

# Red Marsh School Spring (2) Newsletter 2021

## Enhancing our curriculum

Providing planned enrichment experiences for all our pupils is an important aspect of achieving our curriculum intent: to provide fantastic teaching and learning in an environment where everyone is cared for, valued and respected.

This term these planned experiences have included: celebrating World Book Day; taking part in our 'Be Kind to Your Mind' challenge and planning our Red Nose Day.



We had great fun celebrating World Book Day: sharing stories with our friends; chilling out in our book café and acting out our favourite stories.



Developing reading skills and making reading fun happens all the time at Red Marsh School. Reading is an essential part of our formal curriculum.



Sensory exploration of stories, developing an understanding of symbols and learning how to enjoy books are all important reading skills.



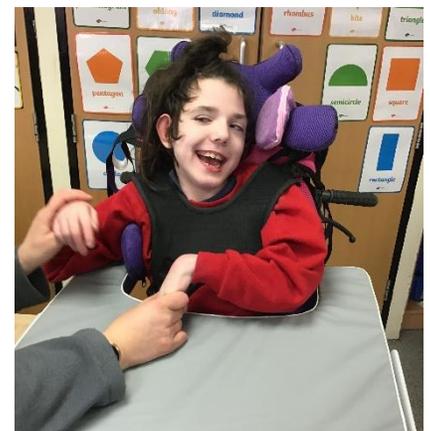
Reading stories, developing phonic skills and sight vocabulary all help to promote reading for understanding.



Supporting all our pupils' wellbeing is essential to all we do and is supported on a daily basis. As part of our wellbeing work we held a 10 day 'Be Kind to Your Mind' Challenge. For 10 days all our pupils took part in activities to help them develop strategies to support positive mental health.



Spending time with our friends; learning a new skill; taking part in exercise; playing outside and mindful colouring are all ways to help support positive mental health.

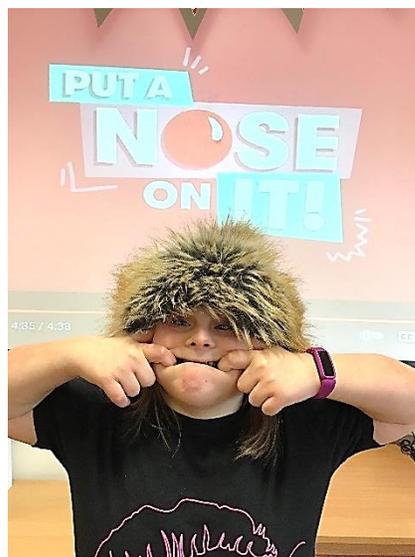


Our school council asked their friends to think of other children and young people who needed help and support. The school council decided they wanted to support Red Nose Day.



During Red Nose Day all our pupils were helped to think about the needs of others. Each class planned to do something, 'Funny for Money'.

Thank you for supporting Red Nose Day by sending in your donations.



#### Dates for the Diary:

School closes for half term

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Staff Inset Day

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021

School Reopens for pupils

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2021

#### Important Covid Information

Please remember if your child has a positive Covid test within 48 hours of the end of the school term, you must inform school. The school Covid email, for reporting, can be found on the school website.

If your child has a positive Covid test from Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> March you must follow government guidance regarding actions to take. Information can be found at [www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk) or ring 119.

