

HEYHOUSES ENDOWED C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Letter 19 January 22nd, 2021

Dear Children,

Thank you for all your emails, it is a lovely way to keep in touch and the photographs you send always make me smile.

I have put photographs and examples of work together into a Friday Film, which I hope you and your families enjoy watching together. The song was chosen to remind us that we will always be together although not in the same building because we are all part of the Heyhouses family, and that is very special.

My knitting is not doing very well, I need to do more rows otherwise it will only make a very small, very thin lamb, no chance of being a full grown sheep. Perhaps this weekend I will get some more rows done, I will show you on Monday.



Mrs Pritchard, our school bursar is brilliant at knitting. She sent me a picture of the sheep she knitted and it is gorgeous, what do you think?

(Mine will not look like this!)



From every angle this is a gorgeous sheep. Mrs Pritchard has knitted lots of things, these hedgehogs are very sweet too.



I think I need to practice my knitting more and then, if I improved, I could make something like this.

After all we don't learn a skill without lots of practice! (I can almost hear my sisters laughing, they have seen my knitting attempts over the years, and they know I will need lots of practice!)

Year 5 and 6 have both been done Games today so they have practiced lots of skills. And we had blue sky so we all felt better.



I know some of you have joined in with Joe Wicks Dress up Friday.



This is a fast moving bear, looking a little like Oscar. I can't decide what Joe is, I will have to ask later.

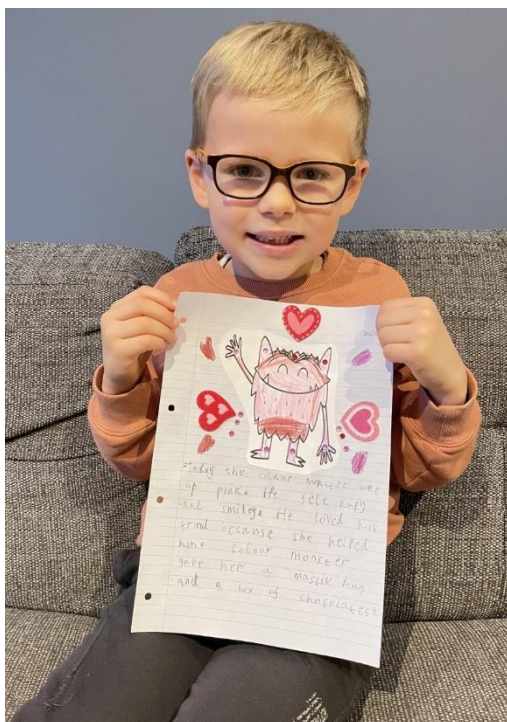
Well done everyone who is keeping up with their exercise, it is important, especially when we don't really want to bother. You will feel better if you do!

(Although I suspect this bear might have overheated!)

Rohan in Year 1 has been busy making models and doing some lovely writing.

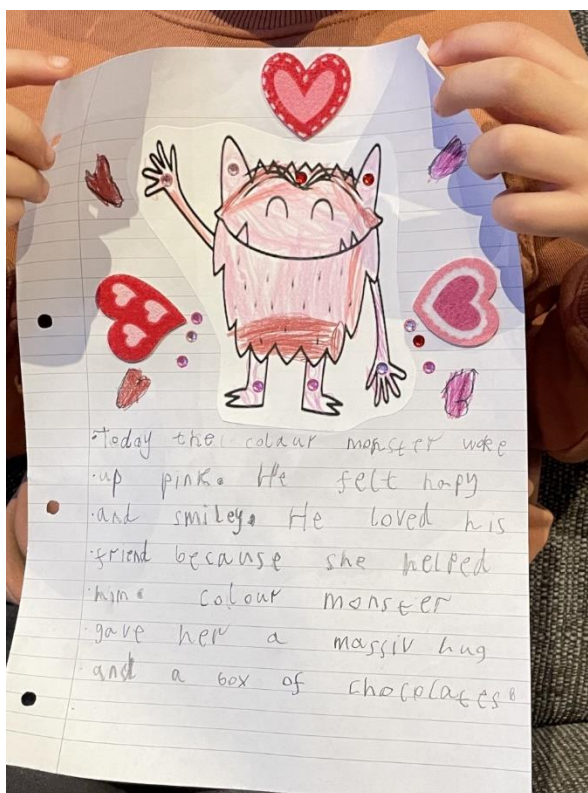
Rohan with his 'colour chaos' model.





His writing is based on the story of 'The Colour Monster'.

Well done Rohan, this is fantastic writing. Keep it up!



This week I was sent information by a parent about a BBC Musicals event.

Radio 2 and BBC 1 are doing a musical weekend, starting 29th January, and are wanting people to send in videos of themselves singing Any Dream Will Do from Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice's Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat!



On the Friday they are playing songs all day from a range of musicals and having a range of singers doing their favourite musical song. More information can be found on the website.

<https://www.bbc.com/mediacentre/2020/radio-2-celebrates-musicals>

I think lots of you could send in films of yourself singing Any Dream Will Do, you are good at singing, even if you haven't been able to do it in school for such a long time.

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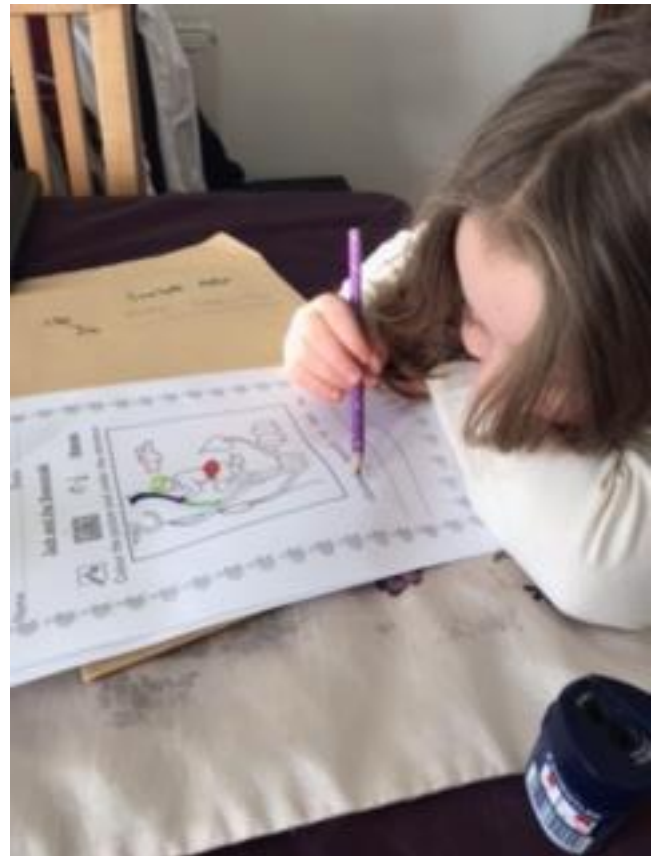
Well done, very good work.

Dear Mrs Hodgson

I wanted to let you know that on the 2 days a week I'm not in school I'm still working hard completing the tasks set by my teachers.

This week I've been completing the gingerbread man tasks. I have been practicing writing and also learning how to tell the time. I've also been baking a strawberry cake with mummy. It was delicious 😊

Love Scarlett



You are learning some excellent skills Scarlett, well done!





All the baking Heyhouses families are doing has inspired the PTA with another fundraising initiative.

The PTA would like Heyhouses families to send in their favourite recipes for a special **Heyhouses Cookery Book** which the PTA will put together and sell.

Come on children, you have some amazing recipes, I know because you have sent pictures in and shared them with us all through this Lockdown and last.

Please have a chat within your families and choose your favourites recipes. I am going to see what Margaret and Dorothy think, they



have very different favourites usually.

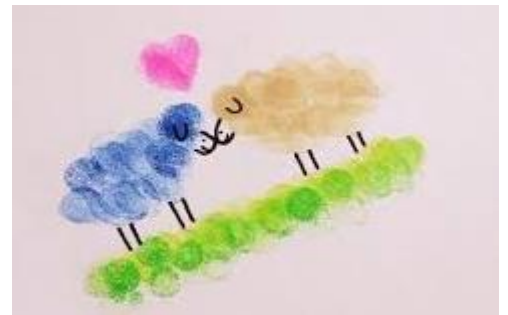
If your families are the same you can send in more than one recipe.

We hope you enjoy choosing.

This is going to be a best-selling book!

I hope you all have a good Weekend. I will write again tomorrow, it will be a good distraction from the washing pile and the tidying up which needs doing.

Remember if you get bored you can plan your Heyhouses sheep. Any design, any colour, any shape even- as long as it looks a bit like a sheep! (Or a thin lamb in my case!)



Remember, be patient and let's do things safely.

Keep in touch...KEEP SMILING ... and keep washing your hands.

With my love,

Mrs Hodgson

**Like a good shepherd, he takes care of his people.
He gathers them like lambs in his arms.
He holds them close, while their mothers walk beside him.**

Isaiah 40 v11