

PRINCE OF WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL

Listening Excellence Attitude Respect Negotiate Enjoy Responsible Support

Dear Children, Parents/Carers, Governors and Friends,

Eleven weeks after Lock Down started, we were delighted to finally open some classrooms for the first group of 33 pupils besides the critical worker provision. It was yet another strange experience, especially for the pupil in Year 6 that was all by herself on Monday, although a few more joined her the following day. Read on pages 5 and 6 what the initial impressions were.

Following the recent Phase 2 survey, another 50 pupils are due to start on 22nd June. We will create additional bubbles to accommodate all 83 pupils and as we will be running at 25% capacity (national average) in EYFS, Year 1 and Year 6 we can continue with our 4-day provision, as well as offer our well received Home Learning (again great examples to be seen in this newsletter for each year group).

We are now tentatively considering opening up for a third and final Phase for the remaining year groups – 2, 3, 4 and 5 - in July, as all our teachers are very keen to see their pupils again. I will again send out a survey next week to find out who would wish their child to attend. Accommodating greater numbers will of course depend again on latest guidance such as social distancing rules, statistics and available staff. Wishing you all a lovely, safe and sunny weekend,

Mr J M Bless - Headteacher

Our Value for the week is CHALLENGES					
Name:	Class:	Certificate Achieved for:			
Alessia	1K	For embracing the many challenges of home learning and still making sure you do all your work and read every day. Well done.			
Aayden	1T	Aayden you have met the challenge of lockdown and home learning with such positivity and self-motivation. Well done, you have a lot to be proud of!			
Irem	1To	Irem there have been many changes coming back to school this week but you have coped so well with any challenges with a smile.			
Christos	2A	Home learning has been very challenging for Christos, but he hasn't given up and, with support, carried on completing his tasks. Keep up the good work, Christos!			
Ayse	2H	For consistently challenging herself with her home learning.			
Maija	2T	For showing amazing resilience in facing these challenging times, as well as challenging herself to produce the best work she can. Her recent art project was an excellent example of this. Well done!			
Rhome	3F	For overcoming challenges that means he has completed online learning this week. Well done Rhome and keep it up!			
Thomas	3G	For working hard on his home learning and trying very hard to overcome the challenges he has faced. Well done!			
Mateus	3R	Mateus - you have faced the challenge of home learning with such a positive attitude and sent in some lovely work. Well done.			
Olivia	4F	For rising to the challenge of Home Learning and completing work to a high standard. I am very proud of you. Keep this up!			
Тирахх	4H	For his kindness and considerate towards others. Tupaxx has been working very hard and has shown great resilience. Well done Tupaxx.			
Kerem	4T	For overcoming the different challenges he has faced during home learning. I have been very impressed with all your hard work. Keep it up!			
Beverley	5G	For being able to talk about some very personal challenges as well as what is happening on a global level at the moment. A very poignant reminder in a simple poster design. Well done.			
Praveen	5H	For continuing to deliver high quality home learning every day. Praveen has risen to the challenges of home learning and still kept focussed on his work. Keep it up Praveen.			
Raphael	5K	For adapting the resources available to you and completing your home learning up to a very high standard. Well done for overcoming the challenges so creatively.			
Kaden	6B	For overcoming the challenge of returning to school so well. Well done, Kaden.			
Aliya	6L	For coping really well with the challenge of returning back to school and with all the new changes in place.			
Jiyan	6T	For challenging himself when playing tennis in school this week; he has improved massively as the week has gone on! Well done Jiyan.			
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PM – 20.86%							
Ash – 30.64%	1K 43.07%	2A 62.30%	3F 62.21%	4F 88.14%	5G 86.89%	6B 86.66%	
Birch – 67.20%	1T 64.80%	2H 36.15%	3G 72.00%	4H 53.33%	5H 55.55%	6L 86.92%	
Oak – 33.79%	1To 55.20%	2T 59.25%	3R 72.50%	4T 89.65%	5K 68.27%	6T 90.40%	
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Birch, 1T and 6T have best Home school attendance for their Key Stages this week. Special well done to classes with 85%+ Overall attendance since the start of Home Schooling: **68.68%**



12 June 2020

Dear Parents, Guardians and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you well in these difficult times. I am writing to you as Enfield Council's Cabinet Member for Children's' Services, Protection & Education.

As you will be aware, the government asked primary schools to open to children from the 1st June to pupils from Nursery, Reception, Year and Year 6 if they were able to. Your school will have contacted you about the specific arrangements they have put in place which will be different from school to school. Headteachers and governing bodies have needed to ensure that it is safe to open and because each school is different, schools will open in different ways. This will have been based on the risk assessments that schools carry out which will include looking at the safety of the school site, the staff available to teach, the practicality of social distancing and a range of other factors. This means that schools may not have been able to invite in all pupils from the above year groups and some schools may have chosen to use rota systems. A number of schools have cleaning half-days or days to thoroughly clean their schools. Each school is individual and will have its own approach.

I very much understand the challenges that parents and carers have been facing in terms of home educating your child/children. This is a difficult time for all of us but I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to all involved in schools including teachers and support staff for the work they have been doing during the COVID19 crisis. I would also like to thank all of you – parents, guardians, carers and of course the children as well in combating the virus by social distancing, self-isolating when necessary and all the other things we need to do to help the NHS and battle coronavirus.

Best wishes and stay safe.

Yours sincerely,

Councillor Rick Jewell Cabinet Member – Children's Services, Protection & Education

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Thank you from Elizabeth Lodge Care Home

Today at 13:18

Dear Tara

Thank you so much for the beautiful pictures everyone in Prince of Wales year 1 has worked so hard in creating lovely cheerful pieces of art.

We have printed them off and have displayed them across the home for everyone to enjoy. They have certainly bought a smile to our faces.

We will also post on our Facebook page and in the newsletter we send out to our residents and their loved ones.

It's been an extra special gift to receive them this week as it is carers week and this is a lovely addition to our celebrations. Thank you again.

Samantha and all at Elizabeth Lodge



Elizabeth Lodge Care Home added 20 • new photos. 2 mins • 🚱

Thank you to Prince of Wales Primary School year 1 and family, the pictures are lovely.





DigiSafe Daily

be a scam on the person

Day 9

A message appears on your screen saying you've won one million pounds. You just need to click on the link to get it. What should you do?

your money.

- a. Click it quickly and take the money
- b. Leave it!

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c. Send it to a friend to click for you safely

Why did you give that answer? *

Well done if you were not fooled and selected B. Why would anyone give you money for nothing!

Join us to celebrate Maths Week London 2020.



https://ttrockstars.com/page/londonrocks2020

Dear parent/carer,

As part of our commitment to make maths exciting and high profile in our school, we are taking part in a friendly competition involving schools from Greater London from Monday 22nd June to Friday 26th June. It's all done online via play.ttrockstars.com.

For every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, your child will earn their class a point. The Times Tables Rock Stars platform will calculate the class average (the number of correct answers per pupil in the class who play during the competition hours). Winning classes in the school and in the competition as a whole will be the ones with the highest average.

All game modes (Gig, Garage, Studio, etc.) will count but only from games played <u>between 14:00 and 19:00</u> on Monday 22nd, Tuesday 23rd, Wednesday 24th, Thursday 25th and Friday 26th.

In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on their behalf but by all means encourage and support them to the extent that it doesn't cause high stress levels or impact on family plans. We suggest a limit of half an hour a day outside school hours – some will play more, some will play less.

Thanks for your support,

The PoW Maths Team

No new children this week that have achieved their next Rock Stars status, **BUT** we have the <u>competition</u> <u>against all</u> other children in LONDON!! **DON'T MISS OUT – SIGN UP – JOIN IN !**

"Are there prizes?"

YES. there are !!

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15 Try and do some crunches : Bronze: 10 crunches Silver: 20 crunches Gold: 30 crunches	both legs: Bronze: 10 each leg Silver: 20 each leg	17 Do a wall sit – remember, stay still: Bronze: 20 seconds Silver: 30 seconds Gold: 60 seconds	18 Squat – count how many squats you can safely do in a minute: Bronze: 10 squats Silver: 15 squats Gold: 20+ squats	19 High knees – Keep going without stopping Bronze: 30 seconds Silver: 50 seconds Gold: 1+ minute	15 Challenge yourself to learning some new yoga posts – watch a Youtube video to help.	16 Practise those yoga skills your learned and see if you can balance for longer than you did yesterday.

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Oak Class – reflections on first days back

"I liked playing this week and work...I enjoyed doing maths and reading words." Elias

"I have really been enjoying doing maths...I liked sticking shapes in my book. I liked learning number facts and adding. When we line up we leave a social distancing gap."" Catherine

"I like learning in maths...numbers, I enjoyed phonics and learning to spell with my sounds. Social distancing...two meters!" Destiny "I like learning numbers. Learning some shapes. I like seeing my

friends." Iman "I like learning the letters and being at school. I like playing with my

friends." Yagmur Ela





6T thoughts about returning this week

It feels a little strange to be back at school after being at home for so long. All of a sudden we are back and everything has changed, for example, we have individual desks that are 2 metres apart, we have to wash our hands every time we come in or out of the classroom and we can only play with children in our bubbles. It is strange but it is also good to be back at school. - Raed It feels a bit weird to be back as everything is different but I am glad that I have come back. - Dimple

It is strange as there are only 6 children in class and we are all separated in class but it is so good to be back. - Pearl

The school feels very empty but I am very happy to be back. - Tayana

I am really happy to be back at school but it is strange that we have to wash our hands so many times a day. The learning schedule is also a little different to what we were doing before. - Jiyan

It feels odd because we have to constantly wash our hands and sit apart from our friends but it is good to be back because we get to see our friends. - Berkay

Ash Class

'I like doing doubles and watching the doubles game. It's kind of weird because we line up with gaps.' (Rosie)

'I just like doing doubles. We have to wash our hands a lot.' (Ashton)

'I liked drawing pictures of the story. The tables in our class are different.' (Jacob)





6B

"It feels really good to be back at school, instead of having of being in front of my computer all day, doing my work. It is also nice to see some of my friends and teachers again as I have missed them." Anshika 6B

"I am enjoying being back at school as it was hard to do my home learning on my phone. " Kaden 6B

"It feels a bit weird to be back in school, but I like it better. " Blessing 6B

Our New School Day in 6L



Social distancing when we line up now.

Our teachers can still help us with our learning.

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We have to choose our games carefully, but we have now got plenty of space. We also get to ride the bikes.



"I am pleased to be back at school as it is more fun than staying at home." Evelyn 6L.





"It's fun being back at school as we have lots to do, it was getting boring at home." Aliya 6L. Class 1T have been busy with Talk for Writing, where they have been acting as the main character, Walter, in our text this week who had trouble with a very windy washing line! The have also been looking at leaves and plants as part of their Science topic.



Year 1 home learning











1K have sequenced the story of Walters Windy Washing Line and we had fun acting out parts of the story! We made a collage of a leaf using lots of little ones.

This week in 1To Kimberly and Cameron have been hanging out the washing just like Walter. Bella and Eli have been making leaf and flower pictures for science. Also there is a photo of a day at school with Ella-Mae, Reggie, Olivia, Irem, and Macey collecting yellow flowers for science.

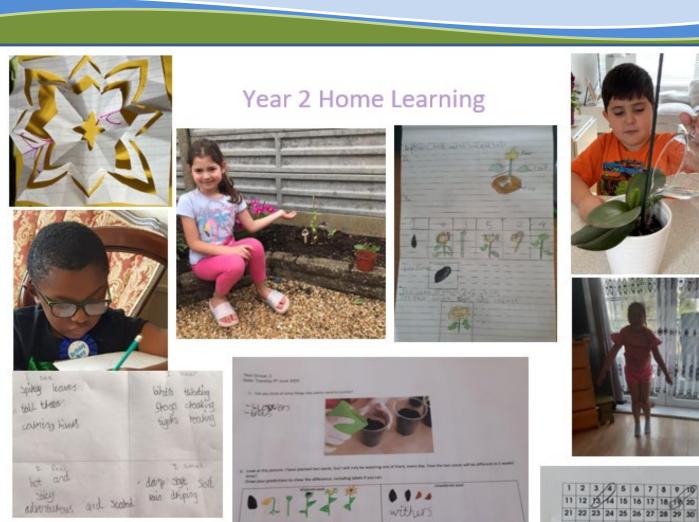




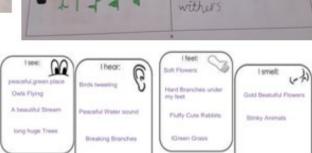






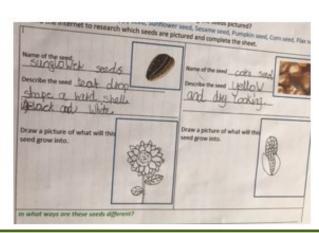






I follow a creek into the rainforest. On the bank of the creek, the long, green vines hung down loosely making bridges between the trees. The air was warm and filled with the sounds of a thousand colourful birds and insects hidden out of sight beneath the bright green leaves.

I can hear water splashing from a waterfall. The leaves are rustling and blowing in the wind up high. Parrots are squawking and tropical birds are screeching in the trees. The river connects to the water fall and I can smell all the trees and back. The salty water smells in my nose. Monkeys are high in the trees jumping and shrieking as the jump in the trees.





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Birds tweeting

Trees swaying Leaves crushing





Leaves under my feet

I feel the sand

Stones



Year 3 Home Learning

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Letter writing inspired by Window by Jeannie Baker.

Science - Wild flowers



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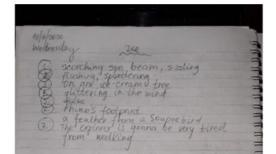












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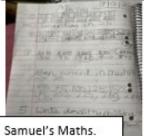
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Nazirah and Aisha celebrating Eid!



Amaya reading a poem by Valerie Bloom.



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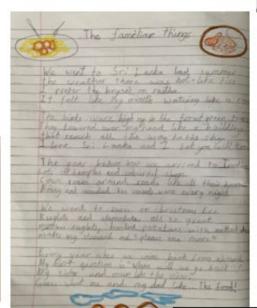




Olivia created this poster with her Mum

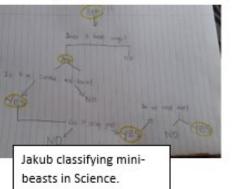


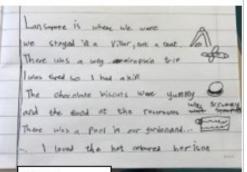
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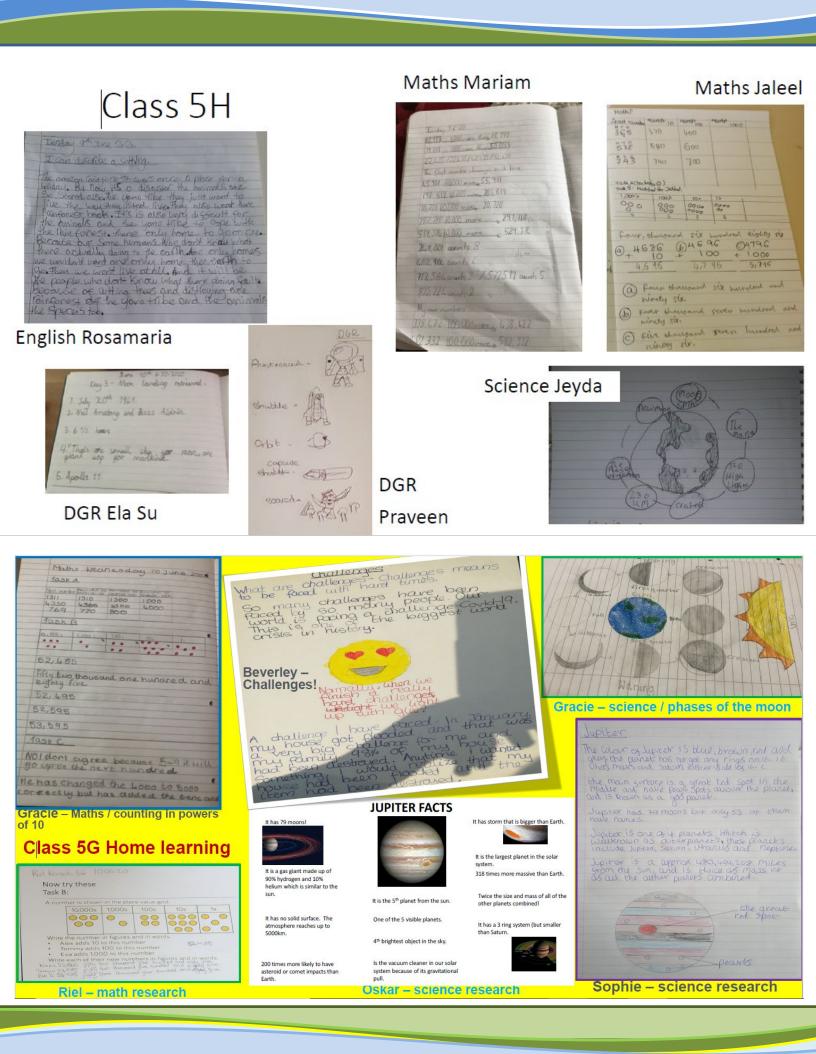




Beth's poem.



Tupaxx Makuba



Year 6 - Learning

English: The Journey by Francesca Sanna

Changing the atmosphere and mood of my picture and then talking about it. Aliya 6L





Year 6 children have been learning about microbes (or micro-organisms). We did an experiment to see what happened to yeast when we added sugar and warm water. We placed a balloon at the top of a bottle.







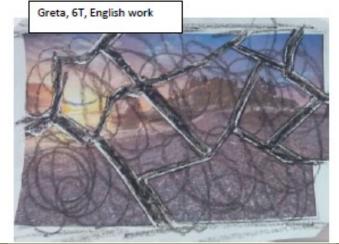
After a little while, the balloon started to inflate, there must be some kind of gas inside the balloon. As the yeast eats the sugar, it produces carbon dioxide. The mixture inside the bottle expanded and was frothing up.













EYFS Home Learning



Dylan in oak class and Selin in Birch do a science experiment. They write a message on a banana. How? They use a cocktail stick to bruise the banana skin. This creates a chemical which turns the skin brown.





Christabel in Birch class and Ziah and Eliana in Ash class have been working hard on maths and finding doubles of numbers.





The story of the week in Nursery was Dear Zoo. The nursery children have been building their own zoo.

Can you spot the animals?

Antonia created a very colourful zoo using her waffle blocks.





Rebecca used her large foam jigsaw pieces to create her zoo.