

Willow Class



Summer 1

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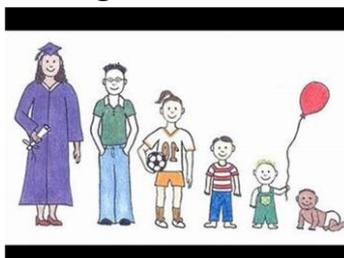
Well this wasn't the beginning of a new term that we were all hoping for, however I hope that you are all settling into a new way of learning. We are working hard behind the scenes to ensure that you have access to as much of the learning that we had intended as possible for the children. Along with all of the lovely activities and daily routines that you already have in place, I'm sure the children are happy and thriving.

Thank you so much to those of you that are uploading photographs, pictures and videos of the children. It is really helpful to be able to give you individual guidance and next steps for the children and also assess their progress.

Learning QUEST

We had so much fun learning about the best of British last term, our boom day seems like a lifetime ago!

Our learning quest this term is based on the human life cycle. The children will be learning some key vocabulary such as, Human Life cycle, Baby, Toddler, Child, Teenager, Adult, Mammal. We hope that you are able to have fun at home learning about how you have grown and changed and thinking about what you will be like when you are older. Look out for some great activities which will take you back in time and make you look to the future. Be creative with your take on the activities and don't forget to show us on Tapestry!



PE

Hopefully everyone is enjoying being active at home. Along with our REAL PE schemes there are lots of online activities and walks in the sunshine too!

Love Reading

Read, read, read!! Even if the children are struggling with other areas of work, rest assured that with lots of listening to stories you are developing your child's reading skills and growing their vocabulary. Enjoy finding times to read together, take a book in the garden, make a den, follow clues, listen to online stories and maybe I might even upload some stories onto Tapestry too!



CARE-BUILD-FOLLOW-THINK

Literacy

We are using a range of tools to support literacy learning at home.

Look out for some super 'Talk for Writing' activities coming your way. Please continue to share the creative ways that you are encouraging your child to read and write.

Lots of you are using the Ruth Miskin phonics videos to support phonics learning at home. This is a great continuation of what we have been doing in school. If you need any support in understanding where your child is at please contact me via email or Tapestry.



Please follow @CottinghamCofE for daily news and updates regarding the super children at Cottingham CofE Primary School. It takes just a few minutes to log in and sign up.

Numeracy

Hopefully you can see that we have provided a good range of activities to develop the children's mathematical thinking in lots of practical ways.

In school we use objects to support counting, this can be anything from around the home, draw pictures to show understanding and then move onto written methods.

It is important to show the children by modelling first and doing it together before they practice independently.



Speed Sound lessons start from 10am daily!

Worship

We will continue to send details of weekly worship themes related to our Christian values. The children may enjoy singing the familiar hymns and thinking of their own prayers for themselves or others.

Other Notices

If you have not already uploaded anything on to Tapestry and need some support then please get in contact ndelo@cottinghamprimary.co.uk. I will be using this as a platform to assess progress, give next steps, individual communication and much more. As a school we would like to continue with 'Star of the Week' and 'Head Teacher's Award' so it will be lovely to see what the children have been up to.

Please send a piece of writing each week, this is to be independent writing so that I can see what the children can do alone.

