

# Beechwood Primary Academy

## Weekly Newsletter

"Living, learning and thriving"



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## 10th July 2020

### DIARY DATES

*These dates are our term times pending Government changes*



#### 2019/2020

Fri 17th July Summer Holidays Begin

#### 2020/2021

Thurs 3rd Sept	Non Pupil Day
Fri 4th Sept	Non Pupil Day
Mon 7th Sept	Return to School
Mon 26th Oct to	Fri 30th Oct - HALF TERM
Tues 24th Nov	Flu Vaccination Programme R - Y6
Fri 27th Nov	Non Pupil Day
Fri 18th Dec	Last Day of Term

### FREE SCHOOL MEALS - SUMMER BREAK

The government has announced that they will be funding the scheme that provides vulnerable and low income families with vital vouchers for food over the six-week summer break.

With the coronavirus pandemic having had a massive effect on employment, it is expected that more families will be eligible to claim for free school meals than before.

Any new applications can be done via the Council website and are processed within five working days. Families already in receipt of FSM do not need to reapply.

Any child currently in receipt of FSM will receive an email with a voucher code by Friday 17th July. If you have any issues please email the school office on [beechwood.offic@discoverymat.co.uk](mailto:beechwood.offic@discoverymat.co.uk) in the first instance or call 01752 706360.

Note for children going into Year 3 in September - Your child will no longer be entitled to Universal Free School Meals. If you think you are eligible for claiming Free School Meals, please complete the application form using the link below.

<https://www.plymouth.gov.uk/schoolseducationchildcareskillsandemployability/catered/freeschoolmeals>

### THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS



#### EYFS / KS1

Luke W

#### KS2

Michael O  
Lennon S  
Georgia C  
Leo M  
Jayden D

*Happy Birthday!*

### NEW CLASSES

You will have received your letter about your child's new class and teacher, emailed out via Parent Pay last Friday. Please contact the school if you have not received this information.

Please look out for further updates via your Parent Pay account. Thank you.



### LITTLE PRINCESS TRUST

Esmae from Year 1 has had 11 inches of her beautiful long hair cut to be made into a wig for the Little Princess Trust charity. She managed to raise a massive £400 towards the £550 it costs for them to make the wig. Well done Esmae!



## ESchool and life at home ...



KS2 - Lucy B and Alisha S model of a trojan horse.

Ebony-Mae with a fabulous Book Review.



**Book Review**

Book Title: *The Secret Garden*  
 Author: *Frances Hodgson Burnett*  
 Fiction or Non-fiction: *non-fiction*

What is the book about?  
*The book is about finding the animals and to always be nice and to be gentle*

Who would you recommend the book to? Why?  
*My little sister and brother*

Rating: ★★★★★

Can you write three facts you have learnt or three things you have learnt about one of the characters?  
 1. *The doll was is*  
 2. *very sad*  
 3. *The secret was very happy for her*

Amelia (Yr 2) – Superhero story.



Theo Venner

Theo has been very busy with his siblings at home. He has been doing a lot of learning as well as enjoying the outside.



Amelia Solomon writing WKS 21.06.2020

"Leave us alone! This is our home!" the animals all decided as one. The humans didn't seem to care. The builders ripped apart the animals home because they was angry. The humans hated that the animals were happy and used together peacefully. In a fit of rage the people took their machines to ruin the animals home. Hoppy the kangaroo decided to fight. He shouted to Poppy the Koala "destroy the machine". Poppy started pulling at the wires and jumping on the machine. Hoppy ordered Sluffy and Becker the bird to peek the drivers. Ollie the ostrich charged forward shouting to Hoppy "NO W". Hoppy joined Ollie and together they destroyed the driver. Hoppy was proud of his friends. "Awesome work my friends. We have saved our home!"

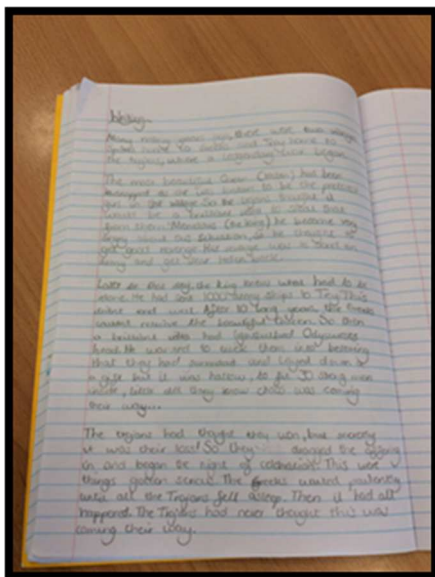
**Lockdown Legends! Thank you for your hard work on Eschools**



Nursery Mrs White **Babbage Class**  
 Reception Mrs McCarthy **Lovelace Class**  
 Reception Miss Wye and Mrs McIntyre **Aristotle Class**  
 Year 1 – Miss Durber **Plato Class**  
 Year 1 – Mrs Francis **Archimedes Class**  
 Year 2 Mrs Gruzka **Pascal Class**  
 Year 2 Miss Humphries **Nash Class**  
 Year 3 Miss Hemelik **Carroll Class**  
 Year 3 Miss Mott – **Johnson Class**  
 Year 4 Mr Harris – **Pythagoras**  
 Year 4 Ms McChray – **Boole Class**  
 Year 5 Miss Irvine **Venn Class**  
 Year 5 Mrs Bailey – **Kelvin Class**  
 Year 6 Miss Mole – **Turing Class**  
 Year 6 Miss Law – **Tao Class**

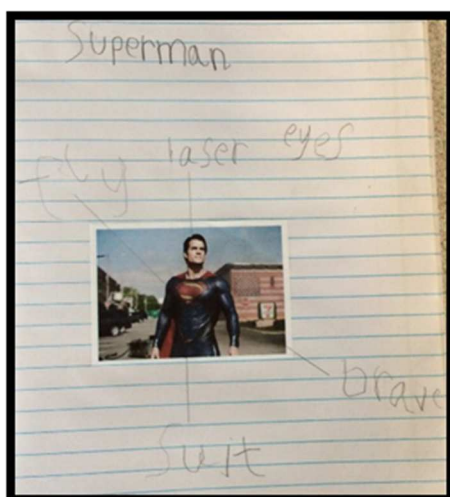
Theo V  
 Max O  
 Summer-Grace H  
 Naomi J  
 Holly T  
 Freya E-S  
 Poppy P  
 Oliver C  
 Noah C  
 Mollie F  
 Izzy E  
 Benjamin T  
 Paula H  
 Lucy B  
 Cameron W

## ...meanwhile, in School and with Educare:



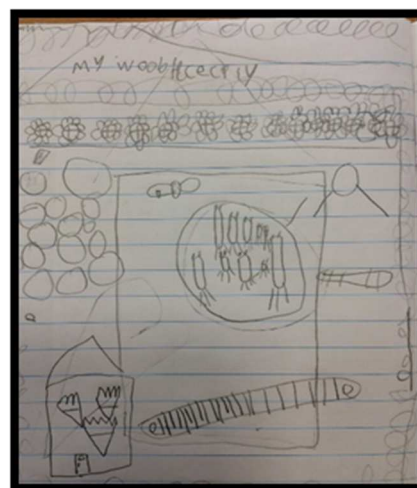
Maycee G Trojan Horse Story.

Amanda M writing using speech marks.



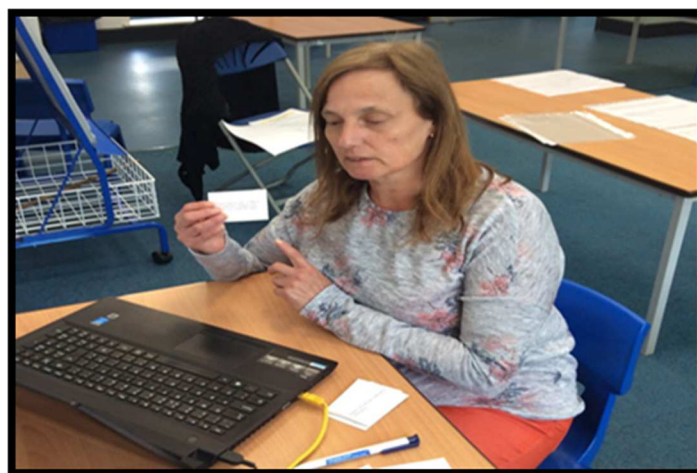
Rudy (Yr 2) - Describing Superheroes.

Jorgie-Leigh (Yr 1) - Bug city.



Adam T - We have been making the most of the nice weather and learning outside. The children have been role playing in the mud kitchen, practicing their cooking skills.

Mrs Bennison 'Socially Speaking' via video with families from Beechwood. Virtual support sessions are a daily event now.



We did not have any suggestions in the ideas and suggestions box this week.



*Have a great Weekend  
Mrs Evans - Head of School*