



Nevill Road Junior School

Parent Newsletter – 18.9.20



Dear Families,

As I am sure you are aware, there are a number of schools in Stockport that have had to send 'bubbles' home from school, requiring a 14 day isolation period. We continue to work hard to keep our children, staff and families safe at Nevill Road and I would like to thank you all in your part in this. At this time of year, there are often illnesses and sometimes it is hard to distinguish between a common cold, flu or Coronavirus.



Please see the above information that outlines the symptoms and how to access tests and further information. It is taking a while to book a test but keep trying. The nearest test centre is in Brinnington.

The Recovery Curriculum



On Friday, we had our first virtual assembly, which was a great way to bring our school community together for the first time since we have returned in September. The ASPIRE key focus this half term, is Aiming High and I am looking forward to finding out which children

have been chosen by their class teachers. I also talked to the children about the Bee Rule – Be Safe and the new Covid 19 agreement that we have in place.

I have been very impressed with how well the children are following our new rules and are showing respect towards each other by doing so.

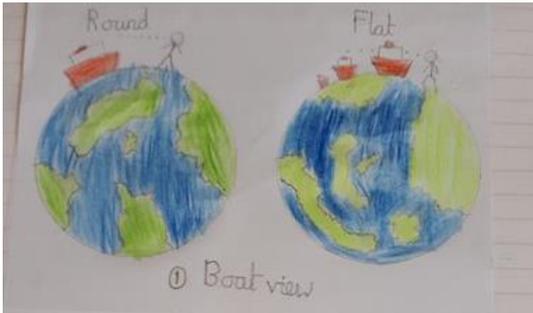


- To follow social distancing rules at all times.
- To stay in your class / year group bubble at all times.
- To wash your hands regularly and carefully.
- To only use your class entrance and exit points.
- To only use your own equipment.
- To only use your class's allocated toilet.
- To avoid touching your mouth, nose and eyes.



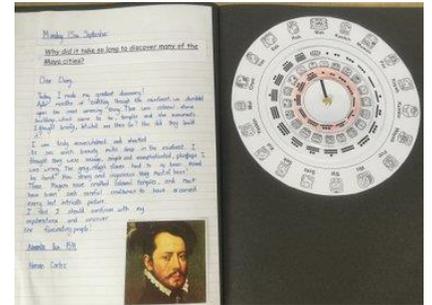
Year 3 have been making sculptures out of play dough inspired by the work of Antony Gormley.

Year 4 have been investigating characters from well-known books. Can you guess who it is? The classrooms had a distinct smell of marmalade when I went in to see them!



Year 5 have been discovering the world and finding out about how we used to think the earth was flat!

Year 6 have been investigating the Maya number system and writing diary entries.



Follow us on twitter @NRJuniors to find out more about the day to day life of the school.

Our Home Learning Offer

I will be sending out further information about our Home Learning Offer next week, in the event that your child has to self-isolate for a period of time. Please check your child's reading diary for google classroom and rock stars log ins. We will be reminding the children about how to access Google Classroom and Year 3 staff will spend more time showing the children as this is new to them. Please contact us if you have problems accessing online learning.

Reminders

- Please **only collect children early** if they have a sibling who finishes before them. Doors will open at **3.00pm at the earliest**.
- Year 3 / 4 playground – parents **MUST** remember to social distance in this area, particularly near the Infant school entrance.

Thank you for your continuing support and understanding.

Kind regards

Mrs Cliff

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