

Shining a Light

The focus of our worships last week was our core Christian value of love and how we can shine a light by showing love to others. As part of this, we commemorated Holocaust Memorial Day on Wednesday 27th January, the theme of which was 'Be the light in the darkness'. We asked children to make lanterns and to light candles to shine in the darkness at home. It was fantastic to see so many children sharing their lanterns at our Friday Celebration Worship. Don't forget that our Celebration Worship takes place every Friday at 2.30pm. The Google Meet nickname to join is fridayworship.



Road Safety

Road Safety is an essential life skill which needs to be taught and reinforced from a young age.

The attached newsletter from Hampshire County Council's Road Safety Team gives advice on walking safely with children during lockdown as well as when we return to the school journey. It also includes details of an virtual lesson that the Hampshire Road Safety team will be offering to children in Years 5 and 6.



Christmas Tree Recycling



This year we sent our Christmas tree for some 'alternative' recycling by donating it to Mucky Bucket Farm (www.muckybucketfarm.co.uk). The hungry goats (Onyx, Sven, Popeye and Pipsquek) thoroughly enjoyed their festive treat! The staff and children in school are now working hard to persuade Mr Cutter to get some of our very own goats at school. It would certainly save us from mowing the grass on our school field!

Chess Club



Our staff team are constantly looking for ways to provide opportunities for the children at home to engage socially with their peers. So far there have been regular lunch clubs, magic shows, book clubs and even 'bring your pet to a Google Meet'! This week Mr Barnett launched the Wickham Virtual Chess Club whereby children at home played a game of chess with opponents at school. We hope that your child is enjoying taking part in these opportunities.

Families Solent East Magazine

Please follow the Link below to the Latest Edition of the Families Solent East magazine filled full of great reads and ideas to help us all through lockdown. Look out for the competitions to enter and Toy Giveaways: [Families Solent East Magazine](#).



Communication with Parents



We have successfully moved to our new Management Information System (Arbor) and will no longer be using Parentmail as a communication system. Therefore, from next week, you will receive emails directly from school. It is essential that you check your emails regularly for up to date information. Please look out for these messages in your inbox (and junk mail) and contact the school office if you have any issues. We will be launching the payments module of the system in due course, so in the meantime please continue to use Scopay to make payments for meals, trips and uniform. Many thanks.

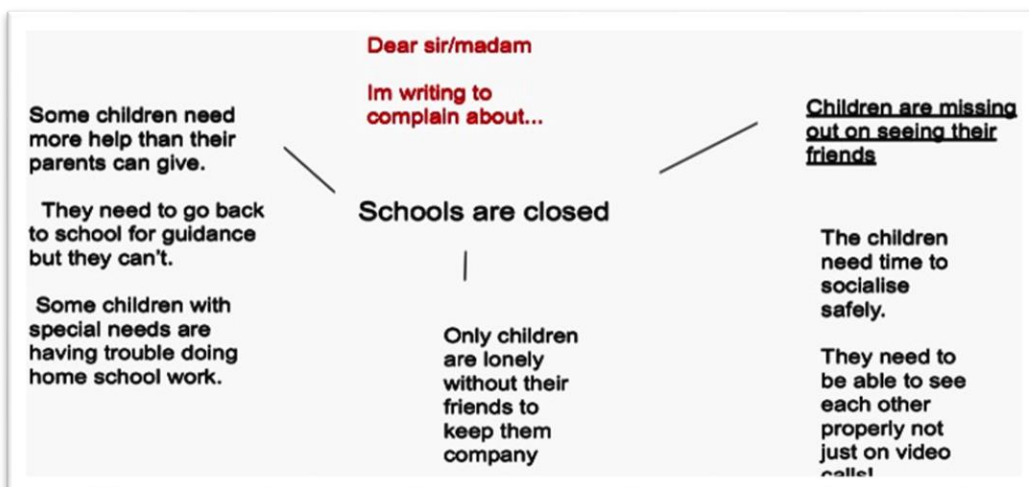
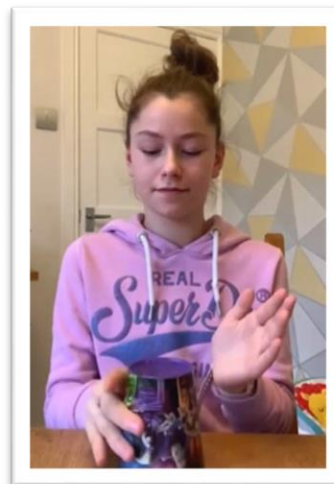
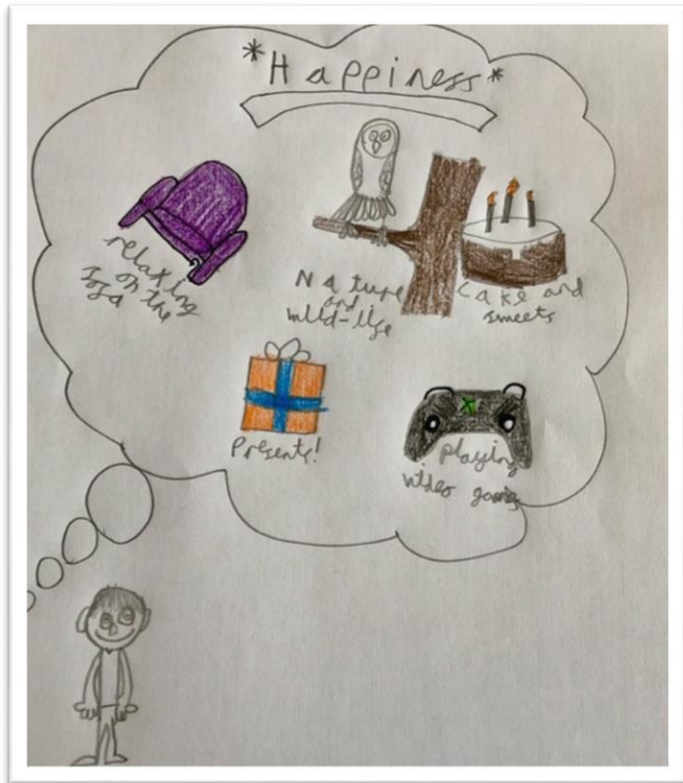
Safer Internet Day

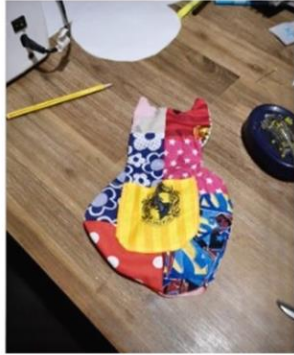


Tuesday February 9th 2021 is Safer Internet Day. This is a day which is celebrated globally in February each year to promote the safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people. In the UK, the theme for 2021 is: 'An internet we trust: exploring reliability in the online world'. The

internet has an amazing range of information and opportunities online, but it is important that we teach children how to separate fact from fiction. The teachers will be delivering lessons next week on online reliability and there are also some fantastic resources which can be shared with children at home, available on the safer internet website (www.saferinternetday.org.uk). Participating in this day will help raise awareness and keep our children safe in the online world.

Our Gallery of Work





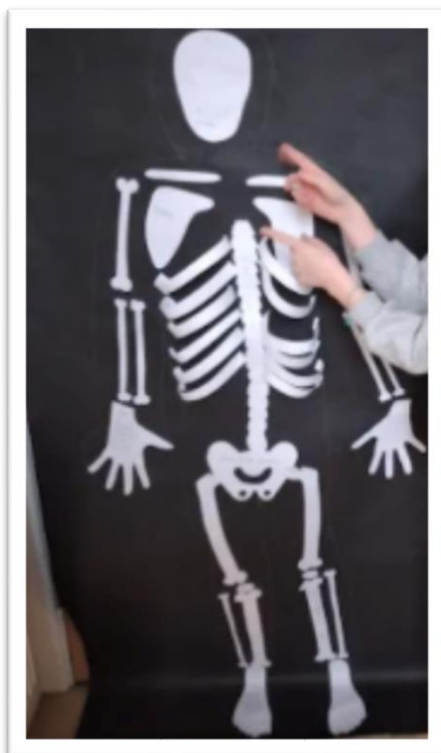
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Kates speech

I am here today to say it is unfair that I can only fall in love with white people. Just because Sam is black ~~doesn't~~ it doesn't mean he's any less of a person.





How to make a dinosaur plant

Do you want to grow a dinosaur? Well follow my instructions and I will tell you how to do it.
have fun!

what you will need!

- Plant pot
- Soil
- Spade/ little shovel
- Dinosaur seeds
- Watering can
- Sunny place

What to do!

1. First get your dinosaur seeds.
2. Next carefully get a plant pot.
3. Then use the shovel/spade and gently place soil into the pot.
4. After that cautiously put the dinosaur seed in the soil and cover.
5. Afterwards slowly pour water over the soil.
6. Finally beautifully place in a sunny area.

I hoped you really enjoyed these instructions.
Have as much fun as we did!

WORD OF WARNING

Don't forget dinosaurs can be dangerous!!!

Pacific Islands

The Pacific Islands comprise 25,000 to 30,000 islands in the Pacific Ocean. Three of the major groups of islands in the Pacific Ocean. The "Pacific Islands" is a term broadly referring to the islands of the Pacific Ocean.

Three major groups of islands in the Pacific Ocean are Polynesia, Micronesia and Melanesia.

Pacific Ocean

Coordinates: 0° 0' 0" N, 180° 0' 0" W

Surface area: 165,250,000 sq km

Volume: 708,000,000 km³

Average depth: 4,100 m (13,450 ft)

Max. depth: 10,911 m (35,797 ft)

Water: 170,000,000 km³

Ice: 1,170,000,000 km³

Many of the markets:
Treasures, traditional, eclectic, vast, diverse, rich in fish and fresh food.

Island in Fiji:
Beautiful, sandy beaches, looks like a carpet of green, clear ocean, hot, near the equator.

They have tropical fish and coral reefs.

Turtle Island - it's shaped like a turtle.

picture from the Solomon Islands, palm trees.

food markets
excellent
cheap
great
friendly

They have different tribes

My Paragraph:

At that horrifying moment, Mount Vesuvius was still erupting over Pompeii. After a few minutes of watching in shock, the eruption went into what looked like a full flow. The smoke was rising and spreading everywhere, even over our boat. All I could smell was that horrible violent smoke filling my nose. I almost began to choke as I breathed in the thick ash.

"I can't believe this is happening. "Our beloved Pompeii is being destroyed with nothing to stop it..." I said with a hard sigh in my voice.

"Why us?, why now?" Said Tranio.

We travelled further and further out to sea and we sang to pass the time. We both wondered where we were headed, if we were traveling to safety or really, we just couldn't think. Smoke was still spreading even as we sailed into the distance. I heard the captain speaking to his crew-mates.

"I can't believe we went to Pompeii, I told you all it would be dangerous!" bawled the captain.

All his crewmates nodded as if they were ordered to. I was thinking about what i should say to Tranio, and it just fell out.

"Are these people nice!" Tranio motioned to me to keep our heads down and not worry.

1. Represent the number 567 in all these ways:

Place Value grid

H	T	O
5	6	7

Number line

500 560 570

In words

five hundred and sixty seven

Place Value Counters

500 60 70

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Partition (TH, H, T, O)

500 + 60 + 7 = 567

Part / whole model

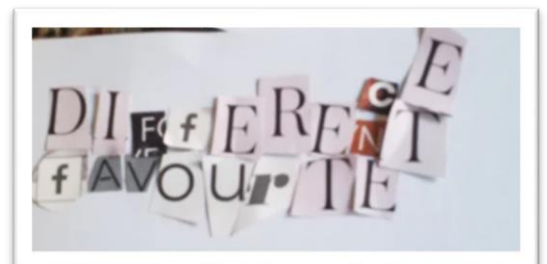
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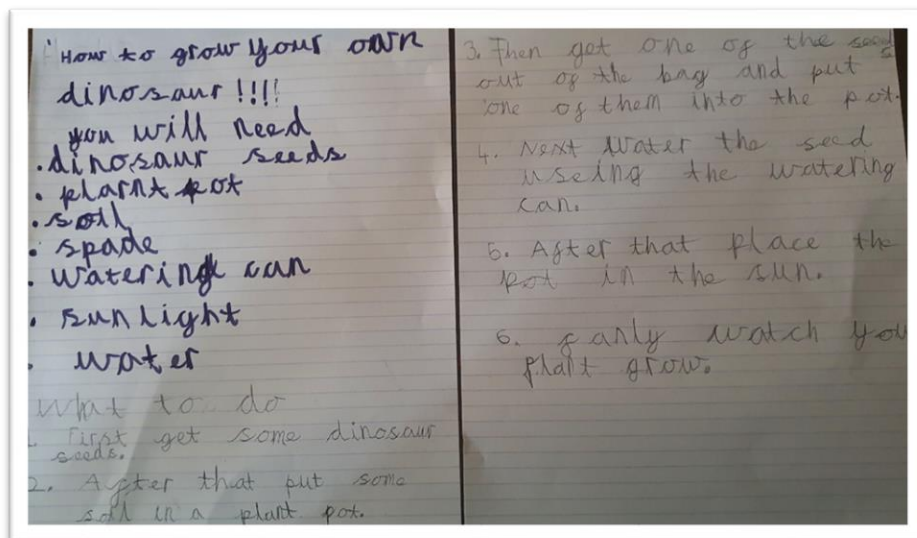
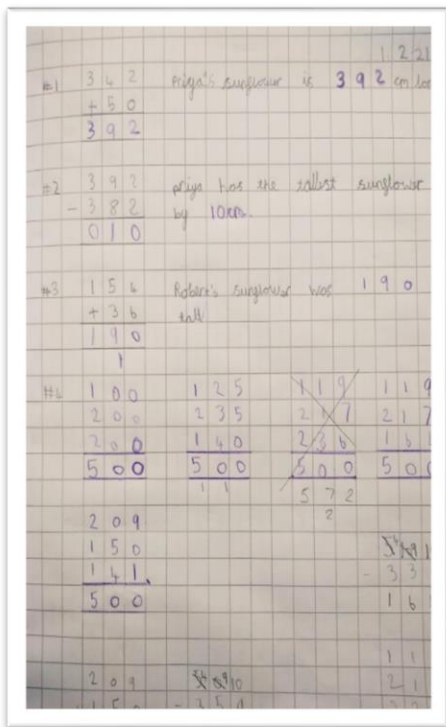
What I infer (think)	I think this because it says...
e.g. I think the island is a beautiful place to live.	"there white sandy beaches with coconut palms" "a green, green, island" "leafy green forests"
I think the village is a quiet place.	"Sleepy village" "Gentle, smiling people" "Peaceful island"
Although the island was destroyed there was hope of a bright future.	"Little plants began to grow" "Later bigger plants began to grow" "A pair of parrots flew by and settled in the coconut palms" "Plants and animals began to return" "Butterflies blew over on the wind and found a home among the plants"
I think the animals that wander about the island feel safe and loved.	"On the island there is a cool blue lagoon" "Where many silvery fish swim in an underwater garden of strange and wondrous animals" "Great sea turtles came by moonlight to bury their eggs in the sand."
I think the island inhabitants feel worried about the volcano	"They huddled fearfully in their homes" "The parrots and all the other birds flew screeching and chattering up into the sky."

The pebble in my pocket

The molten rock is nine times hotter than boiling water. It is 480 ago.

The deeper you go down inside the crust, the hotter it gets. But nothing was living on the island. Under the volcano molten rock shifts like thick bread.





Wherever the river flows, life will flourish – Ezekiel 47:9