

Rufford Park Post



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Headteacher's news:

School closure Week 1

Rufford Park Post Issue 25 used the words 'quite exceptional' to describe last week and the same phrase could be used to describe this week too. School has been open to a very small number of children - largely to those whose parents are critical workers - as well as a small number of staff. We have missed the rest of the school community but are thankful that so many can stay at home. For the children and staff attending, we have been following 'social distancing' guidelines issued by the DfE as far as possible.

Please continue to keep yourselves as safe as you possibly can by following the Government's measures announced on Monday. If you need to contact school, the best method will be by email. I have reduced the admin staffing to a minimal so there won't always be someone to answer the phone. There are, however, several members of staff monitoring the office@ruffordparkprimary.org.uk email during the day and we should be able to reply in a timely manner.

Take care and be safe.



Class website pages will be updated every Thursday by teachers and I will signpost you to these in Rufford Park Post on Friday. Click on your child's class below to read this week's information:

[Reception](#)

[Year 1 Pear](#)

[Year 1/2 Lime](#)

[Year 2 Cherry](#)

[Year 3 Willow](#)

[Year 3/4 Cedar](#)

[Year 4 Beech](#)

[Year 5 Oak](#)

[Year 5/6 Ash](#)

[Year 6 Maple](#)



Welcome to Year 6!

School Closure: Working from Home Updates

Please check this area every Thursday for a weekly update on work and well-being from Mrs Trotter.

26.3.20

Hi Year 6!

I hope you and your families are all well and have had the opportunity to enjoy the lovely weather. Reading outside, if you have some safe outside space, is a great way to spend some of your time and make the most of the sunny weather before it changes.

Please remember to work through your home-learning packs over the next few weeks, before the Easter holidays. You've worked really hard this year, so please continue to practise your arithmetic skills and use this time to become totally secure with your times tables; this will help you so much when we can all return to school.

Over the next few weeks, I will begin to share additional ideas for work and links to useful websites. The first link below, Oxford Owls, will give you access to a huge variety of online books, so you'll have plenty to read.

I hope you will all be clapping at 8pm tonight to show your support for all the people working to help us all at this difficult time. You can clap at your windows, in your garden or at your front door. I will be doing it with all my family, so please join in. **Clap to show we care!**

I will be updating this area every Thursday with a new message; in the meantime, please try to use this time as positively as possible.

Stay safe and keep washing your hands!

Thanks and best wishes,

Mrs Trotter

[Oxford Owls website link](#)

Click the link above to be access Oxford Owls.

Class Highlights

Y6 Residential to Peat Rigg - January 2020

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed their residential at Peat Rigg Outdoor Centre and experienced lots of adventurous activities. Click [here](#) to see all the highlights!



We have not had any assemblies this week but we have gathered (giving each other plenty of space) in the hall at 09:00 to get physically active with Joe Wicks on his YouTube Channel: [Body Coach TV](#). If you haven't done so already, please try and include this into your daily routine at home.



Pom-pom making on Tuesday:

Miss Bairstow got creative with KS2 on Tuesday afternoon making decorative balls with googly eyes...



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday - Friday:

Daily workout with Joe Wicks

09:00-09:30



Daily dance

with Oti

Mabuse

11:30-12:00

Can also be

found on

[YouTube](#)

