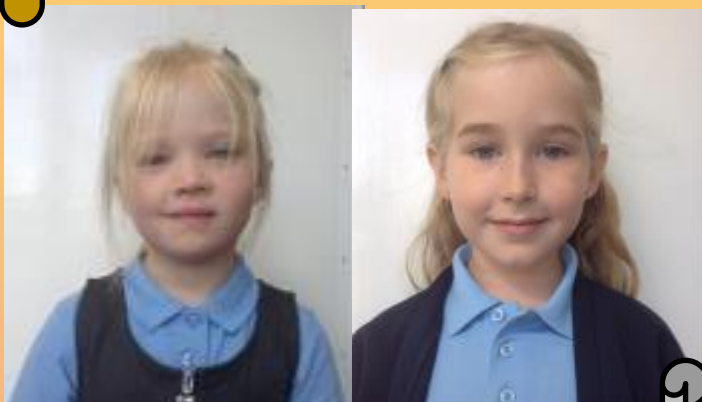
Mathletics Superstars



Well done to the two children gaining a SILVER certificate this week and to so many children achieving a BRONZE certificate. This is just an amazing effort, well done everyone!



BRONZE AWARD



SILVER AWARD

Remember for every **1000 points** earned in a week you achieve a **bronze certificate**.

For **Silver** is it achieved **after 5 bronze** certificates and **Gold** award is after you have achieved **4 silver certificates** (20 weeks of sustained effort).



HOME LEARNING LINKS

Many online platforms have offered schools and parents free resources to support your child with their education whilst they are at home. Please take a look at the links below.

Useful websites

www.thepehub.co.uk

<https://www.tts-group.co.uk/home+learning+activities.html>

<https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/free-home-learning->

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-1/>

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/>

www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers

<https://scratch.mit.edu/explore/projects/games>

www.spellingshed.com/en-gb

[https://teach your monster to read](https://teach-your-monster-to-read)

www.phonicsplay.co.uk Username is **march20** Password is **home** [Mathletics](#) (see diaries for PW)

<https://naturedetectives.woodlandtrust.org.uk/naturedetectives/>

<https://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk> (see diaries for PW)

www.twinkl.co.uk

www.snappymaths.com

www.ictgames.com

www.topmarks.co.uk

www.mathshed.com

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

www.natgeokids.com/uk/

www.primaryresources.co.uk

[Numberblocks](#) or [Alphablocks](#)

LINKS FROM PARENT FEEDBACK RECEIVED

dkfindout.com [click here](#) for link

LetsGoLive [click here](#) for link

national oak academy (weekly spelling tests) [click here](#) for link

Steve Backshall Q&A on a Wednesday morning at 9.30 on Facebook

Nick Cope on a Thursday afternoon on Facebook (he writes and sings children songs).

oxford owl site for the free ebooks [click here](#) for link

Purplemash [click here](#) for link

New daily lessons!

Every day the BBC add three new lessons for each year group.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Information for parents and carers about the closure of schools following the outbreak of coronavirus (COVID-19). This link was last updated **May 11th**. Please check for updates which this week include resources for online learning and links to the curriculum.

[Click here to be directed to the gov.uk website.](#)

GUESS WHO?

Look who was hiding under the helmet.



Who is hiding under the mask this week? We shall reveal next week.

Close up pic game



We have chosen one picture from the newsletter and zoomed into a part of it. Can you guess which picture it is? We shall reveal next week.



FREE CHOCOLATE STILL AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL

If anyone who has not had any chocolate yet you are welcome to pop along to collect some if you are passing. We still have some available. It will be given on a first come first served basis.





Free School Meals

If your circumstances have changed recently and you think you might be eligible for free school meals you can find further information about, and apply for, free school meals at;

https://www.telford.gov.uk/info/20028/school_meals/9/



Thank you to the parents that have e-mailed us with the sites and apps that they have been finding useful since the lockdown.

The feedback so far on the **TOP FIVE** used sites and apps are;

<u>Whiterose Maths</u>	click to login
<u>Twinkl</u>	click to login
<u>BBC bitesize</u>	click to login
<u>Espresso</u>	click to login (passwords in your child's school diary)

National Oak Academy (weekly spellings) [click to login](#)

Parents have also been supporting children to access [Mathletics](#). (Passwords in their school reading dairy).

FRIENDS OF SCHOOL ZOOM EVENTS

22nd May—Disco

31st May—Family Quiz



These events will be held with an entry fee of £2.50, further details are to follow.

We have attached some guidance about using Zoom and Friends of School are using all the current enhanced security guidance when setting up their [Zoom](#)





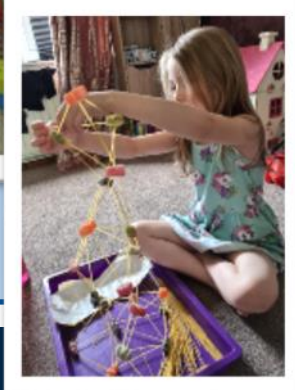
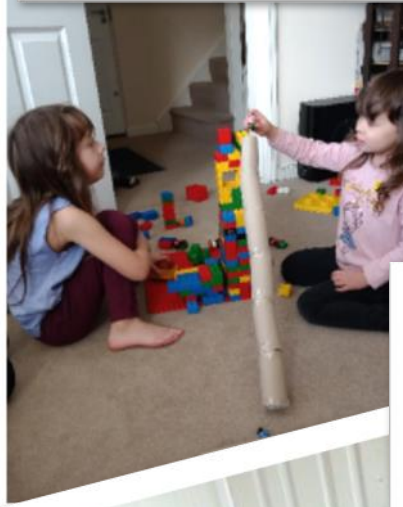
The Great Outdoors

Look at all the adventures you have been on.



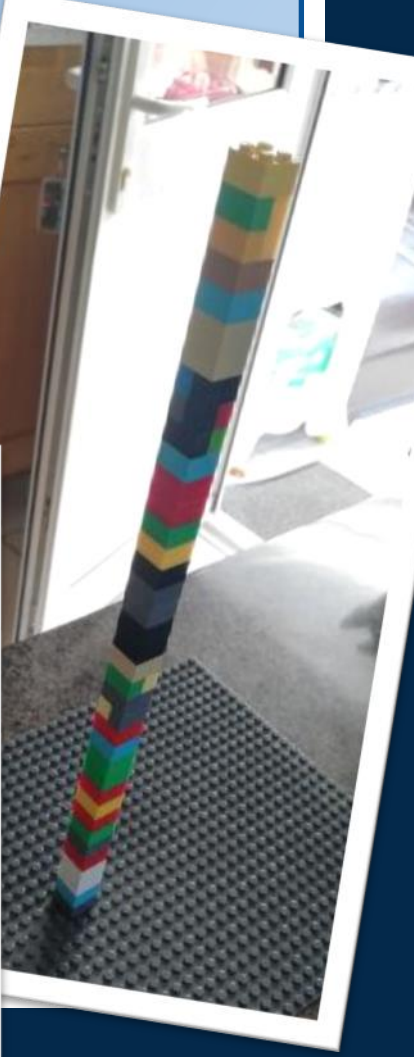
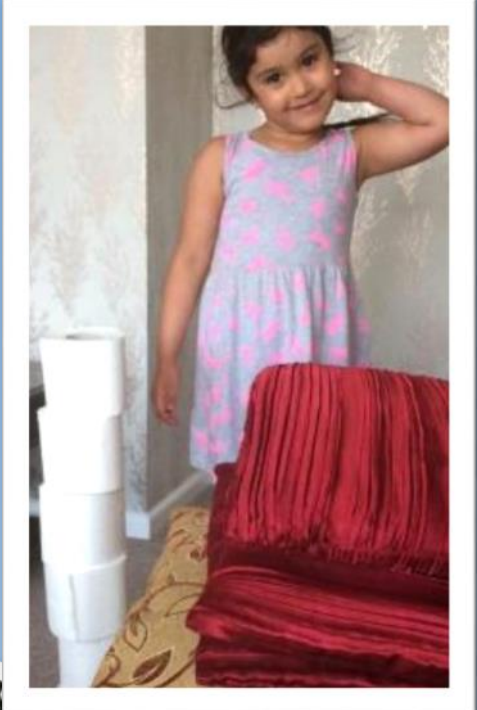
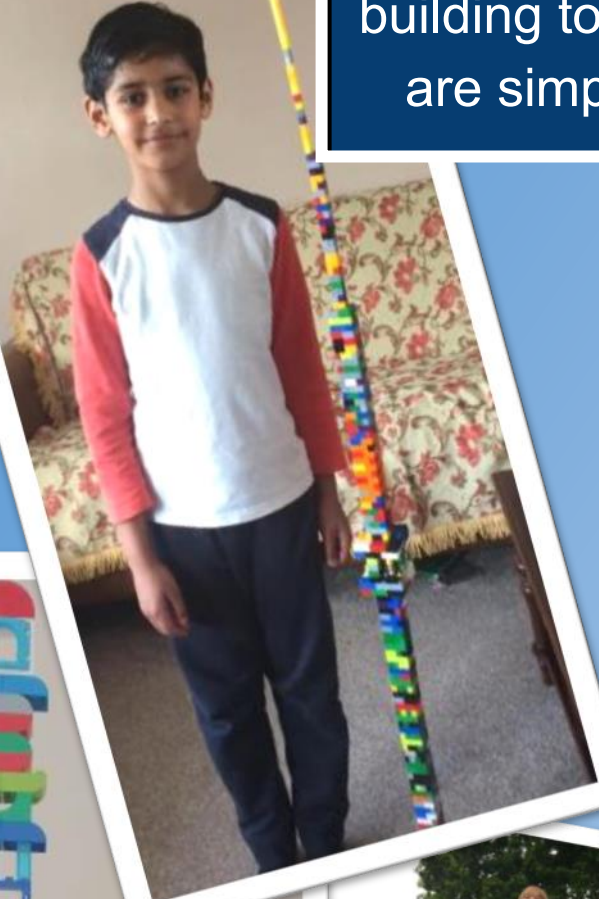
TOWERS

Class Topics





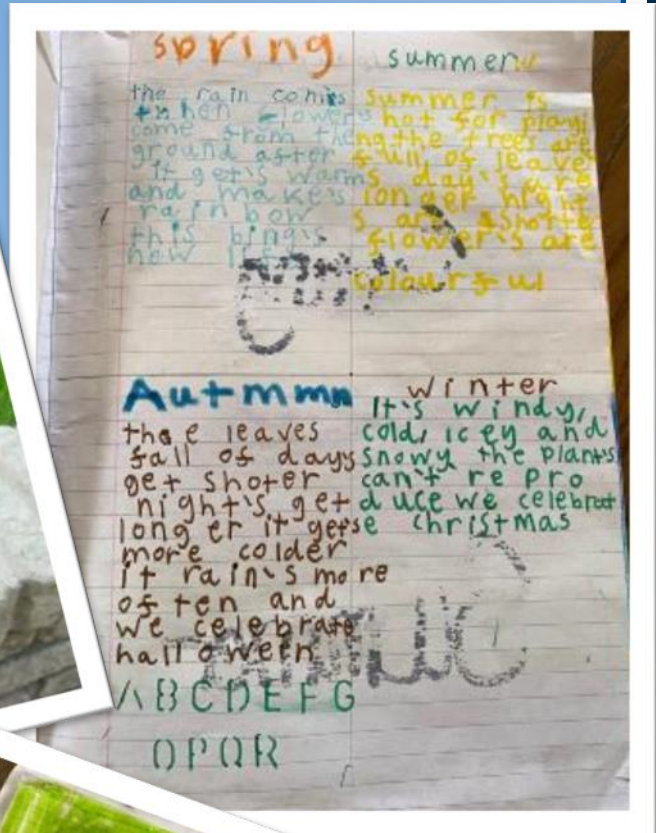
Everyone has been busy building towers and they are simply toweriffic.





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Class Topics

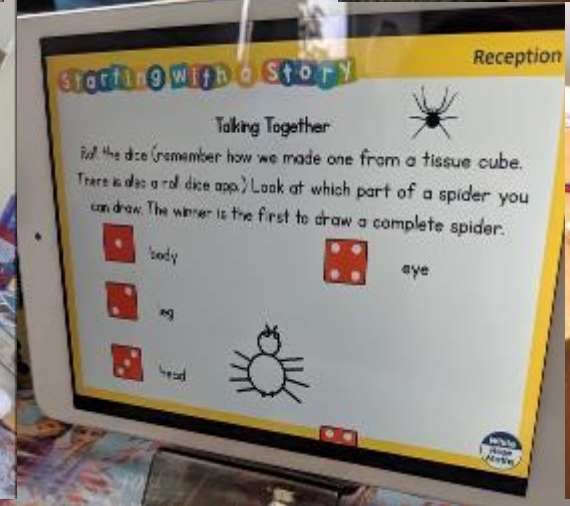


In the summer, people sometimes play in fountains to keep cool. Friends sit outside and lots of people have barbeques.





At home or at school
You are all doing great
work. Well done!



Look what you've been busy creating

Such a wide range of fabulous creativity. Thank you for sending in your photos.



Thank you!

Please continue to send in your photos to;
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