

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2020



Dear parent/carer

What a strange week. All the staff are thinking about our Colegate Community and are hoping you are all staying safe and well.

The children who have had come into school have been amazing. They have danced, painted, cooked and had lots of fun.

Joe Wicks and Oti Mabuse on-line classes have been great too.

Thank you to the staff who have been coming into school to help our Front-Line families.

A huge round of applause to our NHS workers out there too.

Each week expect a Wellbeing call to parents. Remember to keep in touch via Dojo. So that we know you are all ok please respond to Dojo and text messaging when asked.



### Special "Shout Outs"

Special "shout outs" are to celebrate the marvellous efforts and great achievements of our super children.

#### Nursery

- Maddison and Mason - it was gorgeous to see their beautiful rainbow pictures!
- Layla - it was lovely to see her exercises and creating a super home corner in the garden!
- Jennifer - she has been keeping really fit, it was lovely to see all of her yoga poses!
- Chloe - she has been keeping busy, with lots of crafts, we also loved seeing the shape hunt around the house, finding lots of 3D shapes.
- Matthew - for practicing his pencil grip, doing lots of fine motor activities.

#### Reception

- Niall - for keeping busy with activities indoors and outdoors, including lots of crafts, games, maths, English and keeping fit! We loved seeing the den building and nature hunt with your checklist.
- Caitlin - for keeping busy! She has done lots of lovely writing and crafts. We loved to see your beautiful rainbows in your window.
- Jack - We have loved seeing him bake the biscuits following the maths recipe. His paper mache rocket was also fantastic.
- Lacey - for trying so hard with her writing and maths! We loved seeing your photos of baking the cake and making the sock puppet.

- Ellie - it has been lovely seeing you helping your Mum around the house, washing the dishes and making sandwiches for everyone. The drawing of her family tree was gorgeous!

### **Year 1**

- Layla for having fun with her family and joining in with Joe Wicks.
- Leila M for her fantastic photos, rainbows and pebble painting.

### **Year 2**

- Emily for a lovely rainbow picture and keeping fit on the trampoline.
- Evie for decorating eggs and a basket for the egg competition that was cancelled. It looks amazing!
- Sophie B, Sophie C, Jakub and Olivia for sharing photos of themselves working hard at home.

### **Year 3**

- Jennifer and Aidan for beautiful Keep Safe Rainbows.
- Chelsie for her creative drawing.
- Thomas for trying his own science experiments.

### **Year 4**

- A huge well done to Mia T this week for her hard work and science experiments. Mia created a tin hedgehog from a piece of zinc.
- Vincent, Jason and Zack V also shared with Miss Smith their gorgeous rainbows to display in their window. Well done boys.

A big thank you to all of the children in Year 4 who have been working super hard over the last week.

### **Year 5**

- Lewis for a fantastic diary entry from the point of view of his Mum.

### **Year 6**

- Libby for her fantastic cooking skills and making a rainbow for her window.
- Jake for exciting story writing and maths problem solving.
- Amber for science research skills and drawing.
- Rylee for completing tasks in maths and English.
- Martin for showing creativity in the Lego challenge.

Well done everyone, keep the messages and pictures coming in!



**Birthday "Shout Outs"**  
Special Birthday "shout outs" to all our children  
celebrating this week.



*Special Birthday wishes for last week go out to Jason (Y4) and Emily (N2)*

*Special Birthday wishes for this week go out to Ella-May (Y1), Ava (Y3) and Piotr (Y3)*

Yours sincerely

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