

Keep a journal of your 2020 Easter break.

You never know, it might feature in a history lesson one day.

Choose from 1, 2 or 3 to write about each day:

1

What have you done today?

What have you learnt today?

What have you enjoyed today?

Can you trust it?

2

What type(s) of news have you seen today?

What is happening?

How does it make you feel?

Music with Mrs Murray

3

What music are you listening to today?

Why did you choose this music?

How does it make you feel?

Day 1: Monday 6th April 2020

I watched 'Good Morning Britain'- all they talked about was the coronavirus!

The main news is that Boris Johnson (the Prime Minister) was admitted into hospital last night due to reoccurring symptoms 10 days after testing positive for Covid-19.

They also discussed the Queen's speech about how we will 'beat' the coronavirus.

This makes me feel that the public figures are only saying what they think we want to hear. I would rather hear more ordinary

people's views who really know what it's like to suffer due to the coronavirus.

Day 2: Tuesday 7th April 2020

Today, I listened to a playlist on Spotify called 'Quarantine Fun Times' which contains music in it from Disney, different musicals- such as Billy Elliot, Wicked and Cats, but it also contains my sisters favourite music, my favourite music, and each of my parents favourite music. As it is one big playlist, we can all listen and enjoy the music together. I think this is important because it connects us all, and we all have fun singing along together.

Day 3: Wednesday 8th April 2020

Today I made crafts with my sister- by using paper plates and paint! Also, for 20 minutes (as allowed!) I went to the local park and passed around a football with my Dad. I did this because I need to do an hour of football a week to complete my Bronze D of E. I also did PE and maths work. I enjoyed today because it was productive.

Day 4: Thursday 9th April 2020

On the news today are talks about possibly extending the 3 week lockdown in the UK. Another 938 people have died in hospital- the highest daily death toll yet, this brings the total UK deaths to 7097. Prime Minister Boris Johnson is still in hospital- but improving. We all stood outside our houses at 8pm to clap for all the fantastic workers keeping the UK going- NHS, shop workers, delivery drivers, warehouse workers- everyone!

Day 5: Friday 10th April 2020

Today, me and my family should have been flying to Venice in

Italy, but due to Covid-19 we have to stay at home. To make up for this, we made pizzas! We made flatbreads, and then put our own toppings on! Although they might not be as nice as proper Italian pizza, they were really good! We sat and watched a film, and tried to not think about how good a holiday would be!

Day 6: Monday 13th April 2020

Today, we listened to a playlist called 'Hits from the past'. My parents loved this, as it was songs from when they were younger! We had it on whilst we were cleaning the house! Overall, I enjoyed this music but me and my sister agreed that we definitely prefer our music!!

Day 7: Tuesday 14th April 2020

Boris Johnson (our prime minister) is out of hospital, and recovering. Piers Morgan interviewed a government minister called Therese Coffey about PPE in care homes, the minister had no idea what she was talking about! He was not impressed that she didn't know how many people in care homes had died due to lack of PPE- even though that's what she came on the show to talk about! She didn't answer a single question leaving us viewers unimpressed.

Day 8: Wednesday 15th April 2020

Today, my Dad went to apply for a job, after being made redundant 3 weeks ago. He joined the queue at 9:30, and was one of hundreds wanting a job. He had to queue at least 2 metres away from each other, the queue moved very slowly, four people were interviewing. They asked two questions, 'Why do you want to work here?' And 'do you have any customer

experience?'. The interview lasted 5 minutes, and we hope to hear in 2 weeks. During this, I completed some maths homework- with the help of my mum and older sister! (She can be helpful sometimes!)

Day 9: Thursday 16th April 2020

We enjoyed listening to a playlist of musicals- we discussed which were our favourites and which we really wanted to go to after this was all over! We are looking forward to seeing Grease but as we should be seeing it on July 30th (my parents 21st wedding anniversary) we're not sure if it will go ahead- but we hope it will!

Major News for the UK- Lockdown extended for a further 3 weeks- till May 7th.

Day 10: Friday 17th April 2020

The sun is still shining so I went for my allowed exercise with my mum. We walked a long loop around the local area- and looked at the houses and gardens! I'm very lucky to live in an area near countryside, so we made the most of this opportunity to walk in it! In the evening, we watched a live stream of Phantom of the opera- it was amazing! I would love to see it in a theatre.