

Marwood Primary School Newsletter

10/07/20

Dear Parent/Carer

The end of our strangest term ever is now only a week away. Governors, staff and I are working on the plans to have all children back in school on 7th September. I am grateful to everyone who has helped Marwood School achieve what we have since March and I hope that you all stay safe and enjoy your summer.

Next week will be a non-school uniform week 13th to 17th July. Children can come to school in their own practical clothes each day; or they can have some uniform days mixed in. There is no charge just a celebration of the end of term.

Book Amnesty anyone who still has Marwood books at home (especially year 6) please return them to school next week. You do not need to come on site, just ring the bell and someone will come out and collect them from you.

Job Opportunities – Please contact the school office.

- Part-Time Meal Time Assistants 12:00 – 1:00 pm Tuesday to Friday (or days to suit.)
- Cleaner 11:30am – 12:00 Monday to Friday

Our year 6 children will leave Marwood School next Friday (17th July) and we are holding a second socially distant visit for them 1:00 – 2:30 hopefully on the field. It is my hope that their parents will also be able to join us for a celebration of all they have achieved.

Lost Coat – Navy Blue Mountain Warehouse waterproof aged 6 / 7 it is marked with a name- we cannot find it at school please check it has not come home in error.

Water bottle reminder – children must bring a freshly filled and labelled water bottle to school each day.

Kind regards

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Planning for September

Next week I will give details for the new term including;

- How we will manage the beginning and end of the school day for drop off and pick up.
- How the classrooms will be arranged
- Items children need to bring.
- Taking books between home and school
- PE expectations – children should wear practical sport shoes to school each day to prevent the need to change for PE.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding September's return.

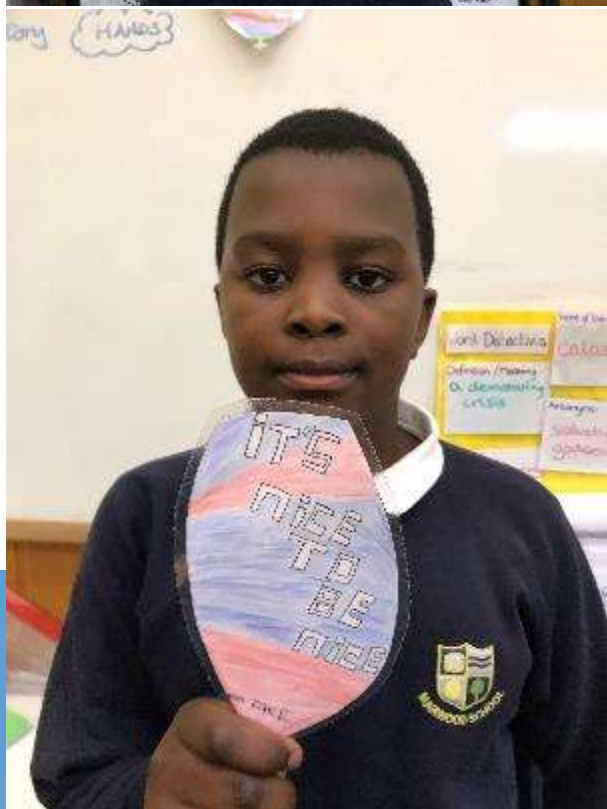
	WEEK STARTING	13 th July 2020			
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
OPTION 1	Beef Burgers and Curly Fries	Pizza	Chicken Korma	Pasta Bolognaise	Fish & Chips
OPTION 2	Quorn Burger and Curly Fries		Quorn fillet	Pasta Bake	Vegetable Pasty & Chips
SIDES	Carrot & cucumber	Mid potatoes Sweetcorn	Rice & Peas	Mixed Veg	Carrot & cucumber

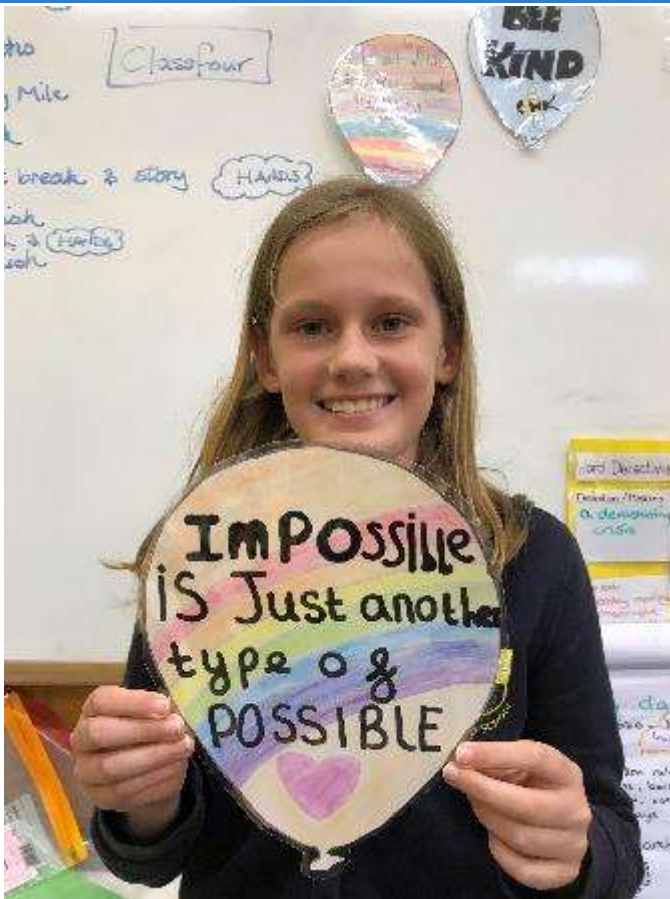
School news

Mr Dobson – *“Year 6 rolling down the slope on the field last Friday”*



Mrs Lethaby – “The children have been making some balloons with their own inspirational sayings on which I will be displaying in September. “





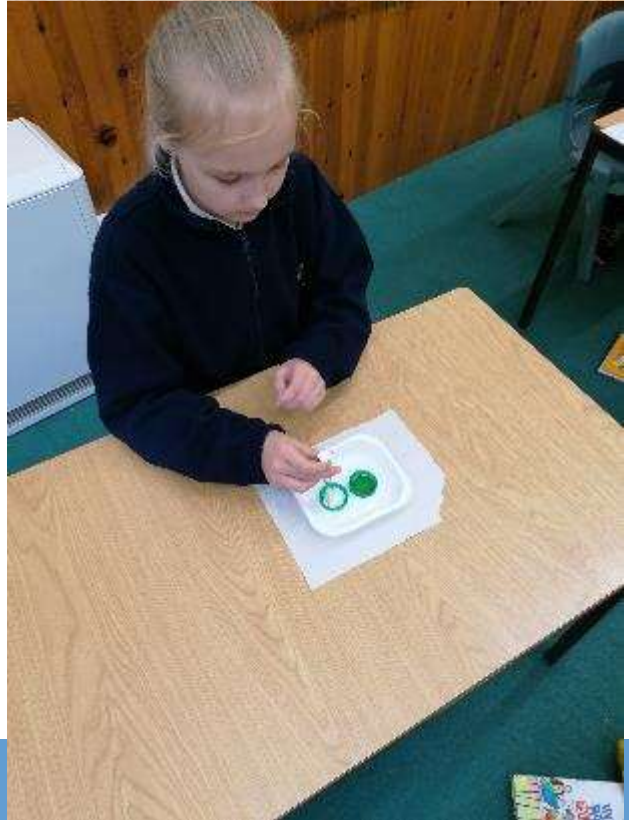
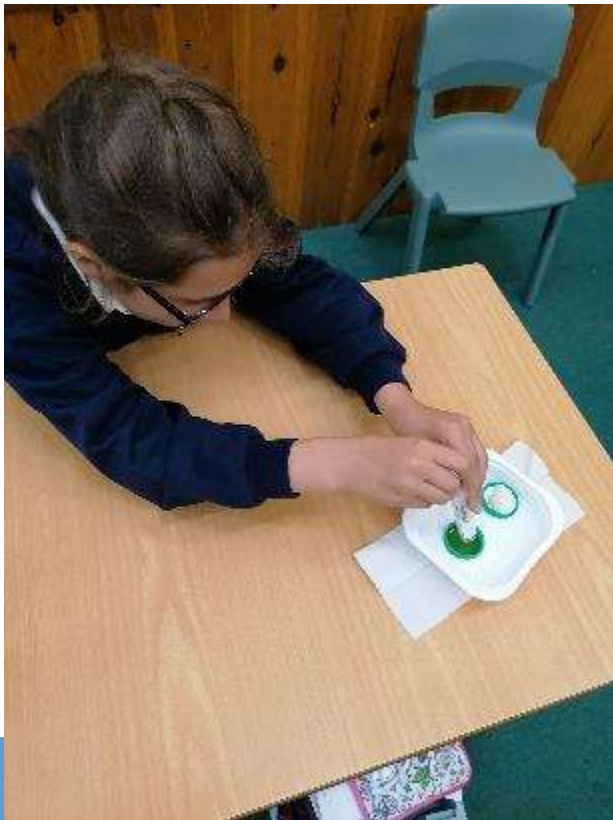
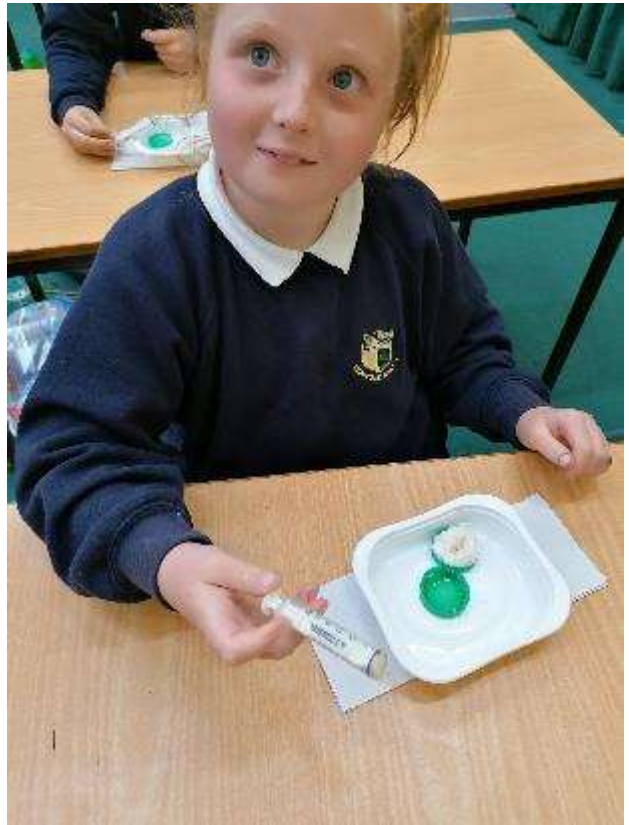
To support children and young people and to help keep them entertained the British Red Cross are continuing with their kindness calendar. New, quick activities will be emailed to you on a weekly basis. The activities will encourage simple acts of kindness, build resilience and include topics like mental wellbeing, loneliness and help children and young people prepare for the return to school.

GET YOUR KINDNESS CALENDAR:
<https://www.redcross.org.uk/get-involved/teaching-resources/summer-of-kindness-calendar##>

*"KW bubble 4 have been creating chemical reactions using bicarbonate of soda and vinegar and observing the reactions. Perhaps you could ask an adult and have a go at home over the holidays. {yr6 Oak science lesson if you want to have a go}.
Warning: Always ask an adult before attempting science experiments at home!
Have fun, Mrs Cohen*



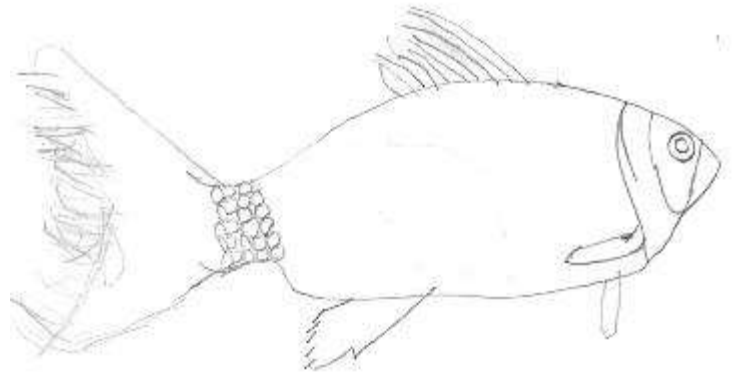
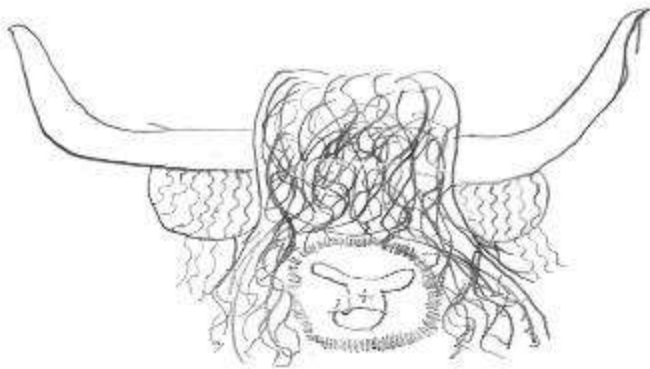




Home news

Here are some great pictures sent in by Chloe!





Lottie entered a young farmers virtual rally, winning second place for her prettiest pizza and pencil drawing!





SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB 2020 MARWOOD EX31 4DU



Age: rising 5 - 11 years (Primary school age children)

Time: 8am to 6pm

Location: The Annexe, Springfield Nursery, EX31 4DU

Dates: Weekdays starting on Monday 20th July to Friday 4th September (we are not open on Bank Holiday Monday 31st August). Spaces are limited due to small groups!

Cost: £35.00 full day - 8am to 6pm or £25.00 half day - 8am to 1pm or 1pm to 6pm

During the Summer Holidays we will be based outside the majority of the time and our programme of events/activities will include Exploring Nature, Construction, Gardening, Camp Fires, Camp Cooking, Arts & Crafts, Science, Bake Offs, Making Games, Den Building, Team Games, Outdoor Craft Activities and lots more. A lot of activities are 'child led' so the ideas are based around their ideas and plans.

What to bring (all items brought in should be clearly named): drink bottle, packed lunch, change of clothes, swimming costume & towel (for outdoor water play), sun cream, sun hat, wellington boots and wet weather clothes (if weather inclement).

We are following the government guidance and will implement the same steps we are adhering to in our day to day practice within the Nursery. This includes hand washing on arrival and regularly throughout the day. Small consistent groups, a declaration form completed by parents, no visitors or parents allowed in the buildings (so drop off is done at the entrance to the field next to the annexe) all soft furnishings have been removed, sanitising and cleaning is undertaken throughout the day and an outside cleaning company provide an enhanced cleaning service.

Please call 01271 329028 or email: enquiry@springfieldnursery.com





NORTH DEVON SHOW

Virtual Children's Competition

Sponsored and Judged by



CLASSES:

- Class 1: Make a bug house, using any materials - 7 years old and under
- Class 2: Make a bug house, using any materials - 8 to 12 years old
- Class 3: Make a bug house, using any materials - 13 to 16 years old
- Class 4: Paint or Draw your favourite animal – 7 years old and under
- Class 5: Paint or Draw your favourite animal – 8 to 12 years old
- Class 6: Paint or Draw your favourite animal – 13 to 16 years old
- Class 7: Make a puppet, using any materials - 7 years old and under
- Class 8: Make a puppet, using any materials - 8 to 12 years old
- Class 9: Make a puppet, using any materials - 13 to 16 years old
- Class 10: Write a poem about a day at the North Devon Show - 7 years old and under
- Class 11: Write a poem about a day at the North Devon Show - 8 to 12 years old
- Class 12: Write a poem about a day at the North Devon Show - 13 to 16 years old
- Class 13: Tallest Sunflower – All ages (please include height in cm)
- Class 14: Make an animal out of fruit/vegetables – 7 years old and under
- Class 15: Design a clothing product made from wool - 8 to 12 years old
- Class 16: Design a clothing product made from wool - 13 to 16 years old

NFU have launched the #LockdownLearning initiative for home education. We are working closely with the NFU to provide some friendly competition with classes to suit everyone. More details on the Initiative or for ideas to enter our classes please visit:

<https://eatfarmnow.com/category/lockdown-learning/>

PRIZES:

1st: £5.00 + Rosette 2nd: Rosette 3rd: Rosette

HOW TO ENTER:

Email us at showsecretary@northdevonshow.com with the following details:

1. Name, address and age (on the 29th July 2020)
2. Photograph/s of your entry
3. Class Number you would like to enter

One email per entry is recommended, with unlimited entries and no entry fees.

Entries to be received by midday on Wednesday 29th July 2020

All entries will be published on social media with the results in August.

North Devon Agricultural Society

15 George Arcade, South Molton, North Devon, EX36 3AB

Telephone: 01769 573852 Email: showsecretary@northdevonshow.com

NORTH DEVON SHOW

Virtual Baking Competition

Judge: Our Show Presidents' – Mr Roger and Mrs Brenda Savery

Kindly Sponsored by NFU



We are looking for 4 Cupcakes that are decorated to suit a theme of the North Devon Show (i.e cow, sheep, flowers, tractors etc.)

Classes open to all Adults and Children with Prize Money and Rosettes.

CLASSES:

Class 1: 7 years old and under

Class 2: 8-14 years old

Class 3: 15 years +

PRIZES

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