



Hatfield Peverel St Andrew's Junior School



NEWSLETTER LOCKDOWN EDITION
12th June 2020



Dear Parents and Children,

So another busy week has flown past with rather more rain than we would have liked! Mr Black has been pleased because our grass is looking better and the mange-tout are growing- it has meant that I have got rather soggy on gate duty again!

The theme this week on 'Sports' has inspired so fantastic work- both on Google Classroom and in the School building. The Roy Lichtenstein inspired art work has been very impressive and has created very quiet, hard working bubbles!

Wishing you all a sun-filled weekend. Mrs Black

Reflection

Hoping that we are all happy and well-cared for.

Help us look for the good in the situations that we find ourselves in.

Comfort those of us who are feeling anxious or unhappy.

Allow us opportunities to enjoy and appreciate the little things that we might take for granted.



Illustration by Charlie Mackesy

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Wishing a very **Happy Birthday** to the children who have celebrated their birthdays from 6th June- 14th June.

Alfie B, Charlie, Evie P,
Sharilyn, Elliot D, Daisy W, Harry O,
Grace H, Cameron

MESSAGE FROM THE 'HOME-LEARNING' TEAM

Mrs Maginn, Mrs Arnold , Mrs Jeary are working so hard as our 'Home -Learning Team' preparing work for you. They and Mrs Gray have had some brilliant ideas for how things can be even better !

Exciting new changes to Google Classroom

Children's interactions with each other and their teachers on Google Classroom have been a hugely positive part of our online learning platform. In a small way, it has helped keep us connected as a school community.

In order to make Google Classroom reflect the school experience more closely and help you structure your child's day we are introducing some changes to Google Classroom.

Google Classroom will be switched on at 9am and turned off at 3pm Children can post work and chat as usual.

At 10.30 there will be 'playtime' where children can chat to their friends. There may even be the odd game or two! The same will happen at 12.30 - 'lunchtime'. This means children will know when their classmates are likely to be logged in for a chat.

There will be several 'whole school' events that all children are welcome to 'attend' via the St Andrew's Junior School GC. More details about these will follow in next week's newsletter.

Year 6 Children working from home.

Staff have been considering how to best support our year 6 pupils now that many of the children are back in school. In order to try and keep everyone connected, those continuing to learn at home and those in school, we have decided to create a single Year 6 class on Google Classroom.

On Monday morning, children will find a message and a code to join the new Year 6 class posted on their existing Bases. They should use this on their Google Classroom home page by clicking on the + sign and entering the given class code in the same way that they joined the whole school St Andrew's class.

12.45-1pm is when Y6 pupils in school will be logging in to chat with their home-schooling peers.



Chatterbooks

At Great Baddow High School Library's Chatterbooks sessions we always enjoy seeing your creations. As we have missed out this year, we would love for you to create either:

- 1 - A shoe box diorama scene from your favourite book; Or
- 2 - An A3 sheet of information about an endangered species.

You can be as creative as you like with your work!

When completed, please take a photo of your work and send it to library@gbhs.co.uk by **Friday 11th September!**



Calling all Year 5 readers!
Would like to take part in 'Great Baddow High School' Chatterbooks?

Remember to e mail photos of your work directly to GBHS, but do share on Google Classroom we would love to see your hard work too!

Resources on the School Website

Home Learning

To help you to continue to support your child at home, you can find all of the historical home learning resources on our school website, alongside specific resources for pupils with SEND, and information about Goggle Classroom.

<https://www.hatfieldpeverelstandrews.co.uk/page/?title=HOME+BASED+LEARNING&pid=39>

Social, Emotional & Mental Health Support

The Maudsley charity have produced some wonderful supportive resources, entitled 'Families Under Pressure' which include tips on helping children with difficult behaviour and negative emotions. You can find short videos and top tips at;

<https://maudsleycharity.org/familiesunderpressure/>

You can find links to this and other supportive resources on the school website at;

<https://www.hatfieldpeverelstandrews.co.uk/page/?title=Social%2C+Emotional+%26amp%3B+Mental+Health+Support&pid=85>

Wellbeing Support

We know that the Coronavirus is affecting our physical health.
We also know that this has implications for our mental wellbeing.

You can find a selection of wellbeing activity packs to use with your child on the school website at;

<https://www.hatfieldpeverelstandrews.co.uk/page/?title=Wellbeing+Support&pid=82>

Bereavement Support

All children will have questions about the effects of the virus but for children who have had someone important die or have a member of their family who is ill, this anxiety is likely to be heightened. Parents have been asking us how to reassure bereaved children and young people who are worried about the effect of this virus on their family.

You can find a range of resources to help facilitate conversations with your child, as well as referral forms for support from bereavement charities at;

<https://www.hatfieldpeverelstandrews.co.uk/page/?>

THE GALLERY

Can you see a piece of work that you uploaded
or made in school this week?

An especially big 'well done' if you have been
spotted 'Shining' on Google Classroom.

Thursday 4th June 2020

I live underwater and people try to fish me out.
I have scales that are hard but I am crispy.
I taste salty when you eat me with chips.
What am I?

I have been wrecked by the waves.
My ribs of fish live in me.
I have treasure and bones
What am I?

Thursday 4th June 2020

LO: To write a riddle.

I swim around in the water
I scatter my babies on the beach
My home never leaves me
I am covered all in green
What am I?

I live in the water and land
People like to collect me
If you hold me up to your ear.
You may just hear the sea
What am I?



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The sports person I admire is Sloane Stephens

Sloane is a professional tennis player and she was the 2017 US champion and has won six WTA single titles in total.

Born: 20 March 1993 (Age 27 years)

Grand slams won: 1



Coach: Kenneth Murray

Questions

1. Who inspired you to become a tennis player?
2. What does it feel like to have so much money?
3. Why did you decide to be an athlete?
4. When did you become a pro at tennis?
5. How did you achieve your career?
6. Where did you start playing tennis?
7. Who was your first opponent?

Sloane Stephens

Coach Murray


Talking to Lewis Hamilton

Jane

1. What was your first entry was 2007 Australian grand prix.
2. My first win was 2007 Canadian grand prix.
3. I was born on the 7th of January 1985.
4. It is Lewis ~~Clara~~ Davidson Hamilton.


What was your first entry?

What was your first win?

When were you born?

What was your whole name?

Lewis Hamilton




- Sir Andrew Barron Murray OBE is a British professional tennis player from Scotland. Murray represents Great Britain in his sporting activities and is a three-time Grand Slam tournament winner, two-time Olympic champion, Davis Cup champion, winner of the 2016 ATP World Tour Finals, and former world No. 1.

- Andy Murray has won 3 grand slams titles and an Olympic gold medal.



Olympic Game Host

Average
Yearly
Temperature

France - 10.7°C - Hosted 2 Summer and 3 Winter

Germany - 8.5°C - Hosted 1 Summer and 1 Winter

Norway - 1.5°C - Hosted 2 Winter

Russia - 5.1°C - Hosted 1 Summer, 1 Winter

Canada - 5.3°C - Hosted 1 Summer and 2 Winter

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