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EASTER EDITION
WE MISS YOU TOO!
Happy Easter Everyone!
THANK YOU for all your wonderful messages, they are so cheerful and kind. Have a great Easter Holiday, stay in and stay safe but make sure you have a great time!
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WELL DONE to EVERY-ONE who has entered our Easter Egg competition. They are all egg-cellent!
Join WWF on their YouTube channel for some creative - and educational - live learning events!

Last week they launched their #LearnToLoveNature campaign, which provides inspiring and enriching content for families and young people to access and use independently from home.

The exciting new Live Learning events programme, which are streamed weekly on their YouTube channel, brings together some of WWF’s leading conservationists and scientists to share their experiences and answer your questions.

Why not join in with these events and continue to learn more about - and explore - our world from home.

There are some fantastic websites with inspirational ideas to keep us busy and help the environment.

Thank you to Mrs Douglas for these. Lots of ideas for helping wild life and creative DT projects.

Have fun and share your ideas!

https://www.jamesdysonfoundation.co.uk/resources/challenge-cards.html?gclid=EAIaIQobChMI1OXNtKvE6AIVhrTtCh2nQQsPEAMYASAAEgIDffD_BwE
A big thank you to Mrs Greenway for these great ideas.

Easter fun ideas...

Paper Plate Peek-a-Boo Bunny

Supplies
- Paper plate
- White card
- Paint
- Googly eyes
- Cotton wool ball
- 2 split pins
- Felt-tip pens
- Pencil
- Paint Brush
- Scissors

1. Take the card and place the paper plate onto it, then draw around the paper plate.
2. Now choose a colour for your bunny and paint both the card circle and the paper plate in this colour, then leave to dry.
3. Cut out the card circle and fold it in half. Shape the circle into two ear-shaped ovals by making one end slightly pointed and making the other end slightly squared; these will form the bunny’s ears.
4. Using glue, stick the cotton wool ball to the middle of the paper plate.
5. Using felt-tip pens, draw some whiskers and a mouth onto the bunny.
6. Also stick some googly eyes onto the face.
7. Finally, join the ears onto the head by pushing the split pins through both the ears and the head. Then pull out the split pins at the back of the plate to secure.

Easter Cookies

Check out lots of recipes on the BBC Good Food Website.

https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/iced-

Hold an Egg Race!

Let all the race participants decorate their own hard boiled egg with paint, glitter, etc. Then hand them all a spoon and let them race off on the predetermined course.

The winner will be the one who reaches the finish line first without dropping their egg.

Egg box bugs (EYFS) - Create your own minibeasts! Cut an egg box into the individual egg cup pieces. Paint these green, red or yellow. Once dry turn the egg cups upside down and using paint, googly eyes and pipe cleaner antennae transform the red ones into ladybirds, the yellow ones into bees and the green ones into shield bugs or similar. You may wish to thread string through each minibeast and hang them across your classroom.
Easter fun ideas...

**HAPPY EASTER WORKOUT**

**exercise and then enjoy your Easter eggs**

Easter egg hunt workout (AHD) – Write ten physical challenges – each on a separate egg template – and hide them around the outside area. Ideas for challenges include star jumps, skipping, hopping on one leg, bouncing a ball on a racket, tossing a bean bag into a hoop, holding a balance for one minute, press ups, one handed ball bounces, sit ups, and leg lunges. A score card or Easter egg basket is given to each group of hunters to record their progress. When the hunters find and complete each challenge they receive an egg for their basket or a mark on their score card. Each team receives a prize on completion of all the challenges.

Jam jar butterfly scene (EYFS/KS1) - A fun activity to make use of old sweetie wrappers! Use paper or thin card to draw a small butterfly wing template and glue on a variety of coloured sweet wrappers. Cut off any overlap. Find a suitably sized twig in the playground and either glue or tie the wings to either side. Now cut an 8cm piece of string and tie one end to the twig and glue the other end of the string to the inside of a jam jar lid. Place shredded green paper in the base of the jam jar. Screw the lid onto the jar. Watch the butterfly bounce over the grass.

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Easter Card ideas

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=atNZ4Q5iuho

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zsE81TzsQa8
Easter Word Search

BASKET  EGG
BUNNY   MARSHMALLOW
CHICK    PAINTING
CHOCOLATE PASTEL
CRACKING QUACK
CUDDLY RABBIT
DUCKY SPRING
DYED TREATS
EASTER YUMMY
What have we been up to?

Teachers are taking the opportunity to try out new recipes by making some yummy cakes.

Keeping fit with Joe Wicks at home!

Miss Barron’s amazing knitting skills.

Heybridge at sunset.

Thank you to all teachers that have contributed this week.
Other achievements...

Lucas (Obsidian) and Jessica (Opal) last week's Home Learning...Bike riding, making a model of the solar system, scavenger hunt and learning about electrical circuits by making a buzz wire kit. Having a fantastic time.

Ciarleglios, Luca, Annalisa and Siena have created their own Home Learning shields. Fantastic idea!

Phoebe - Sunstone - is missing Miss Beale and Miss Venables lots! She wanted to show them that she is being a good learner and even helped build her new desk!

She does insist on wearing her princess dress as her uniform though...
This was in the newspaper the other day. A really lovely colouring activity. Perhaps you could colour it in then put it in your window, next to your rainbow!
Recent Birthdays and over the Easter Break:

Siena — Diamond class (6)
Albert — Diamond class (6)
Ginny — Topaz class (7)
Sophie— Diamond class (6)
James— Obsidian class (11)
Violeta— Opal class (8)
Nevaan— Opal class (8)
Isabella— Amethyst class (10)
Aktan— Obsidian class (11)

Eva— Opal class (8)
Annie— Emerald class (7)
Caitlin— Amethyst class (10)
Sienna— Sapphire class (6)
Max— Obsidian class (11)
Zakaria— Diamond class (6)
Oscar— Amethyst class (10)

Best wishes to you all!

Sending everyone, a BIG EASTER HUG!