



Dear Parents,

We cannot believe that it is Friday again. We hope that you are all safe and well. The Federation website will be updated over the next few days with more home learning for you and your children to access. Please be assured that there is no expectation that all the activities must be completed, we have put a variety of ideas on the website so that you can pick and choose what suits your child and their needs. This week a lot of children are probably feeling more restless and this will make concentrating on home learning more challenging. Remember to keep calm and set small, manageable tasks. At school our oldest children (when in the right frame of mind) can concentrate, independently for around 20 – 30 minutes before they need oral feedback or a break.

There are some activities that you could do with your children to help them manage their feelings as we enter another week where they are cut off from normality. Please do not hesitate to contact us or your child's class teacher through the email addresses provided and we will endeavour to get back to you as soon as possible.

Class 1 teachers: KS1@uwpf.n-yorks.sch.uk

Class 2/3 teachers: KS2@uwpf.n-yorks.sch.uk

Welcome

A warm welcome to Florence and Asher who are now on roll at Burnsall Primary. Since February we have had ten new pupils join Burnsall, which is fantastic news – we cannot wait until we can properly welcome you all into our Burnsall School family.

Message from Maths Leader – Miss Thompson

We have had some great feedback from parents with regards to the worksheets provided by White Rose Maths. Many of you that have been using them will have noticed that from Week Three it is saying that you need to purchase the premium content to access the worksheets - **you don't need to purchase anything**. As a Federation we have purchased the access to the content. Each weekend I will upload the worksheets for each year group on to our Maths Home page on the website. Also from Week 3 the content from each group should be in line with the learning on the BBC Bitesize Daily lessons. If you have any problems or queries with Maths Home learning please email: KS2@UWPF.n-yorks.sch.uk or KS1@UWPF.n-yorks.sch.uk were one of the teachers available should be able to help.

Cober Hill Residential

The annual Year 6 residential to Cober Hill that was due to taken place in a few weeks' time has been cancelled. Parents will receive a full refund of the monies paid.

Please take care and stay safe,

Mrs Besharati & Mrs Boxall

Executive Headteachers

Message from new PSCO – Lucy Osborn

Please let me introduce myself, my name is Lucy Osborn and I am one of two newly appointed Public Safety Officers in Craven, having worked previously for three years as PCSO just over the hill in the Wensleydale/Swaledale area. I am based in Grassington Fire Station and will be covering the Upper Wharfedale area working for North Yorkshire Police (as part of the Neighbourhood Police Team), North Yorkshire Fire & Rescue Service (as an on-call fire fighter) and Yorkshire Ambulance Service (as an Emergency First Responder). We will also be responsible for delivering fire Safe & Well home visits and assessments/crime prevention/water safety/stranger danger talks and presentations etc.

Unfortunately, the current situation has somewhat changed all of this and our plans for visiting schools and groups and getting out to engage with our local communities has somewhat gone out of the window! It doesn't look like things will be returning to normal imminently and so I thought I'd say hello via other acceptable ways of communication!

Get Involved;

One of the things that many fire stations in the area are doing is asking local children to draw pictures/posters of thanks to the NHS and key workers, 'stay at home' messages or simply something happy to brighten the day – which are then displayed in the fire station windows. Unfortunately, the fire station here in Grassington isn't really visible to anyone so, instead, I wondered whether we could utilise the power of social media? With that in mind, I know how many of us are missing our family and friends at this time and so I thought it would be a nice idea if the children could draw a picture of the person/people they're really missing (whether it's a best friend, Grandma, cousins etc). Then, I would share the picture on social media with a shout-out to that person that they're missed by 'X'.

If you could include the first name of your child, age and village location (no specifics will be given out publically) and also the first name and location of the subject of the picture. If you would like to include a picture of your child holding their drawing, then please say in your email (or in writing) that you are happy for your child's picture to be used on social media. If you can email photos to Lucy.Osborn@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk or alternatively, you can post them through the letterbox of Grassington Fire Station (as you're passing of course!).**

If anyone has any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address above or via '101' ext. no. 33744.

Hopefully, I will be able to meet you in person in the not so distant future but in the meantime, stay home, stay safe and look after each other.

Kindest regards

Lucy

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