

# Frithville & New York Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you!

Never before have any of us experienced the situation we now find ourselves in... In the midst of a worldwide pandemic, lockdown, isolation and home learning.

**You are doing a magnificent job supporting your children with their learning!**

Each child is different, each family's situation is different, so what others are doing should have no influence on what you are providing for your children. We are all doing our very best for the children we care for. Social media is wonderful... but the information does need filtering, as it can make us feel a little inadequate sometimes. As parents, we should continue to do what is best for our children, in our environment, in our situation... above all, following the lockdown rules and keeping them safe.

Each class teacher has prepared work that is taught in class and is available to be taught at home with support as and when required. Thank you to all the support from parents who have joined in with the ZOOM sessions so far, you are an inspiration to your children and to us.

As you know, in accordance with DfE guidelines, whilst in lockdown we can only support a small number of pupils in school, but please remember, if you need any support with the home learning then please contact us. We are only an email or phone call away.

We have had to close Frithville this week due to a positive case being identified. The school is scheduled to reopen on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February, following the prescribed period of isolation. I will parents informed of any developments. Again, thank you again for the support and kind words of concern this week... tremendous!

**Take care, stay safe and have a peaceful weekend.**

Paul Bargh

## E-safety: Applies to all of us...

The DITTO magazine release last week you can download from [HERE](#).

### Updates this week:

- For parents - 8 tips for online safety during lockdown. You can find the article [HERE](#).
- Mental health resources for children, parents, carers and school staff. DfE have put together a pretty big list of sources of support which you can see [HERE](#).
- TikTok - Silhouette Challenge (Keep an eye out!) You can read a little more [HERE](#).
- 5-Rights Foundation - in-game purchases You can get to the site [HERE](#).
- Data and privacy online - a toolkit for young people You can take a look at [HERE](#).

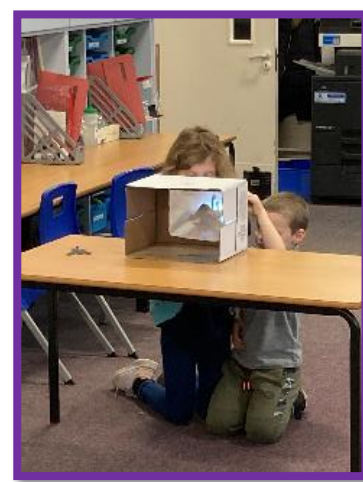
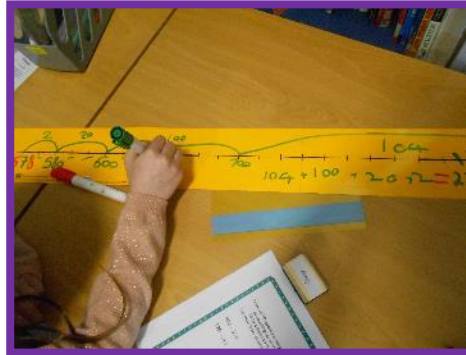


You've been learning lots about how to take care of your body and mind - in PE, PSHE, Cooking and Science...now we'd like to challenge you to share this with your family, and help us create a learning display for Health and Wellbeing! There are four projects to choose from below. For each one, consider 'Health and Wellbeing' in four ways:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1SAHg9gylexOHZ6s2waAgBn4TPCDLyQ9/view?usp=sharing>

At School this week...

Maths  
Science  
PE  
Design



## And at home...

Art  
Baking  
Cycling  
Cooking  
Recycled robots



## Joke Corner...

Why did the frog take the bus to work today?

*His car got toad away.*

What did the buffalo say when his son left for college?

*Bison.*

Why did the yogurt go to the art exhibition?

*Because it was cultured.*

What do you call an apology written in dots and dashes?

*Re-Morse code.*

Did you hear about the two people who stole a calendar?

*They each got six months.*

What's Forest Gump's password?

*1Forest1.*

How do poets say hello?

*Hey, haven't we metaphor?*

What do you get from a pampered cow?

*Spoiled milk.*

Why is it annoying to eat next to football players?

*They dribble all the time.*



**Happy Birthday! Mrs Rogers – 21 (New York)**