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Pride, Ability, Positivity
Rothersthorpe Reporting 28th April 2020



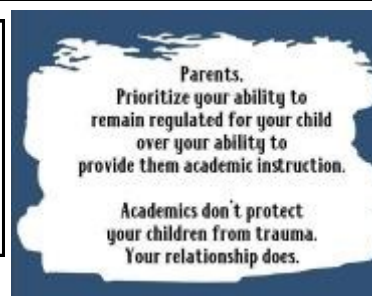
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Dear Parents,

We are promoting relationships this term and hope that you enjoyed our school 'Hello' imovie, as well as our BBC dance video. Parent consultations are available with class teachers; SEN and well-being support meetings are also available. Please email your class teachers. **Kind regards, Mrs Fountain**

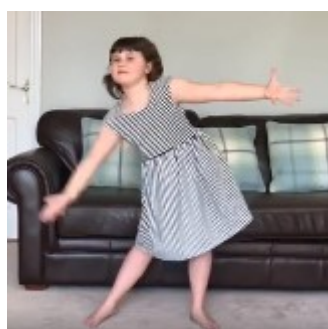
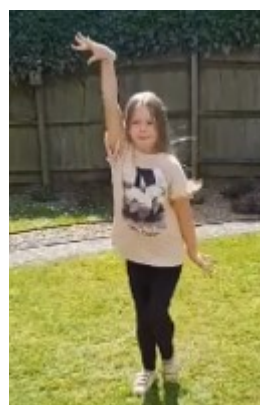


Stars of the Week

Class 1	Aimee for writing
Class 2	Kamran for reading
	Etta-Jean for reading
Class 3	Maisie for handwriting
	Owen for maths
Class 4	Amber for all her work
	Elsie & Erin for singing

Shout-outs!

- ♦ Cadence gave away toys she no longer plays with— very thoughtful recycling
- ♦ Harriet turned a cardboard box into a rainbow castle—great idea
- ♦ Alex and Callum's family band—making musical instruments
- ♦ Brandon great work and completing a 1000 piece jigsaw puzzle—**Can you complete a 1000 piece jigsaw? Take a photo and email to school**
- ♦ Sophie with her lovely spring work



Our Brilliant BBC Strictly Come Dancing Video

A huge thank you to everyone who was able to support the BBC Big Night In, as well as taking part in the Strictly Come Dancing Video. Special thanks to Elsie, Sarah, Lauren, Emily, Mae, Mrs D'Costa with Jasmine and Willow, Jo, Gavin and Jordan. A big thank you to Mrs Walker and her daughter Alice for creating the very professional imovie. It was such a fun thing to do.

Class 1—Amazing nature art work inspired by Andy Goldsworthy



RECYCLING OUR CRISP PACKETS

A message from Laura Clarke to say that she has redeemed all our crisp packet collection so far and has raised £40 from Terracycle.

This is great news. Thank you Laura for organising this. Please still carry on collecting at home, and bring them in when we are back.

Thank you.



**Some of the lovely learning and pupil work
Thank you teachers, parents and pupils**

Singing along with the Macbeth tutorial and Andy Warhol art in class 4—some children in other classes were also inspired by their brothers and sisters to create some of his art. Art by Oliver S.



Some fabulous reading aloud videos sent to Mrs Walker in class 3, as well as cave drawings and maps. Drawing by Oscar Herbert

Saint George activities, reading and BBC Bitesize

Tree rubbings and making bird feeders.



Oscar wanted to make the bird feeder that was in the newsletter last week, so he got a toilet roll and smothered it in peanut butter, then rolled it in the bird seed. It was a big hit with the Robin and Blue tit.





Good News Blog

- ◆ Two ladies called Polly and Ruth who live in Northampton have been staying at home brilliantly. They've made 150 head bands to relieve sore ears of staff at Northampton General Hospital as they wear their PPE masks for long periods.
- ◆ A former Northamptonshire student is now a top scientist and working with the Government in a bid to find a vaccine for Covid-19.
- ◆ Super nurse Stephanie from Northampton General Hospital raised £2,200 for the NHS by running the London Marathon on a treadmill.
- ◆ GLK Academies raised over £1,500 for the NHS with a 24 hour sport challenge—well done to Gavin, Jo, Jordan and their family, as well as Harvey and Jack. A brilliant achievement.
- ◆ A white-tailed eagle was spotted in English skies for the first time in 240 years. It was spotted flying over the North Yorkshire Moors. Hopefully this is the first of many sightings.

75th VE Day Celebrations—Thursday 7th May 2020

Virtual Home and School Link from 2pm

School would still like to organise and share this celebration with our families for some of the afternoon. We had originally planned a Tea Party in school, but now this will be via Zoom.

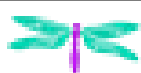
2pm Activity One

VE Day red/white/blue themed cake competition.
Join School Zoom at 2pm to show your cake before eating it!! Prizes available.

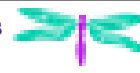
3pm Activity Two

Create a fun obstacle/assault course and share with School Zoom at 3pm.
Receive a certificate for taking part.

Dress up and have an afternoon picnic in your garden if you want to. Zoom joining information will be sent out next week. We hope you can join us!



'Wellbeing Whilst Working and Learning at Home' session for parents



Wednesday 6th May from 4-5pm via Zoom

Delivered by Dragonfly Impact Education

The talk will cover:

- ◆ What learning involves
- ◆ How parents can best support their children
- ◆ Keeping children motivated and engaged
- ◆ Helping children to manage anxieties, frustrations and other 'big feelings'
- ◆ How to safeguard your own mental health when juggling new pressures

To learn, grow and reach our full potential, we need to be equipped with the tools to support our emotional and mental wellbeing. We work with parents, carers, schools and children and young people to ensure that they have the foundations they need to be successful. With over 30 years' combined experience working with young people we have a broad range of expertise to share, so that you feel prepared to help your child navigate their way through difficult feelings.

A letter fully explaining how to sign up for this important session is attached to this newsletter which was emailed to you. Please reply to Mrs Fountain: head@rothersthorpe.northants-ecl.gov.uk