



# Mayfield House Newsletter

## Senior Bubble School - Mrs Head

This week we have been able to welcome back our wonderful year 10 pupils into school. Mrs Head and all the staff wanted to say a big well done! We have had excellent attendance and it has been great seeing everyone again. I am sure next week will be just as amazing – you'll be in for a double session (finishing at 2.10) and we'll give you a slice of pizza!

Everyone has also been on time and worked really hard.

Year 10 are also our first-year group to have an online lesson. Again, well done to year 10 as nearly everyone has logged in for their sessions so far. I watched some of the sessions and thought your teachers did a brilliant job, we hope it helped you as well.

## Primary Bubble School – Mrs Rogers

This week in Year R Bubble School we have been continuing our adventure to the beach! We have been on a journey across the ocean with 'The Snail and the Whale' and have been learning about how to stay safe in the sunshine.

We have explored the sea creatures that we might find in rock pools and drawn some beautiful pictures of what they look like. We even wrote some facts about our favourite sea creatures!

After discussing what flavours of ice cream were the best, we voted on our favourites and recorded the information using a tally chart. We learnt how to turn information from a tally chart into a block graph so we could find out which flavour was the most popular in our Bubbles.

To finish our week, we wrote postcards to our friends and family, so they knew how much fun we had on our adventure to the beach.

In Year 1 Bubble School we have been continuing with the Gardeners World topic and enjoyed digging up the flower planters in the playground and planting new seeds.

We have been writing description words (adjectives) for different flowers and have written sentences for our teacher to guess which flower we had drawn.

In maths we explored half and quarter by folding and colouring shapes and finding which shapes had equal parts.

We have also welcomed in Year 5 for the first time. We have been getting them used to our new routines and ways of working. We have also walked through our new fire drill so that we all know how to leave the building safely.

## Home Learning – Mr Clark-Lyons

### Maths Clinic:

This week pupils in Years 7-9 have been offered the chance to message a maths teacher to get help on any maths questions. Mr Ralph is online Wednesday 1pm-3pm and Friday 10am-12pm. Check your emails for details on using this.

We will be looking to run this in more subjects soon.

### Year 9:

Please pay close attention to your work pack instructions this week. The English department would like you to submit some online work; maths have set you some work that requires a different approach, and there are several more online quizzes and activities for you to complete, so we can check your learning and how well you are getting on.

## Key Worker School - Mrs Hillier

Key Worker School remains our most popular provision with new pupils joining us every week!

We celebrated Faith's 12th birthday this week and Samarth's 6th birthday too - if you have had a birthday during this lockdown period you will know that they are very different experiences!

Our Year 10 group are getting the same provision as all Year 10s so aren't missing out on the great maths, English and Science sessions we have started this week.

This week in Primary Key Worker School, we have grown again! We were really busy on Thursday when we had over 60 children in our different bubbles! We have opened new bubbles and are really pleased to see so many of you coming into school. We have been very impressed with the maths work on graphs and data that we have seen this week. Children have been really resilient with their learning. There has also been some lovely artwork created in the afternoons too. We would like to say thank you to all of the children for being so responsible when they are in school and being respectful to each other and remembering about social distancing.

Well done!





# Head of House - Shout Out

## ENDEAVOUR -Mr Campbell

I hope you are all safe and well. Welcome back to the pupils that have returned to school, I have heard lots of good things! Congratulations to the last week's home learning superstars appearing in the leader boards:

Year 7: Florence E., Hilary O., Kiera H.

Year 9: William L., Jay M., Billy W. and Lily C.

Year 10: Tyler P., William P. and Rhiannon A.

Keep working hard at home, and if you get a chance please drop me an email to let me know how you are getting on. It would be lovely to hear from you



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## INTREPID - Miss Jones

There's lots going on in school now, and I would like to welcome back our lovely Year 10 students. We also can't wait to see everyone else; we miss you!

In last week's home learning leader boards, there were lots of Intrepid students (I think we beat the other houses!) and all students on the boards have received texts home to congratulate them. I am especially impressed with Jay M., who features on all the leadership boards for his year group! 😊

Well done to everyone working hard at home, please continue this and email me if you need anything.

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## DISCOVERY- Miss Webb

It has been as always great to hear how you are all doing. Please continue to stay in touch.

My shout out this week for being super stars goes to:

Jacob B., Katherine A., Ryan F., Lennon K., Maddie T., and Poppy R. for all being top notch mathematicians.

Alicia S. for her superb and very moving and thought-provoking poetry. Check out Facebook to read them.

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## VICTORY – Mr Denford

My shout out goes to Sophia D. Sophia sent in this fantastic picture that unfortunately missed the house video. Well done Sophia!



Well done also to Mark P., India H., and Kai A. for being in the top engages on the Pixl Maths App—keep up the good work!

As always, please do keep in touch, and email a member of the house team if you need any support!

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