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SOUTH DARLEY C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



Celebrating our Week

Friday 19th June 2020

Dear Parents,

I hope you are all well despite the miserable weather this week. We have discovered here at school that wet breaks are not so much fun when you have to be socially distant but at least the children were able to dance in their places to gonoodle videos on youtube (see picture). Next Friday would have been sports day but unfortunately that won't be happening so instead we thought we would have a virtual sports day with challenges that can be done next week and videos sent to us. Mr Pass will be putting up details on Class Dojo. We would normally have so many things planned between now and the end of term which just won't be able to happen this year. The one thing that will take place is a version of a leavers service for our Year 6 who deserve a special send off. We don't want to firm up any plans just yet as the scope of it will depend on rules regarding gatherings but we will let you know details in due course. Finally, I want to reassure you all that it is definitely our intention to have all year groups back in school in September. What this will look like will depend on social distancing rules in place at that time but we will do whatever we can to facilitate everyone coming back. Take Care. Paul Wilde, Headteacher



Infants—Looking forward to next week

This week, the infants will be learning about the Summer Solstice—apt given this week contains the longest day of the year! They will be reading about the Solstice and making their own model of Stonehenge. Pupils will be watching the CBeebies version of A Midsummers Night's Dream and using describing words in their written work about some of the characters before designing a costume for one of them.

Lower Juniors—Looking forward to next week

Next week we are going to continue with our work on 'The Wishgranter', it has been amazing to see so many of you create some wonderful pieces of writing. The activities next week go beyond the ending of the film and allow you to create your own ending. In Maths, we will carry on with the White Rose worksheets. Year 3 are going to be investigating angles whilst Year 4 look into estimating and the four operations. We will be continuing our Ancient Greek project in Topic and exploring the differences between human and animal teeth in Science.

Upper Juniors—Looking forward to next week

First of all a big well done to Y6 who have been in school this week and worked really well with staff and each other. It has been great to have them with us! Thank you also to the children who continue to work hard at home to complete work. Next week in Maths the topic will be area for Y6 and decimals for Y5 and in Literacy we will be writing biographies about the magician Dynamo. Our Science work about changes will continue by looking at changes in old age and we will be making Greek masks in Topic.



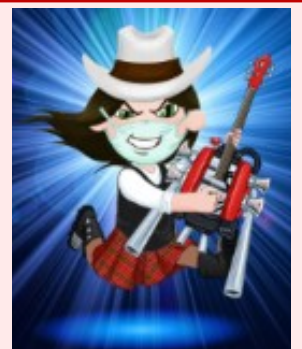
Thank you again to all Rock Stars who took part in the TTRS battle this week. It was once again a very close score at the end with the boys just winning!

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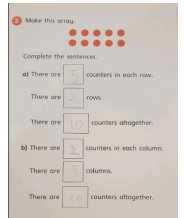
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Y6 came out on top with 73% of children taking part.

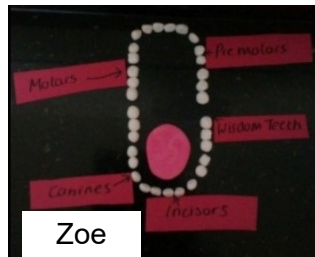
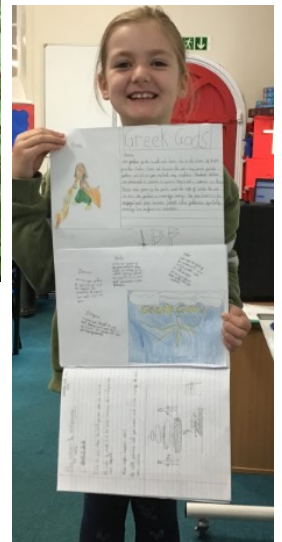
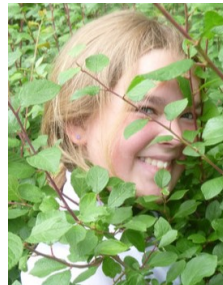
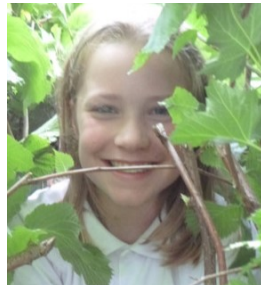
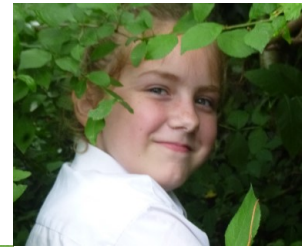
We will let you know what the challenge will be for next week via Class Dojo.



Best work of the week was awarded to Zoe for a very creative project about teeth, Lucas for his amazing Science work, Shohei for a fantastic family tree about the Ancient Greeks, Isla for a fantastic poster all about Greek Gods, Daisy and Thia-Louise for a fantastic maths effort with grouping and sharing- they've both done loads and to Y6 for their hard work, great company and sense of humour this week.



Thia-Louise



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Staying safe whilst live streaming



Do you know your Tik Tok from your LightMV or Vlvavideo?

It's a dazzling new world out there, now children are at home all day and schooling now on-line., But how do you keep yourself up to date on the latest apps or keeping your children safe whilst they are on line?

A new Parent Info article explores how Tik Tok works, the parental controls available, and how they can help their child to stay safer on the platform. The parent info articles are grouped in ages—please click the link to see the articles [4-5s](#) , [5-7s](#) , [8-10s](#) and [11-13s](#) .

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