

## Letter to families

Dear Parents and Carers,  
Following the announcement today from Gavin Williamson, Education Secretary, regarding the plans for all primary school children to spend four weeks in school before the summer break. We thought it would be helpful to clarify our plans.

Our position has not changed. We had realised from the first announcement in April that you cannot physically fit all year groups in the school in classes made up of 10 children. We require up to 9 classrooms for Year 6 alone! What this announcement does provide is an opportunity to invite groups (and family groups) of children into school at different times on different days so that they can have some experience of school and see their teachers before the end of term. We will continue to provide provision for our key learner and key worker children.

Year 6 will begin to return in the week starting Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June. This is dependent on school getting reliable information and data about the reported rise in the R number in the North West to above 1.



## New home learning packs

We were hoping to start getting the packs out to families today. Unfortunately, the photocopier keeps breaking down. In the meantime, the family activities are on the school website and on Frog in the school hall. We have also prepared a pack for Nursery, Reception and Year 1 which will be on Tapestry, the website and in the school hall. Class teachers are still setting daily (or regular activities on their class pages). We are hoping that the packs will be ready soon and that as many families as possible will be able to come in and collect their packs.

## Year 6 leavers livestream event – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July

Following the success of our VE Day livestream event (we had 2.1K hits on the Facebook page and an estimated 500 viewing on the day), we have started planning a Y6 leavers version of The Wizard of Oz. The livestream event will take place in the week starting 13.7.20 and will follow a similar format as before with songs, dances and poetry which children can learn at home using teaching videos.

Year 6 will be very involved in the production and will be able to prepare for this event in school and at home. We would love the whole community to be involved and we have prepared themed weeks for family home learning.

Following feedback from questionnaires and phone calls we have planned family activity packs, so that all children will be able to do same activities. There will be lots of activities to choose from.

08.06.20 week 1- Tornado week

15.06.20 week 2 - Scarecrow week

22.06.20 week 3 - Tin man and sport week - oil those joints!

29.06.20 week 4 - Lion week

06.07.20 week 5- Emerald City week

13.07.20 week 6 - Live stream performance



## Home learning

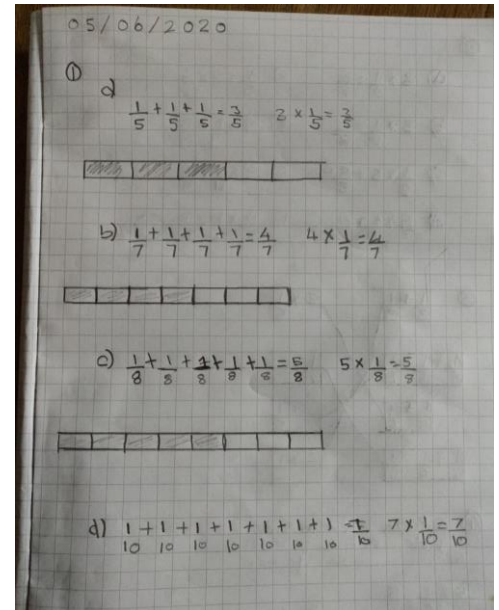
Lots of children have been extremely busy getting on with their home learning packs and online learning resources. Below you can find some examples of the amazing work that children at Lily Lane have been doing. If your child has completed some work that you or they are proud of, send it to their teacher using their year group email.

Underline the Nouns

A noun is a person, place or a thing

1. Chair	Happy	Beautiful
2. Run	Sing	Car
3. Jump	Shoe	Shout
4. Shop	Quickly	Slowly
5. Sit	Talk	Television
6. Dog	Chew	Learn
7. Nurse	Lunch	funny
8. Breakfast	Count	Children
9. Eat	Table	Chat
10. Hall	Walk	Little
11. Spiders have eight legs		X legs, spider
12. Sally rode her bike		✓ Sally
13. The girl sat down		✓
14. The teacher is in the classroom		✓

Samuel in RO has been using his maths knowledge this week to investigate the height of objects and state which were the tallest and which were the shortest. Well done Samuel!



Aisha in 1C has been working extremely hard in English this week, focusing on nouns within sentences. You're doing a fantastic job Aisha, keep up the great work!

Rejoice in 3G celebrated her 8<sup>th</sup> birthday last week and still managed to make time for some home learning! Happy belated birthday Rejoice!



Isiwa in 5G has been completing fraction work in maths this week and is doing a great job. Mrs Gaulton is really impressed Isiwa, keep up the great work!

Isabella in 6B has been completing lots of home learning activities and taking part in yoga and mindfulness sessions. Keep up the great work Isabella, well done!



Darcy-Mai in 4S has been focusing on doubling and halving this week in maths. Your workings out look great Darcy-Mai, well done!

