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# Remote Learning Newsletter

Remote Learning from w/b 25th January  
2021

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At Timothy Hackworth Primary School, we believe that every child has the right to become the best that they can be.

During these very difficult and unprecedented times, we know that you will be trying your very best to work with your children so that they can continue to access and enjoy their learning at home. All staff are working hard to provide remote learning which is matched as closely as possible to the learning taking place in school.



We would like to celebrate the hard work, successes and achievements of children's Remote Learning each week in our special 'Remote Learning Newsletter'.

Please make sure that the tasks completed which are highlighted in yellow on your child's weekly Remote Learning Plan are sent to the year group teacher via Class Dojo or School Mail - [www.timothyhackworth@durhamlearning.net](mailto:www.timothyhackworth@durhamlearning.net). We can't wait to see more of all of the hard work and progress that your children are making!

Your child's teachers are enjoying looking at the work that you are sending to us.

Should you have any questions about your child's remote learning, please ask your child's year group teachers via parent/teacher telephone calls on the Bubble Mobile Phone, via Class Dojo, or via our School email address. So, to our Timothy Hackworth Families, let's aim high and reach for the stars! We know that you are all superstars and you can do this!

Have fun and stay safe!

*From all of the Staff at Timothy Hackworth Primary School*



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# 2 Year Olds & Nursery Remote Learners



Mrs. Fox is delighted to see that **Andi in Nursery** has been working very hard on her Phonics and Maths this week. She has been finding initial sounds and matching them to an object and Andi has also been sorting her foam letters into colour groups. We can see you are having lots of fun while doing all of this hard work! Brilliant! A big well done to you!



**Will in Nursery** has been very busy with his Remote Learning this week. Will has been mark-making with home-made ice paints and he has created a fantastic Gadget Man model, using kitchen utensils and junk modelling. Will has also created a super snow globe and he has had fun with his Maths learning; sorting his building blocks into colour groups and then making these terrific towers! Will has even had time to enjoy some baking activities with his brother Evan and sister Lucy. Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Sharp love all of your hard work this week, especially your very cute snowman. We think you are a super star! What a busy time you have had! Awesome!

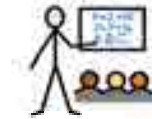




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This week, **Sophia** in **Nursery** has been a very busy bee doing lots of Remote Learning. Nursery's theme this week is **Winter**. Inspired by this, Sophia has made some delicious snowman biscuits and has further developed her fine motor skills by drawing a fabulous picture of a snowman. Looking after her health and wellbeing, Sophia has taken her learning outside into the fresh air to investigate icy puddles. She has also had great fun taking part in a Yoga lesson. Well done Sophia and your family! Mrs. Fox is delighted to see you are having so much fun with your learning. Fantastic! We can see you have worked so very hard and we are very proud of you!

**Roselia** and **Cole** in our **2 Year Olds**, have been working well together this week to engage with their Remote Learning tasks. They have enjoyed further developing their fine motor control by stacking their building blocks. They have also been working very hard on their Maths learning by sorting their blocks into colour groups. Roselia and Cole have both really enjoyed exploring sound using pans and blocks. Ear defenders at the ready, grown-ups! Mrs. Sharp says this is super learning and she is very proud of you both. We can see you're having great fun! Well done to both of you! Fantastic!

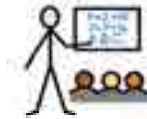




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# 2 Year Olds & Nursery Remote Learners



Our **2 Year Olds** have had a very busy week doing all sorts of super Remote Learning activities. Mrs. Sharp is very impressed to see that **Harrison** has been sorting his cars into colour groups; **Bobby-Joe** has been sorting objects into colour and shape groups and **Cole** has been making some fabulous repeating patterns. Bobby-Joe has also enjoyed experimenting with sound using pots, pans and kitchen utensils ... in fact, anything he could lay his hands on! All this learning while suffering from chickenpox too Bobby-Joe! Mrs. Sharp thinks you have all done a super job! We think you are all brilliant! A huge well done indeed!





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# Reception Remote Learners



We have a brand new author in **Blue Class** as **Daisy** has started to write her first book titled, '*10,000 Baddies, Box of Darkness*'. We think this is a very creative and original title Daisy! She has written a story with a space theme because she has enjoyed sharing *Aliens Love Underpants* and *The Smeds and The Smoos* so much! Daisy is not only writing the story but she is also doing all the illustrations too! Awesome! Mrs. Buxton says she can't wait to find out what happens in the next chapter. Very well done! **Oscar** and **Melody** in **Yellow Class** have been very creative this week; Oscar has been very busy in the kitchen baking some delicious cakes and Melody has been learning through role-play pretending to be a witch! **Caleb** in **Blue Class** has been hard at work on his letters and sounds in Phonics. We can see you are doing lots of super spelling and reading Caleb. Tremendous! A huge well done to all of you! You are all fantastic!





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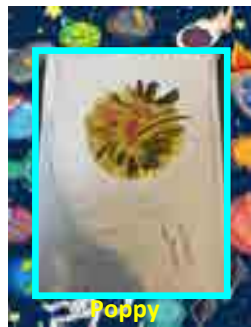
# Reception Remote Learners



Rocco



Beau



Poppy



Billie



David

Reception have enjoyed sharing *The Smeds and The Smoos* by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler this week. They have learned a very powerful message from this story; that we can all get along with each other even if we are different. Lots of their Remote Learning this week has been inspired by this lovely story. Beau in Yellow Class and Caleb in Blue Class, have created their own model planets. Aliens with big teeth live on Beau's rainbow planet and Caleb has made his fabulous model from papier-mâché. David and Rocco in Yellow Class and Billie in Blue Class, have worked very hard on super drawings of their planets. David says his planet of fire has dragons living on it! Freddie and Poppy in Blue Class have been very busy indeed making their super collage planets. After completing his fabulous planet, Caleb decided to collect all the spherical shaped objects around his house and order them in size. Wow! What super Maths skills Caleb! Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Buxton are very impressed with all of your brilliant learning this week! We love to see you all having so much fun! You are all super stars! A huge well done to you all!



Caleb



Freddie





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# Year 1 Remote Learners



To complete his English task, **Junior** in **1H** has written this super description of his favourite food. You have thought of some great clues and you have also included a super adjective! Wonderful! **Willow** in **1H** has drawn and labelled this fantastic map of her local area as part of her Geography Remote Learning this week. Mrs. Paramore and Miss Corney are really impressed to see both of you working so hard! Well done indeed to you both! Fantastic!



It looks as though Year 1 haven't stopped this week! **Layla-Jay** in **1H** has been working hard to improve her Spelling Shed score. **Ria** in **1T**, when not in school, has been very busy working on lots of Remote Learning tasks and **Willow** in **1H**, has been working away on her super map. **James** in **1H** has been working really hard on some tricky Maths problems; his little brother Harvey was very interested too! A future teacher in the making perhaps James? We are delighted to see all of your awesome learning! You are all super stars! Well done indeed!





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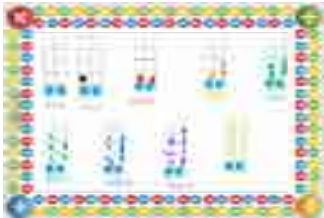


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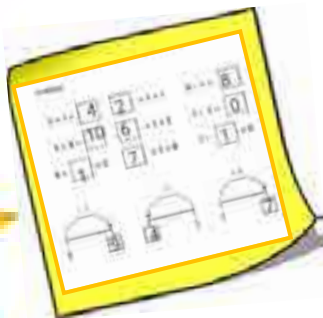
Wow! **Cayden** in **1T** has been working very hard indeed this week. To complete these Maths tasks, Cayden has used a pictorial method and used his Maths skills to work out his answers. You have shown a good understanding of addition and subtraction. You have also completed a challenge! How clever you are! Fantastic!



**Lincoln** in **1T** has impressed Mrs. Hewitson again this week with his very creative artwork. Lincoln has produced this fabulous life-size collage from fabrics and objects in various shades of green. To add the final finishing touch to his mixed media collage, Lincoln has included himself! Very original! We love this and can see you are having great fun! Awesome artwork Lincoln!



**Isobel** in **1T** has used Dojo Portfolio to complete her Maths task. Mrs. Hewitson says this is fantastic! We can see you have used your Maths skills to work out the problems and you have also completed a challenge! A huge well done to you! Tremendous!



**Luna** in **1T** has blown Mrs. Hewitson away with her fabulous description of a lion. We can see you have written perfect sentences Luna that include capital letters, full stops, finger spaces and some super adjectives. You have worked really hard on your presentation and we love your lion illustration too! Fantastic! You should be very proud indeed!







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# Year 2 Remote Learners



Aaliyah in 2T has been very creative with her Maths Remote Learning this week. Aaliyah has used a pictorial method to solve her Maths problems. She has used arrays to divide by grouping and she has used a practical method, using different varieties of breakfast cereal to represent fractions. Mrs. Hanson is very pleased indeed with this super Maths work. We think this is a really fun way to work out your fractions. Very neat presentation too! Wonderful! You are a star!





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# Year 2 Remote Learners

**Nicky** in 2H, along with his brother Stevie and sister Melody, has been looking after his health and wellbeing outside in the fresh air doing a litter-picking activity. Not only has Nicky been outdoors getting some exercise but he has been looking after his local environment too! Wow! Fantastic! Mrs. Finkle thinks this writing about your activity is brilliant! We can see you have worked hard to remember to use capital letters, full stops and finger spaces in your super sentences. Terrific! Well done Nicky!



Mrs. Hanson and Mrs. Finkle are both so pleased with **Rose** in 2T, who has worked really hard on this lovely piece of writing. Rose has written a list of her favourite characters from Traditional Tales that she has enjoyed. We can see you have worked really hard on this lovely piece of writing, explaining why these characters are your favourites. Fantastic! Super presentation and fabulous illustrations too! You are a super star! Well done indeed!





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# Year 3 Remote Learners



Lucy in 3T has been very busy this week improving her Times Tables. Miss Pascoe is delighted to see that you are mastering this Times Tables challenge Lucy. We can see you are using your learning powers, particularly resilience, to persevere until you get it just right! Brilliant! Well done Lucy! You can do it!

Faith in 3T has been working very hard learning her spellings this week. Faith has really sharpened her spelling skills and with lots of practice, she has managed to spell all of her weekly spellings accurately. Miss Pascoe is very impressed with this super work, Faith. We can see you have been working on your presentation too! Fantastic! Well done indeed!





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# Year 3 Remote Learning

**Amelia in 3H** has produced this fantastic Geography work as part of her Remote Learning this week. To complete this task, Amelia has compared living in a village to living in a city. Mrs. Hill is very impressed with this super work. We can see you have worked extremely hard as this is very well researched. You have highlighted and named some of the buildings and amenities you can find in Shildon and compared them to those found in Durham City. Tremendous work! Very well done to you!



To complete his Maths Remote Learning this week, **Harry in 3H** has used his division knowledge to calculate the answers to these multiplication problems. Mrs. Hill says she is delighted with this super Maths work. We can see that you understand how to use the inverse operation to check your answers; excellent shape work too! Brilliant, Harry! A huge well done indeed!





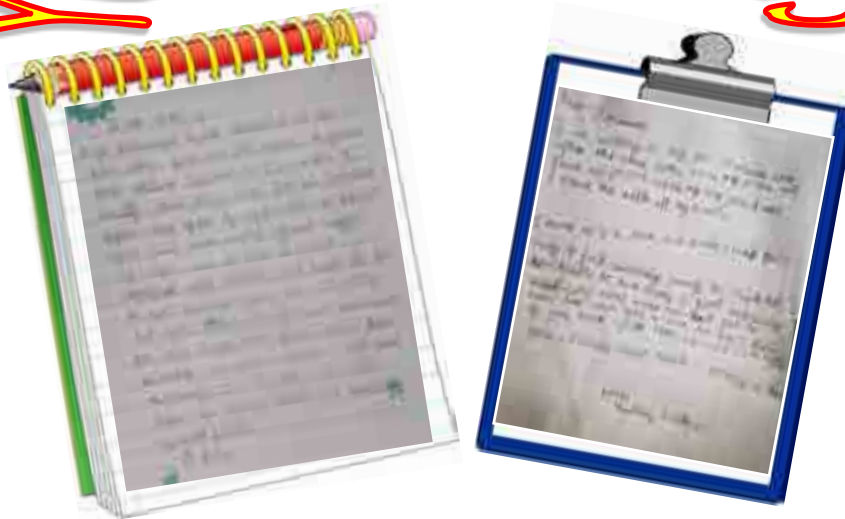
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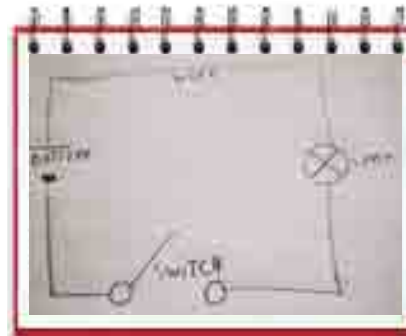


# Year 4 Remote Learners



As part of their English Remote Learning this week, Year 4 have enjoyed reading Chapter 6: The Frenchman from *The Butterfly Lion* by Michael Morpurgo. To complete this English reading to writing task, **Harley in 4H** and **Amelia in 4H** have written in role as Bertie, the main character in the story. Harley and Amelia have both written very persuasive letters to the Frenchman, asking him to take care of the lion as they are going to boarding school in England. Mrs. Shepherd says this is fabulous work and thinks you are both very persuasive indeed! We can see that you have both tried so hard with your handwriting and presentation too! Well done Harley and Amelia. You have both used persuasive language effectively and have each stated clearly the reason you have written your letter. You have put a lot of thought into this lovely piece of writing. You had us convinced! Tremendous work!

**Harley in 4H** has had a very busy week indeed with his Remote Learning! He has been working hard investigating circuits in science. Mrs. Shepherd says your diagram of a circuit is brilliant. We can see that you have taken care with this work; it is clear and is set out well. Brilliant! We look forward to hearing your results!





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# Year 4 Remote Learners



As part of her English Remote Learning this week, **Zipporah** in 4T has composed this fabulous shape poem. To complete this reading to writing task, Zipporah has read Chapter 7: Strawbridge from *The Butterfly Lion* by Michael Morpurgo. Zipporah has created this super poem in the shape of a kite, using rhyming words effectively. Miss Hutchinson says this is a lovely poem and she is very impressed with your super presentation. We can see you have worked really hard on this, Zipporah! Awesome! Great job!



Having read some more chapters from *The Butterfly Lion*, **Jack** in 4H has been inspired to write a super wartime telegram this week. Jack has written his telegram in role as Millie, a character from the story. Mrs. Shepherd loves the way you have set out your writing to look like a real telegram. Very authentic Jack! Fabulous work! Well done indeed!



**Lucy** in 4T, has been very busy this week producing this fabulous piece of artwork. To create this super relief collage, Lucy has used kinetic sand, pom-poms, lollipop sticks and feathers. Miss Hutchinson loves your colour choices and how you have used different media in your collage. We can see that you look very proud of your achievement Lucy, as you should be! Very original! Well done! This is tremendous!





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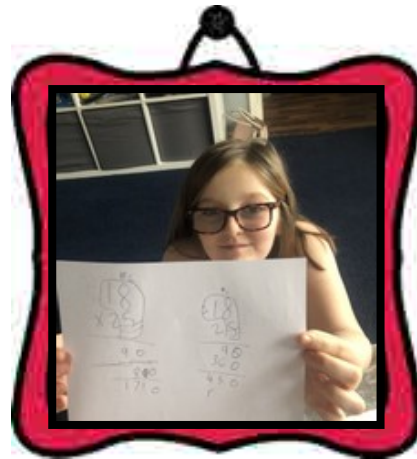


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# Year 5 Remote Learning

**Hollie in 5T** has been working hard on her Maths Remote Learning this week. Hollie has used her learning powers, in particular, resilience, to complete this long multiplication task. Mrs. Churchill is very impressed to see your great recall of the turtle method to calculate your answers Hollie. We can see that you are very proud of your achievement! Tremendous! What a super mathematician you are!



**Sophia in 5H** has enjoyed looking after her health and wellbeing by taking part in a gymnastics lesson. We can see that you are very flexible Sophia and that you are having so much fun. You make this look easy! Mrs. Churchill says that she is very impressed by your balance and control. Awesome! Sophia has also been working hard on a lovely piece of writing about her ambitions for the future. You have thought hard about this and your presentation is fabulous! Sophia would love to become an archaeologist! We are certain that you can be whatever you choose to be! Tremendous!





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# Year 5 Remote Learners

**Sophie in 5H** has taken part in an event to raise money this week. She has very kindly donated her hair to charity! The Little Princess Trust is a charity that provides real hair wigs to children and young people who have lost their own hair through cancer treatment. We think this is a really thoughtful and kind thing to do and links in with our Rights and Respecting School ethos. C.R.C. Article 23: All children with a disability have the right to live a full and decent life with dignity and independence. Fantastic! You should be very proud of this act of kindness! As we are!



**Spencer-Lee in 5T** has been working hard on his Science Remote Learning this week. He has been investigating what happens to particles when dissolving. He has been exploring physical changes and how we can identify them. Miss Westgarth says she is very impressed with your super work. We can see you have been thinking scientifically to complete this task. Amazing! Well done to you!



**Stevie in 6H** has not only been looking after his health and well being, but the environment too! He has been out and about in his local community, taking in the fresh air, getting some exercise and litter-picking! He has produced this super piece of writing telling us all about it! Mrs. Churchill thinks that this is amazing and says that you have worked very hard on this piece of writing! We can see you have tried really hard with your handwriting too! You should be very proud of yourself Stevie! We certainly are! Impressive!







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# Year 6 Remote Learners



**Ella in 6T** has completed lots of Remote Learning this week. She's been very busy researching rainforests as part of a Geography task. Ella has worked really hard to find lots of interesting facts about the location of rainforests and the climate there. Well done Ella! Mr. Wilcox is really pleased with this super piece of work. Excellent presentation too! Brilliant!



**Isaac in 6H** has been working really hard to sharpen his spelling skills and it seems to be working as these are all correct! Mrs. Reid is delighted to see that you are completing these super spelling activities. We can see that you have set out your work beautifully too! Impressive! A big well done to you!





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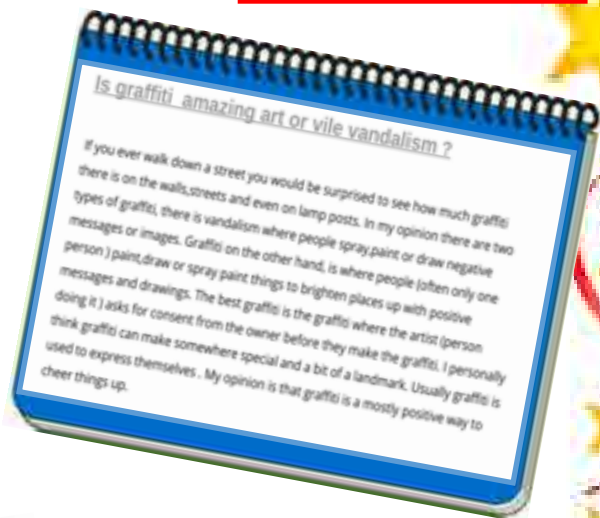
# Year 6 Remote Learners



**Dante in 6H** has really used his learning powers this week, in particular resilience, to master long multiplication! He found it tricky at first but he didn't give up! He has worked so hard that now he has a good understanding of the process. Mr. Wilcox and Mrs. Reid are very impressed that you persevered and got there in the end! A huge well done to you! Keep up the good work Dante!



**Daniel in 6H** has worked very hard to produce these two fabulous pieces of writing. To complete these English tasks, Daniel has written two super balanced arguments on Graffiti. Mrs. Reid says that these are terrific and that she is pleased you have used your computing skills too! We can see you have really thought about this; you have worked hard on your research and presentation. Awesome! Great job!





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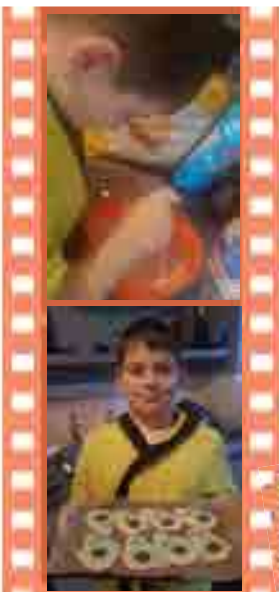


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# Year 6 Remote Learners



Callum in 6H, has been working hard to improve his spellings this week. Mrs. Reid says that she loves the way that you have set out your work; it is clear but also very attractive. A great way to practise your spellings! This has brought out your creativity Callum! Callum has also enjoyed watching a video clip of *The Windmill Farmer*, a film by Joaquin Baldwin. To complete this English Remote Learning task, Callum had to use his comprehension skills to pick out the key events in the story and to explain how the farmer was feeling. We can see from this well-organised piece of work, that you have paid careful attention to detail and have watched the video clip very closely. You have shown great comprehension skills too! Awesome! Well done you!



We can't wait for the next Bake Sale at school so that Kai in 6T, can work his magic in the kitchen again! Kai has been busy using his baking skills to produce these delicious biscuits that he has also decorated beautifully. Move over Jamie Oliver! We think that these look amazing and we wish we could have one! Very creative! Great job!





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Well done to each and every one of our Timothy Hackworth Remote Learners this week. Mrs. Boulton and Mrs. Slattery are very pleased to see you are all using your Learning Powers; especially resourcefulness and resilience to help you to continue with your Remote Learning. It is lovely to see you all engaging with and enjoying your learning. Your teachers are delighted with the work you have sent them this week and we are all looking forward to sharing and celebrating lots more in the coming weeks. Keep up the great work everyone! Stay Safe and continue to have fun learning!

*From all of the Staff at Timothy Hackworth Primary*

**Growth Mindset — Learning Powers**



**Resilience**



**Resourcefulness**



**Reflectiveness**



**Reciprocity**

**Well Done! You have used your Learning Powers to help you focus on your learning!**

Mrs. Kozlowski says to remember that while you are learning at home, the Zones of Regulation can still help you.

