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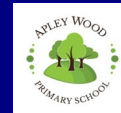
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APLEY NEWS

Headteacher Update

I hope you had an enjoyable half term break. It has been lovely this week to see more children at school and I would like to say a huge thank you to all our key worker children and their families for adapting to the very different school routines we have had to implement from 1st June. Everyone has adapted very quickly and approached it all with huge smiles on their faces!

I am very much looking forward to welcoming back more **Reception** and some **Year 6** children on **Monday 8th June** and **Year 1** on **Thursday 11th June**.

Thank you again for the messages and photos we are receiving about home learning. Please keep sending them in as we love to share them on our newsletter. A special well done to **Zara** and **Ruby** for taking part in Challenge 1 of the virtual school games.

The Apley team have put a lot of learning activities on their year group pages for the next few weeks as many of them are now back teaching groups every day. The school office is open again every day so if you do have any questions please call or email on A2190@taw.org.uk.

Thank you again for your continued support and patience whilst we adapt to the changing Government guidelines. Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Ellen Smith - Headteacher

Please find below the updated link for parent information about education settings during the coronavirus outbreak.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers>

Such Busy Little Bodies

There have been lots of lovely activities going on again this week, at school and at home. We do still love to see your pictures and hear how you are all getting on so please do keep them coming. We would love to share them in our newsletter. Your smiles go miles!



Use of Staff Car Park

As you may appreciate with the return of all staff to school, to support the reopening to the designated year groups, the staff car park will be busy again and will no longer be available for the dropping off and collection of children. We were able to make it available when we were only open for the emergency provision for key workers children and there were less staff on site.

We thank you for your understanding and co-operation



We're working towards Artsmark
Awarded by Arts Council England

If you have any worries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the school

More of what you have been up to, with a few budding fishermen it seems. :)



Harvey (left) has really loved learning about fishing. Here is his biggest catch so far. Plus, he really enjoyed building a dam in a stream that he found when they went on a family walk. Great work Harvey.



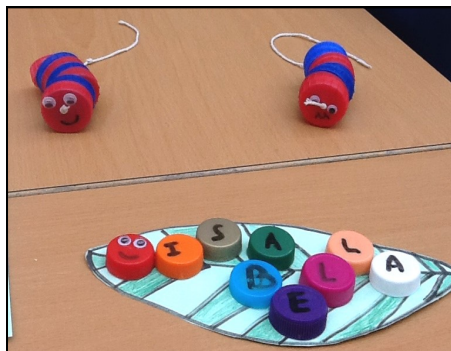
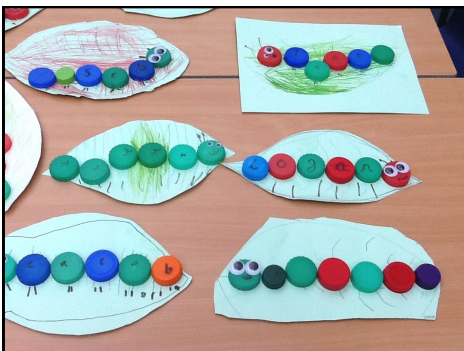
Ollie (below) has had a lovely couple of days. He went fishing with his dad for the first time ever and he really enjoyed himself. He has also been for a nice walk around Apley woods. He said "It's just like being at forest school."

Jenna (below) had lots of fun with the 'Favourite Character Challenge'. Well done Jenna, that looks great!



Bottle Top Bugs

The children who were in school on Friday enjoyed making caterpillars with bottle tops. They listened to 'Stickman' by Julia Donaldson and made their own stick people too. Very creative! - Mrs Lowe.



Dazzling Display

Mrs Skowronek, who kindly helps assist the Hub team, has worked hard with the children to create a new positive and happy display for the wall. It really brightens the room and the children love it. Well done Mrs S!



Returning to School

Don't forget that the children returning to school next week will be expected to wear school uniform where possible. Full details have been sent to families that are coming back into school. If you are unsure of anything and have any questions please email school at a2190@taw.org.uk. Many thanks and we look forward to seeing you.