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Millfields Learning at Home and at School



I cannot believe that we are at the end of another week! On Monday, we welcomed back lots of Reception children who were in school for 2 days, and on Wednesday, Y1 children returned to school. They all worked hard and really impressed us with their learning - they needed a bit of reminding about some learning behaviours, but they haven't forgotten everything, and in fact have all really made progress in their learning in lots of areas, especially writing in Year 1!

This is of course, thanks to all of the wonderful parents and extended families who have been and continue are supporting your children so well at home. A huge 'thank you' for working so hard and ensuring that the children are engaging with the work that teachers are sending, and

attending the Zoom sessions each week. Please try to make at least one of the meetings as we like to make sure the children are staying in touch with the teacher and their classmates.

It has been so lovely to hear all the parents and children chattering at the gate, albeit in a long socially-distanced line, and it was so good to hear about all the amazing things, as part of home learning, that you have all been doing during lockdown.

It seems very strange that we are thinking about the end of an academic year already, as we have only been in school for just over half of the academic year. I am missing, as I am sure you are, all the summer events and end of term celebrations - let's hope we can get back to some normality next term. In the meantime, teachers have completed the end of term Annual Reports for all children - of course attainment and effort comments will mainly be based on where the children were in March, but they should still give you an idea what your child has done well and what they need to improve on. The reports will be sent out towards the end of this month, and will be sent via email.

Also, this is the time of year that we are finalising and organising transition events and thinking about staff and teachers for the next academic year. Once this is finalised, you will receive notification and there will be a 'Transition Day' set up in the school playground, in groups of no more than 10, for the children to say goodbye to their old teacher and spend some time meeting and getting to know their new teacher. This will be during the week beginning 13th July - more on this in the next few weeks.

Just to reiterate the sentiments in my email to parents and carers earlier this week, we will continue to keep you updated with any developments following government announce-

ments and guidance around schools wider offer. We of course want to see as many children back in school as soon as possible, so hopefully September! Fingers crossed!

It looks like the sunshine is back this weekend and into next week, so enjoy some time outside with your family, and see lots of you again next week.

Take care, keep well and stay safe, Jane





Ice Cream Soda Day Saturday 20th June Father's Day Sunday 21st June World Rainforest Day Monday 22nd June Let It Go Day Tuesday 23rd June Fairy Day Wednesday 24th June Global Beatles Day Thursday 25th June Take Your Dog To Work Day Friday 19th June





Hello all, I hope you're all well.

It's been 5 weeks since our previous email re: **#MarvellousMondayMaking** in partnership with Hackney Libraries.

Our final video released today is inspired by Shakespeare's '*A Midsummer Night's Dream*'.

You can see all 5 videos on our resources page: https://www.arthoppers.co.uk/mmm

We also have an online gallery on the same webpage and would love to share what families make at home. Photos can be sent to our email: <u>hello@arthoppers.co.uk</u>

If you need any further info, we'd be very happy to help. Please do get in touch with any queries.

MANY THANKS! Claire.

Claire WT ART HOPPERS



Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week:

13th June ~	Umayr H	& Riley	Ρ,	
14th June ~	Steven F, Bay B, Cheniece B & Jane B			
15th June ~	Maariyah M & Sandro M			
16th June ~	Max H, Leon N, Darius B & Adele M			
17th June ~	Naomi A			
18th June ~	Sara C, Max S, Aqeela H, Julian C & Ethan H			
19th June ~	Aisha A, Saadia B & Hidayah M			

Many happy returns to you all!

