



BEMERTON ST JOHN C.E.AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardians

I hope you are all keeping well. We are missing the children very much and are thinking of them every day. I do hope you enjoyed our video. Thank you to Mr Price for creating it. The staff thoroughly enjoyed making it and a lot of thought went into it. Once again, it gives me reason to be very proud of my staff.

No doubt many of you will have questions about what will happen after half term, following Boris Johnson's announcement on Sunday. We still have lots of details to clarify and issues to solve over the next couple of weeks, but we will be in touch with more information as soon as we have it.

Help with online learning

Last week, we launched an online support facility, learning@bemerton-st-john.wilts.sch.uk, which is manned by a member of staff every school day. Please use it for queries about learning and for technical questions.

Home learning gallery

As promised, I am sharing some more excellent work completed by children at home and at the hub. Please pop over to our Facebook page for many more examples of lovely work.

Joe in Year 6 wrote a lockdown poem:

While I'm At Home

- While I'm at home, I do my homework.
- While I'm at home, I play video games with my friends.
- While I'm at home, I practise long jumps in the garden.
- While I'm at home, I finish making my robot for DT.
- While I'm at home, I play with my cats.
- While I'm at home, I run away from spiders.
- While I'm at home, I oversleep a lot.



A 3D recreation of an item in her home by Isabella C

B A long time ago Abram lived with Sarai; they had no children.

D One day God came and told Abram He needed to go to a new land!

F Abram and sarai moved from Haran to Canaan.

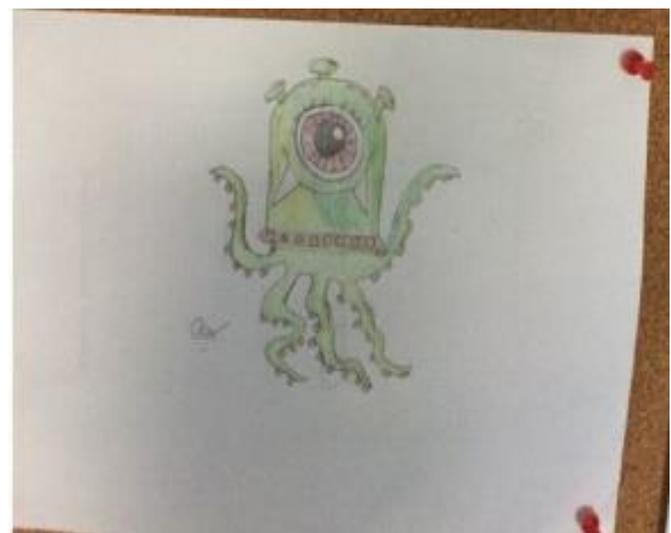
C One night God told Abram that he would now be called Abraham and he would have many children.

E God told them they were having a baby, they did and called it Isaac.

Maya in Year 2 did some superb RE work



Ania enjoyed a Polish Easter breakfast in the garden with her mum and brother



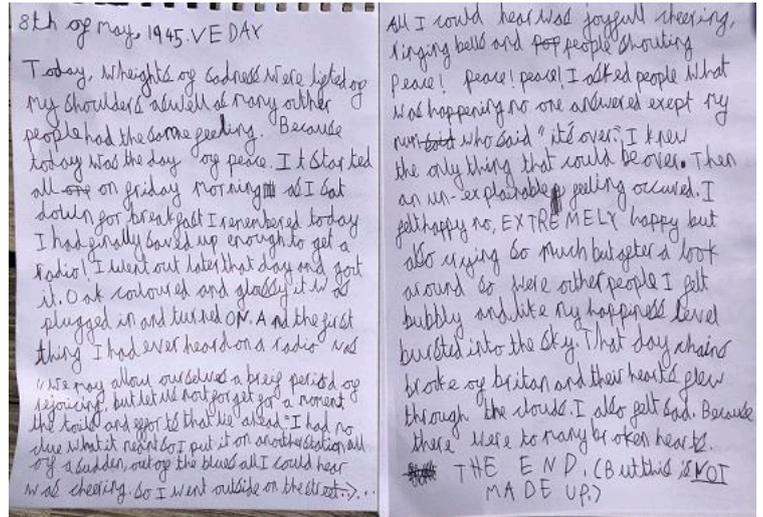
A great alien from Oscar B



Josh in Year 4 did a fantastic drawing of a Spitfire



Arthur in Year 4 made a 1945 time capsule



Esme in Year 4 wrote a diary entry for VE Day 1945

Lockdown Lit!

Competition

We have so many talented, knowledgeable and creative children at Bemerton that we have decided to take part in a writing competition. Libris Publishing are running a competition entitled 'Lockdown Lit'. Your child's teachers will provide more information on the learning platform. The finished pieces can be typed or handwritten; fact or fiction, from 100 to 1,000 words long and illustrated or not! There are different age categories and there will be prizes. The winning entries will be published in a book. Please encourage your child to get involved. Finished pieces will be due in on 8th June.

Please all stay safe and remember that we miss you all,

Staff and Governors at Bemerton St John.

