



Newton's Weekly Newsletter



Week Ending 12.02.21

Dear Parents/Carers

A massive **well done** to you – you have been home schooling your children now for an amazing 6 weeks – you are true heroes and we are so proud and thankful for all the support and encouragement you have provided. I do not think any politician understands the demands on you and the sacrifices you have had to make in order to ensure your children are continuing to learn, but we certainly do! Many of our staff are parents of young children and they know first-hand how difficult it is managing their own work as well as trying to home school at the same time. Please, enjoy the half term holiday and take a complete break from Google Classroom and any type of formal learning; just relax and enjoy spending quality time with your family, outdoors in the fresh air, if the weather permits.

It has been a pleasure to see the work that your children are turning in, the quality is fantastic and we are so proud of all the children. Please do not worry about how much your child is doing, please encourage them to do what they can, doing a little bit is better than doing nothing at all. Remember there is lots of learning that can be done away from a computer and if you cannot get them to anything else, please keep encouraging them to read.

I hope you have managed to get outside with your children and enjoy the snow, the photos you have been sending in have been wonderful and clearly, the children are enjoying the opportunity to build snowmen and snow angels! The children who have been in school this week have thoroughly enjoyed getting out onto the field and playground and play in the snow, getting their shoes and gloves wet as they sledged, made snowmen and had snowball fights!

I look forward to seeing the amazingly creative pancakes you make over half term as part of Mrs Franks cooking competition. What a wonderful way to spend one of your days during the holidays, we look forward to seeing the pictures!

Hopefully we should know more with regards the return to school plans just after the half term - we know no more than you do at the moment. Home learning will continue on Monday 22nd February until March 8th at the earliest.

Enjoy the break and stay safe

Mrs Connolly and Mrs McClenaghan



Stars of the week



Class	Star	Class	Star
Squirrels	Shayanna	Crocodiles	Laila
Mice	Khalid	Penguins	Grace
Hedgehogs	Harry	Canaries	Lacey-Jade
Foxes	Midusha	Dolphins	Summer & Skye
Newts	Wasila	Pandas	Dennis
Woodpeckers	Ibrahim	Geckos	Alfie
Meerkats	Tyler H	Ducklings	Alexandre

Headteacher award

These children have been nominated by their teachers for a Headteacher award and will receive their certificate, pencil and sticker through their letterbox.

Daniella - (Gecko class)

Jay'J – (Crocodile Class)

Lida – (Meerkat Class)

Ameyaa – (Newt Class)

Amelia – (Fox Class)

Beau – (Penguin Class)

Jayden B – (Panda class)

Joanna – (Woodpecker Class)

Shayanna – Squirrel Class

Harry – (Dolphin Class)

Logan – (Mice Class)

Alexandre – (Duckling Class)



Well done to everyone for their hard work on Google classroom, you are all doing an amazing job! We are very proud of you and look forward to the day we can all be together in school, celebrating your achievements each week in assembly.