



Newsletter Friday 12th February 2021



Dear Parents & Carers,

Here we are at the end of an eventful half term. Everyone has been doing really well with their learning, both at home and in school and so we hope that you can all take the opportunity to have a well-earned rest next week! Even though it has been lovely to have some 'proper' snow, we're all certainly looking forward to the spring.

Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 9th February was Safer Internet Day, so Year 4, 5 and 6 have been learning all about how to stay safe on the internet this week. We have watched a virtual assembly to get our brains thinking about ways to stay safe and we are currently holding a 'Design a Superhero' competition. The winning entries will receive a prize and their designs will be used on displays around the school. The children have enjoyed showing off their creative sides and coming up with superheroes who keep children safe when they use the internet. Mrs Curtis has also enjoyed having the opportunity to break out the pencil crayons when she created an example for the children to follow. We will let you know in the next newsletter who the winners are when the entries have all been submitted.



Poetry in Year 6

This week, the Year 6s have been experimenting with poetry. As part of this, they were asked to write a list poem that included a noun and an abstract noun. There were some great examples. In particular, we thought that Chloe's poem was a very hopeful and positive view of the world - something that we could all do with at this moment in time.

Nature

The waterfall of possibilities

The tree of wisdom

The leaf of hope

The river of dreams

The grass of calmness

The mountain of isolation

The air of freedom

The flower of love

The pond of hope

The view of a lifetime.

Important: contact information

Staff working from home will sometimes be contacting parents, for example when we had to close the school midday. These numbers will display as 'number withheld' or 'private number' and are sometimes not answered. We understand this but please be aware that school staff will sometimes have to contact you during the day. Thank you.

Have a lovely half term holiday everyone