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*Be the best you can be!*

## COMPUTING EQUIPMENT

We have been able to help lots of families but our stock of laptops has now come to an end. If you have a spare laptop or tablet please consider donating it to us. We will reconfigure the equipment and allocate it to families in need. Donations can be brought into school and left in the foyer. For more information please contact the Friends of the Gordon (PTA) committee on: [friendsofthegordon@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofthegordon@gmail.com) Thank you!

## NURSERY ADMISSIONS

Applications to join our Nursery in September 2021 can be submitted now. **The deadline is 1<sup>st</sup> March** and you will receive notification of the outcome by 15<sup>th</sup> March.

Please visit the Admissions page on our website where you will find our Admissions Policy and the application form: <https://gordonpri.sites.schooljotter2.com/parent-information/admissions>

## PERSONAL CHALLENGE

FoG's latest fund-raiser is linked to personal challenges. We are asking the children to choose their own challenge and help to raise funds by asking family and friends to sponsor them. More information about this project is on the FoG website: [https://friendsofthegordon.wixsite.com/schoolpta/personal\\_challenge](https://friendsofthegordon.wixsite.com/schoolpta/personal_challenge) and details have also been placed in the Google Classrooms. Thank you for your support.

## HALF TERM HOLIDAY – FREE MEALS

Greenwich Council is providing free lunches for children from Monday to Friday next week. They will be served at numerous venues including **The Eltham Centre** (12pm – 1pm) and **Sutcliff Park** (12:30pm – 1:30pm). For more details, please visit: <https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/holidaymeals>

## HAPPY CHINESE NEW YEAR

Happy Chinese New Year! You can celebrate the **Year of the Ox** online with a whole host of free Chinese New Year activities via the National Maritime Museum website: <http://bit.ly/2NdO28q> The highlight will be a live Lion Dance today at 4pm.

**SHOW  
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## ANTI-RACISM

**Show Racism the Red Card** is an anti-racism education charity which uses high-profile footballers as anti-racist role models to educate against racism. We have registered for their 2021 School Competition. Activities and information will be shared in the Google Classrooms when we return after the half term break.

**WELL DONE**

**Clownfish (N):** Anton for interesting videos and photos demonstrating consistent effort in his online learning

**Conch (R):** George for super behaviour

**Coral (R):** Lachezara for making huge progress in phonics and attending all the live lessons

**Dolphin (1):** Jacob for fantastic effort in all areas of online learning

**Jellyfish (1):** Anna for a great improvement in her reading

**Lionfish (2):** Anna for illustrating a great poem about colours with photos of nature from her walk

**Lobster (2):** Stanley for an excellent poem about colours

**Mussel (3):** Reagan for super effort in his online learning

**Octopus (3):** Hollie for trying really hard and successfully improving her handwriting

**Oyster (4):** Mael for brilliant work and effort in all subjects

**Penguin (4):** Maisie for making excellent progress in reading this term

**Seahorse (5):** Agatha for producing excellent work in all areas of her learning

**Stingray (5):** Kirsty for her beautiful and inventive creative work on the theme of self-expression

**Turtle (6):** Betsy for participating actively in our maths live lessons

**Whale (6):** Oliver for working consistently hard every day and in every subject in online learning

## GALLERY OF CHILDREN'S WORK

The children continue to impress us with their fantastic learning. Here are a few examples of some of the excellent submissions we have received this week. Well done, everyone!



Dylan in Octopus Class recreated the river Thames, complete with the O<sup>2</sup> Arena and Tower Bridge. Brilliant!



Kernius in Whale Class made this amazing biome of a rainforest using recycled materials.



As part of her R. E. learning, Mali in Octopus Class made this stunning origami lotus flower.

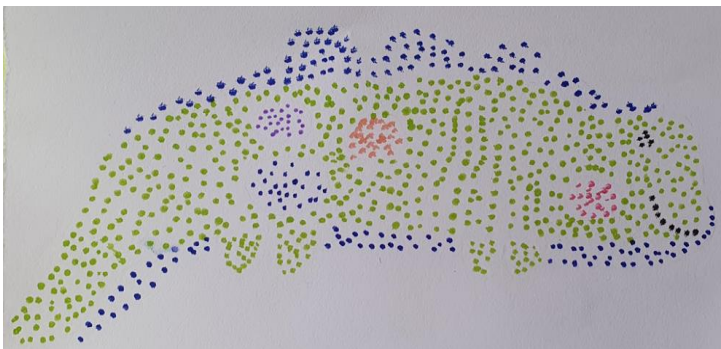
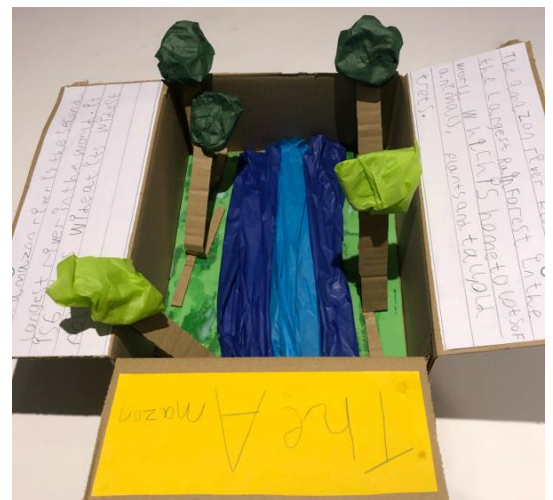


This is Teddy from Conch Class wearing his wonderful Chinese New Year dragon! Rodion in Coral Class drew this beautiful dragon.



Charlie in Mussel Class created a super model of the Amazon river and researched some great Amazon facts.

Ethan in Lionfish Class created this fantastic picture using stippling!



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