

Barley Lane Newsletter

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"Believe in yourself, Learn together, Persevere and Succeed"

Dear Parents and Carers

We didn't expect to be publishing a newsletter quite so soon but there is a lot to update you on, two weeks into our school closure period. Parent queries this fortnight have centred on home learning. You may have created a schedule for your children and have high hopes for them. You also may have anxieties about covering the work, curriculum and academic achievement. Please do not worry too much about this. Your children will pick up on the uncertainty of this period and you may already have noticed some changes in behaviour, which is natural.

Every child is in the same boat and when they return to school we will meet them where they are. In the meantime, they need to feel loved, safe and comforted. There are days when you will need to abandon your schedule, on other days just don't plan one! Bake, paint, talk, sing, play games, watch a film, write a diary. And most of all, enjoy your time together.

Have a lovely Easter break, Mr Henry



Home Learning Support

We have been receiving phone calls and emails from parents wondering how to access our home learning options. We are happy to explain this over the phone. Our wonderful staff have translated our home learning guides into a number of different languages which can be found here (Tłumaczenie polskie, ودور , Gujarati, Bangla, with more to follow). Page 3 of this newsletter contains guides which explain how to access sites such as Education City, Purple Mash and Discovery Education.

Thank you to Mr Assad, Miss Rafiq, Mrs Borowy, Mrs Pierson and Miss Isa for their help in preparing these resources

BL Pupils help the NHS

Well done to Vinaya and Miraya who were featured in the <u>llford Recorder</u> this week! The girls have been busy preparing sandwiches to thank the hospital staff across the road at King Georges. Well

done to the whole family!

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Chadwell Health children make sandwiches to thank hospital staff working tirelessly to combat coronavirus

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The children attending school today are busy designing poster to send to the new Nightingale Hospital and brighten up their walls.

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Zostańcie w domu

Bądźcie bezpieczni

Jesteśmy w tym wszyscy
razem

Ghar rahein Mahfuz rahein Hum sab akathay hain is mein Stay home Stay safe We are all in this together

Clubs

School may be closed but some of our club providers are still working hard. Angelique from Bollywood Dance club is currently preparing online

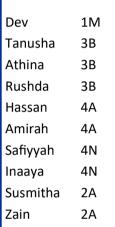
classes for the



Summer Term and Robert and James from our Karate club have set up a <u>Facebook Group</u> for parents and children to log on and receive tutorials.

Headteacher's Award

This half term's Headteacher's Award recipients are:



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Maliha

Roshan

Yaqub



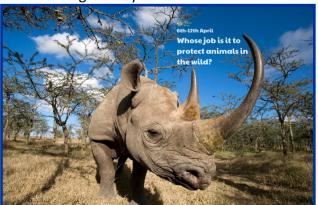
Mario	RY
Shereen	6G
Inaaya	6C
Vinaya	4C
Shreya	4C
Avik	1M
Radiya	3H
Harleen	3H
Shanzay	4S
Shumona	3A
Dennis	3A

This Week's Picture News

Whose job is it to protect animals in the wild?



Our Home Learning <u>Home Talk</u> page is updated each week with Picture News resources to help encourage family discussion and debate.



Home Learning

Our families have been getting creative at home! Thank you for sending in your photos and work to homelearning@barleylane.redbridge.sch.uk. They make us very happy! You can see more photos in our <u>Gallery</u>. There are some top tips on supporting your children at home here.



Ofsted Inspection

We have received some queries regarding the outcome of our Ofsted inspection in March . Ofsted have suspended publication of recent inspection reports until schools reopen to all pupils. As mentioned last month, we look forward to sharing the report when it is eventually published. Thank you for your patience!

Our Summer Curriculum

Please see our <u>Curriculum Page</u> for details of our summer curriculum. Our Summer Term topic webs for each year group will soon available for you to view so that you can incorporate some of then themes into your home learning plans!



How to access Barley Lane Home Learning

Click on this link for the main Home Learning Page.
On our main website home page, there is a dropdown menu of Home Learning options. There

is a separate page for each year group which is updated weekly. Also, a number of support pages for parents.



How to access Discovery Education

Step 1

Click on the link below to access the Discover Education Home page

Step 2

Click Log in



Step 3

Click on 'Coding'

Step 4

Login in with the following credentials

Username:

student12224

Password:

Huxley



Step 5

You can now click on any three of the options to

access a wide range of learning resources for all subjects.



How to access Purple Mash

Click on this link to access a variety of learning games and resources without a login.



How to access Education City

Step 1

Click on the link below to access the **Barley Lane**Primary School Education City Page

Step 2

Click on 'Student'



Step 3

Click on 'Pick from List'



Step 4

Select your class



Step 5

Select your name from the Class List



Step 6

Check that your class and the name is correct and click Log in



Step 7

You can now access a variety of resources!

