Hello Everyone,



I hope that you are all keeping well and busy

whilst you are at home. I am missing seeing your happy, smiling faces every morning and I am thinking of you all. Don't forget, email me with pictures of your best writing, making projects or art work that you have been doing. Perhaps just write and tell me how you are getting on. Once I have a contact email address from you, I can send messages back!

I hope you have a home school work routine with some reading, maths, writing and lots of craft and making! It is important to keep reading, writing and number skills in your working memory and exercise your brain muscle so that it stays fit and thirsty!

For those of us going into school we have started our day with Joe Wicks PE on YouTube. It is fun and a good way to wake you up each morning. Why not give it a try!

White Rose have online maths lessons from 10 to 11 daily they are covering fractions and then moving onto measuring length. Power maths, a part of White Rose, is offering free access to worksheets to support the fraction unit and measurement unit for the spring term. Don't forget you can always dip into other year groups for more support or challenge if you need to.

tts learning from home—KS1 My Activity Book can be downloaded for free. It looks fun and has lots of poetry activities which supports our unit for the end of this spring term.

There are lots of ideas for making a simple moving vehicle on YouTube: some use a balloon, some an elastic band and others just push along. Following a YouTube making video is quite fun. You could investigate how far it travels on different surfaces and then use a ruler to measure the distance. Measuring length and knowing the size of units is the last area of maths for the spring term.

There are lots of stories, read by authors, that you can listen to on YouTube, as well as reading your own. Perhaps try listening to, or reading, a Roald Dahl story. James and the Giant Peach would have been the class story for the start of the summer term. You could draw and write a description of the horrible aunts or one of the creatures living inside the peach? You could write you own adventure for James and the minibeasts inside the peach?

Take some time to learn about Easter and its meaning to Christians. What is the Easter story? What happened to Jesus during the last supper? Why was he arrested? There are many simple ideas for Easter crafts and card making for you to choose and make.

If you haven't planted some bean seeds, or other seeds, and watched them grow, then do so. Keep a diary of their growth; use a ruler and measure and record their height each day. Can you name the parts of a plant and what the plant needs to grow healthy?

Twinkle science home learning pack has ideas and recording sheets for learning about Plants. Cambridge Press, primary, also has lots of free resources for science, English and maths.

Well done to everyone, for all your hard work at home. Our daily routines are very different at the moment but we can all look forward to coming back to school and seeing our friends and teachers.

Take care, keep positive, and I look forward to hearing from you and seeing some of your work.

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