

Friday 5th
February 2021



BURTON AGNES CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday News

A note from Mrs. Jameson

This week it has been Children's Mental Health Week. We started the week with our usual Monday gathering on Teams thinking about what makes us happy. The children have shared with me lots of things that makes them happy such as riding their horse, being with their family, reading, baking, singing, and riding their bike. I m really pleased to hear that families have managed to take a step back for home schooling this week when things have got tricky and taken part in activities that make them feel happy.

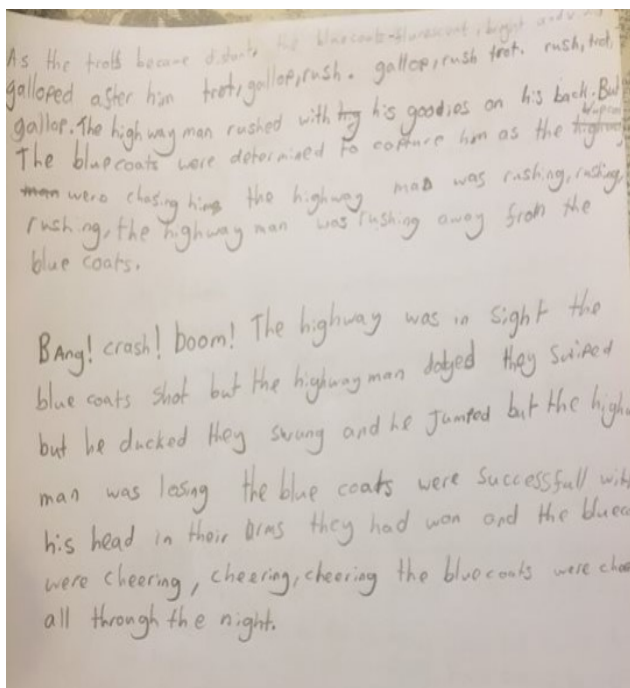
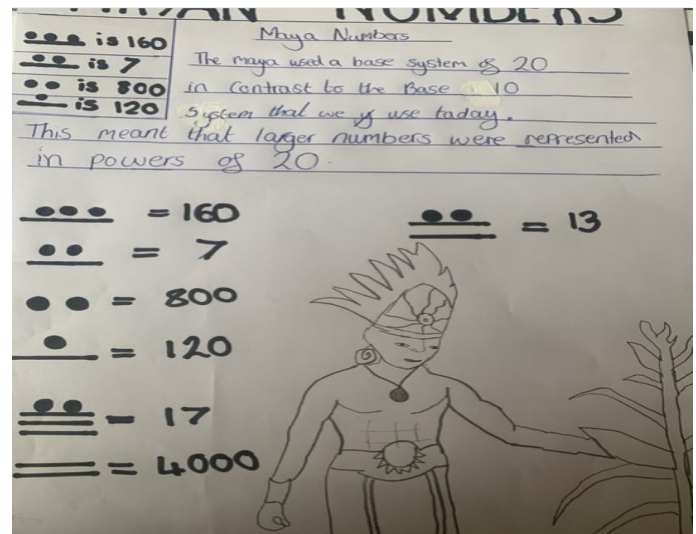
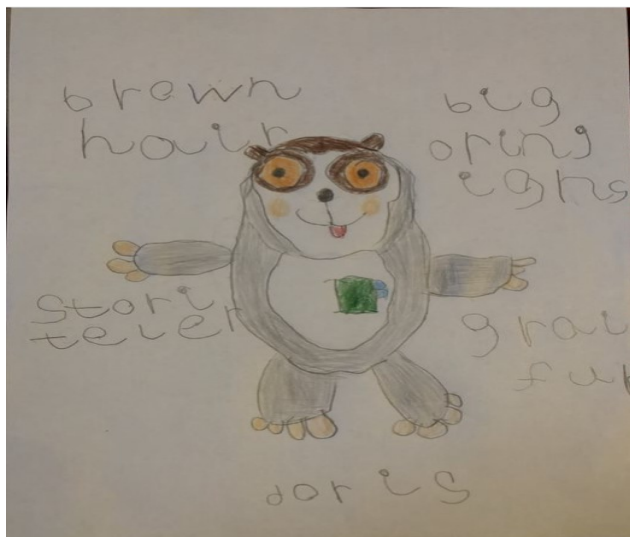
This week we received some news in school to make us all feel happy as I was able to share with you that Vinny is home from hospital. The journey to recovery is still a long one but at least he is home with all of his family and comforts around him which I m sure will make him feel happy too.

Many thanks to everyone who dressed up in **red** today to raise awareness for the Children's Heart Surgery Fund and to everyone who has given a donation to the charity either today or during Vinny's fundraising before he went in to hospital.



Great work at home and in school

We have had some fantastic work taking place at home and at school this week. Take a look.....



Children's Mental Health Week

As mentioned earlier in the newsletter this week is Children's Mental Health Week. At Burton Agnes the focus on wellbeing and positive mental health isn't just something we prioritise during children's mental health week. It is central to our school values of friendship, care and trust and we always do our best to support children to be happy, healthy and confident individuals who are able to thrive as whole people and fulfil their potential. At the moment, children are living in a world which feels very uncertain and unstable. We want to do all we can to work with you to build their resilience and feelings of self-worth so that they can cope with the challenges they are facing each day and in the future. If you need any support with this please let us know.

Don't forget there are some websites you can check out on the home learning section of the school website that we put there during our last lockdown.

February Half-Term

We very much hope that all of the children and staff remain well over the holidays. However, if a member of staff or pupil currently attending school tests positive for coronavirus during the February Half-Term, we will continue to assist with contact tracing as explained below:

- If a pupil tests positive for coronavirus, having developed symptoms more than 48 hours since being in school, the school does not need to be contacted until the first day of the new half-term. Parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace.
- However, if a pupil tests positive for coronavirus having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school, the school will assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation.

Please contact Mrs Jameson on burtonagnes.head.primary@eastriding.gov.uk

Keeping Safe Online

Ensuring children and parents are equipped with the knowledge to stay safe online is more important than ever. Please see the websites below for further information about this important issue.

CEOP at <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

The Safer internet Centre at <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers>

Have a lovely weekend.

Thank you for your continued support and hard work.

Stay safe and stay happy