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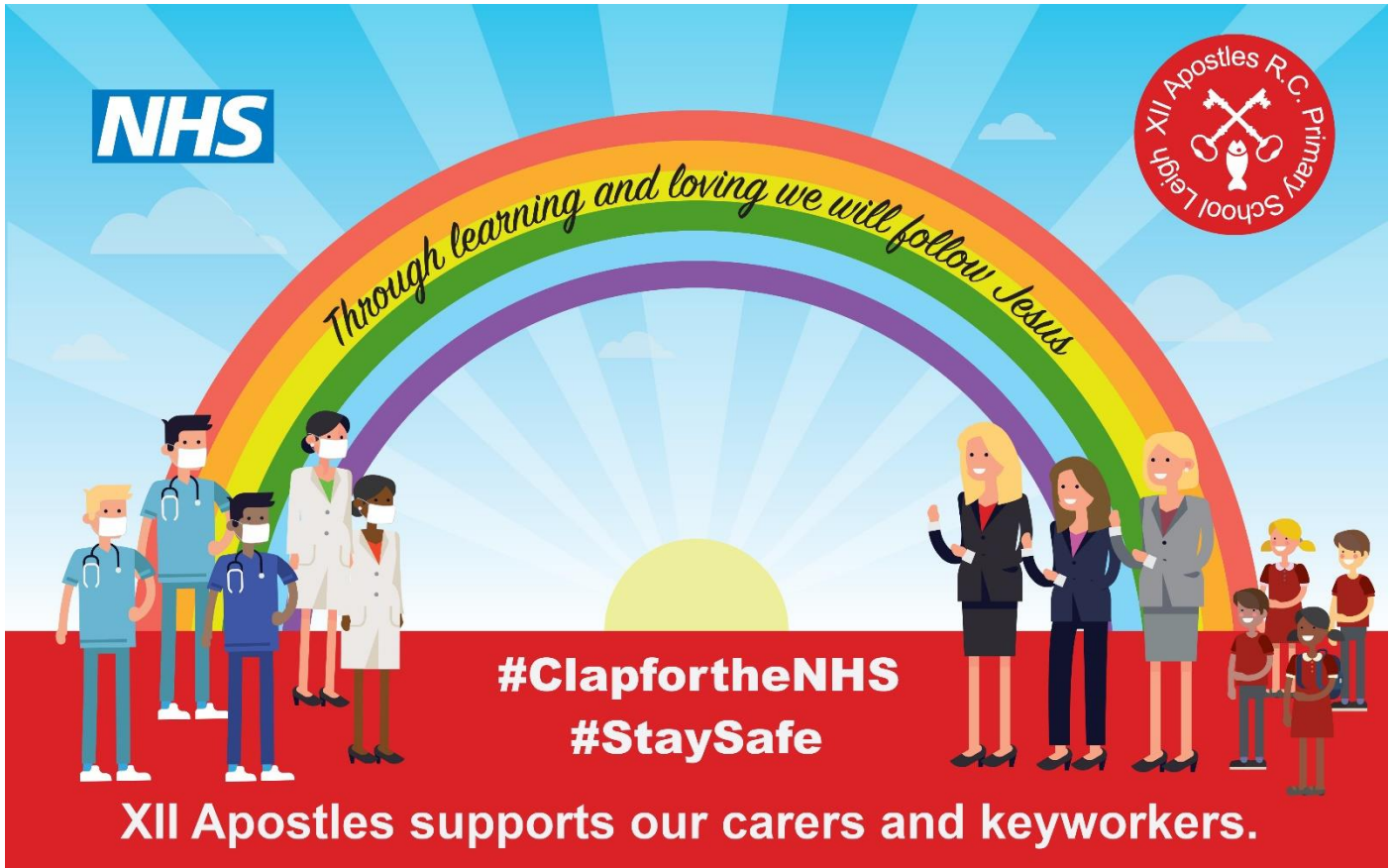


NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers

We are beginning to see the return of the sunshine after some much needed rain for the gardens.

I hope that you are all bearing up during these crazy times.

The teachers have enjoyed hearing from the children about the wonderful learning that has been going on at home and the things that the children have been doing. I can only reiterate again that I appreciate that it is not easy for parents to balance both working from home and trying to home school. Please remember that you can only do your best and you need to take each day, and each week as it comes. Some of our own teachers are in this situation so have the greatest empathy. Some days we think we nail it and others are just a disaster!

Star of the Week!



Friday 1st May 2020

Well done to the following children who have completed excellent home learning tasks. Photographs can be found on the school page on class Dojo's.

Reception

Isla McCulloch for her great work on Supertato. She has trapped the Evil Pea in jelly, made a trap for the Evil Pea with a map and has tested how well peas roll with her big sister Lily, by having a 'pea race'.

Year 1

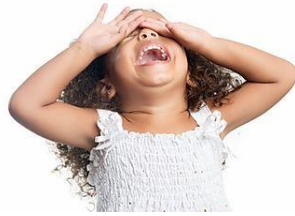
Blake Buckley for his retell of 'Man on the Moon the life of Bob!'

Year 2

Gloriz Osemeke for all of her wonderful work at home over the last few weeks, especially the

Remember giving children a range of other experiences is so beneficial. Make time for each other, never let work at home become more important than spending time together.

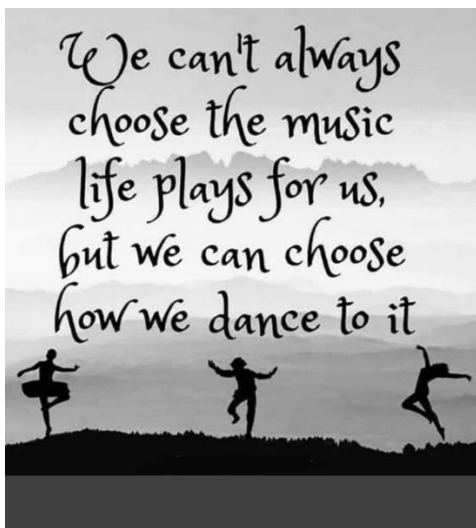
Laugh often, tell jokes;
Share a funny family story that you remember.



Support one another and be thankful for each other. Think back over the day at the things you are thankful for.

We are still awaiting Government directives on when schools will re-open but this is likely to look very different i.e. staggered or phased return. Look after yourselves and stay safe. God Bless.

Mrs Newton



Keeping in Touch

Keeping in touch and keeping talking during this time is really important. Over the last few weeks, teachers have been calling children to check in and have a chat.

fantastic writing and fraction work this week. She tries her best every day!

Year 3

Matilda Roberts for working so hard on all of her home learning tasks and in particular completing a beautiful Van Gogh painting on purple mash. Well done Matilda keep up the hard work!

Year 4

William Ray - for working hard every week since school closed, making huge improvements in his handwriting and for making a fantastic food chain.

Year 5

Oliver Robinson for working extremely hard with his home learning and always putting in 100% effort in every task.

Year 6

Ola Kasza for all of her brilliant work so far and her commitment to learning from home.

VE Day or Victory in Europe Day

The Bank Holiday was moved from Monday 4th May to Friday 8th May so that the nation could take a moment to reflect on the significance of this date, as a milestone that changed the course of history for the whole world. The 8th May 2020 marks the 75th anniversary of the formal end of World War II. ... It commemorates the formal acceptance of Nazi Germany's surrender by the allied forces at the end of the Second World War in 1945. It is regarded as one of the grandest **celebrations** in British history.

As part of their home learning the children have been remembering this historical occasion.

Ruby in Year 2 has been working hard with her mum to decorate her front window for VE day.



Maybe they have a worry or concern? Maybe they have done something that they would really like to share? Or maybe they just want to have a chat and speak to somebody different?

I know the teachers have really loved catching up with the children and sharing their experiences. If your child would like to have a catch up with their class teacher, please let the teacher know through class Dojo.



The Great Outdoors

Many of you will be going walking or cycling as part of your daily exercise and you may have found new paths and walks to explore. We would love you to email in some photos of you on these walks with the beautiful scenery behind you and recommendations for new walks for other families. Walking and cycling not only helps to keep us fit but we also take so much notice of the environment around us

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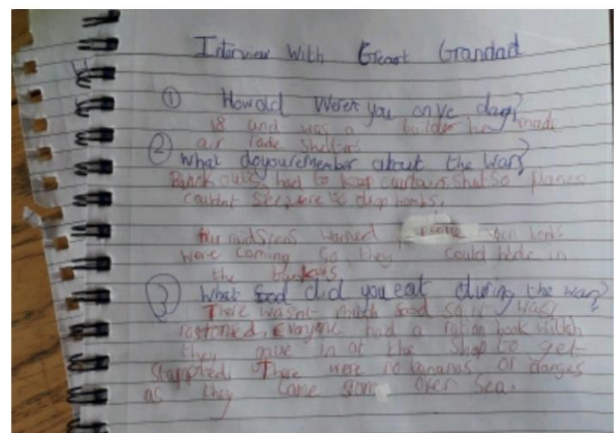


Support for Adults going through DV during Lockdown

The increase in the levels of domestic violence have been a concern both locally and nationally during this period lock down.

Please find attached some useful information from the Domestic abuse community programme worker around supporting adults to stay safe from abuse during in COVID-19.

Ryan in Year 4 interviewed his great Grandad who fought in WWII. What wonderful first hand evidence!



Macey in Year 4 has built a cenotaph from lego and poppies made from bottles. It looks impressive.

Macey



Look what Jessica in Year 2 has found when she has been for a walk locally.





Archbishop Malcolm invites us to pray together with him through these times:

God Our Father,
each person is precious to You.
You are the Giver of life.
Have mercy on us and protect us
at this time, as the coronavirus

threatens health and life.

You are an ever-present Helper in time of trouble.

Watch over those who are suffering,

give strength to those who are aiding the sick

and give courage to all in this time of anxiety.

We ask this of you in the name of your Son.

Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Remembering those who lost their lives please go to the link below to find out more

<https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/remembrance/remembrance-events/ve-day-75?seg=WPDW3B>

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