



NEWSLETTER

26th February 2021

This week at Fair Furlong

Notices

I hope everyone has enjoyed their week this week returning to learning at home and in school. Just one more week to go and we will then be welcoming everyone back to school. We are all very excited and getting things ready to enjoy being back together. Look out for emails next week reminding you of timings etc.

Thank you to everyone who contributed with photos for the holiday challenge 'words of lockdown' - If you have photos to share there is still time to send them in but please do by Monday 1st March. Also, you have time to paint your pebbles for our playground display and can bring them to school when you come in on the 8th of March. This week has felt more spring like and with the news of the return I have felt a spring in my step returning, as I hope you have too.

Mrs Lang

IMPORTANT - School Closure Day Thursday 6th May 2021

I am sorry to say that we have once again been designated as a polling station if elections go ahead. Unfortunately, due to the parts of the building needed for the voters we cannot open for children and guarantee their safety so we have no option but to close. I will continue to work with the council to try to find an alternative for future dates.

Mrs Lang

Breakfast/After School Club

Please remember to book via the google form if you require places for breakfast or after school club. Spaces are limited and need to be pre-booked now for the week commencing 8th March.

Note: There will be **NO after school club on Thursday 1st April** as this is the last day of term.

Job Opportunity

We are currently looking for a SMSA (lunchtime supervisor) to join our team. If you are enthusiastic, enjoy working in a team and would like more information - please call the school office to register your interest 01173772181





Reception Places 2021

Offers of school places will be sent to you by Bristol City Council on 16th March 2021. Please keep an eye on your emails at this time.

PRE-LOVED SCHOOL UNIFORM

If you have any pre-loved school uniform that is clean and in good condition we would be very grateful of any donations.

Please either send your donation into school with your child this week, or bring it to school on Friday for book swap.

We will be holding a pre-loved uniform sale at school on Friday 5th March. All items will be 50p.

What's Been Happening this Week?



In Nursery we are learning all about how we travel around the world. This week we investigated how to make cars move faster, we built our own ramps and zoomed the cars down. Millie also made a super ramp at home too using jigsaw boxes!



busy re-filling our book corners in all of our classrooms ready for the children's return.



This week we've received a wonderful stock of new and exciting books. We're



Email: Parents Evening booking information

Email: Years 3-5 Activity trackers

Email: Breakfast and Afterschool club booking

Email: World Book Day Activities

Email: Return to school briefing

Certificates Awarded for Outstanding Achievement this week

	Learning Together: Elijah Derrick
	Enthusiasm: Kiegan Harding, Julie Khalaf, Oscar Bewick, Amelia-Rose Mansie, Charlie Delaney, Shaylee Davies
	Challenge: Candice Dunningham, Emmy White, Leo James, Lucien Collins, Zak Barnes
	Respect:
	Trust: Amelie Bray

Pupils who are home learning are also be included in certificates. Take a look at your child's or your email (may need to check the junk folder) for an online message. Apologies this week as assembly will not be available as a recording due to issues with technology.

Attendance this Week

Well Done Everyone!

Thank you all for your continued support with home learning. It has been lovely to see such hard work happening both at school and at home. We've really enjoyed seeing your fantastic and innovative ways to approach learning - please continue to send them in!

Should you have any questions about home learning please either email your year group or call the school office who are willing to help you.

REMINDER - IF YOUR CHILD DEVELOPS ANY COVID SYMPTOMS EVEN IF NOT ATTENDING SCHOOL. PLEASE EMAIL THE SCHOOL ADDRESS FAIRFURLONGP@BRISTOL-SCHOOLS.UK AND BOOK A COVID TEST ON 119. WE CAN THEN PERFORM OUR ESSENTIAL TRACK AND TRACE DUTIES IF THEY HAVE HAD CONTACT IN SCHOOL

Next Term and Beyond

This week's Menu

Monday: Pizza or Jacket Potato with tuna

Tuesday: Sausage meal, Veggies sausages or Jacket Potato with beans

Wednesday: Roast Chicken or Vegetable Slice

Thursday: Mac 'n' Cheese or Jacket with beans

Friday: Fish Fingers and Chips or Jacket Potato with beans

2020/21 School Dates

Term 1

Thursday 3 September to Thursday 22 October

(Tuesday 1 September, Wednesday 2 September and Friday 23 October : INSET DAYS)

Term 2

Tuesday 3 November to Friday 18 December

(Monday 2 November : INSET DAY)

Term 3

Tuesday 5 January to Friday 12 February

(Monday 4 January : INSET DAY)

Term 4

Monday 22 February to Thursday 1 April

Term 5

Monday 19 April to Friday 28 May

Term 6

Monday 7 June to Wednesday 21 July

(Thursday 8th and Friday 9 July : INSET DAY)

Diary Dates

Term 4

Mon 22nd Feb

START OF TERM

Thurs 4th Mar

World Book Day

Tues 9th & Wed 10th Mar

Parents Evening

Friday 19th Mar

Red Nose Day

Thursday 1st April

Easter Celebration - Yr 2 and 3

Thursday 1st April

LAST DAY OF TERM

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

If you or your family are affected by symptoms of Covid 19 please do let the school office know so we can respond accordingly in school.

This is really important even if you are remote learning



Young Victims' Service – Free service available for 8-18 year olds.

Parents/Carers/professionals can contact them for advice and they may be able to offer support on a 1:1 basis for young people who have been affected by crime and anti-social behaviour. Tel 01275 884488 or visit <https://youngvictims.wordpress.com/> for more information. Alternatively speak with Mrs Charlton or Miss Cooper.

HANDS

FACE

SPACE

bristol.gov.uk/coronavirus

#WeAreBristol



If you develop one or more symptoms:

- a high temperature
- a new, continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

Get a test and self-isolate until you get your test result.



CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY 2020

CONGRATULATIONS

Fair Furlong Primary School

By popping on your pullovers for Christmas Jumper Day this year,
you've helped make the world better in a sweater.

YOU'VE RAISED

£ 336.75

Coach Christmas

Jumper HQ,
Save the Children



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Children**



Picture News

at Home

1st March 2021

What's going on this week?



The Coca-Cola company is testing a new paper bottle as part of a long-term strategy to remove plastic from its packaging. The sample bottle is made by a Danish company from an extra-strong paper shell that still contains a thin plastic liner. The overall ambition is to create a 100% recyclable, plastic-free bottle capable of preventing gas escaping from carbonated drinks.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🧐 Can you make a list of different objects/food that have packaging? What was the packaging made of? What did you do with the packaging?
- 🧐 Can you think of different reasons why we have packaging?
- 🧐 Would the type of packaging a product is in impact on your decision to buy the product? Why?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...



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Picture News

at Home

22nd February 2021

What's going on this week?



Egyptian authorities have recently completed a 22-mile (36km) wall around the tourist resort of Sharm El-Sheikh. Anyone entering the city by road will now have to pass through one of four gates equipped with cameras and scanners. The government believe it will help protect tourism at the Red Sea resort, which has faced many challenges over the past 10 years meaning fewer holiday-makers have been visiting the resort.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🧐 Can you make a list of as many different types of walls as you can? Where can you find them and what are they used for? For each of the examples, what do you think might happen if there wasn't a wall in place?
- 🧐 Can you think of any famous walls throughout history? What were their purposes?

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DATA PROTECTION REGULATION - You may not be aware but the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) came into force in May 2018. We are required to conduct due diligence for all parents to be aware of the regulation and how it affects their child and the way the school deals with their personal data. Under the regulation we have a responsibility to ensure to the best of our ability that any personal data held is up to date. We would ask that should any of your personal data change i.e. telephone number, address, medical needs etc that you please inform the school as soon as possible so we can update our records. You will still receive an annual data collection sheet every September but we would ask you not to wait but inform the school of any changes immediately.