



Kindness begins with understanding we all struggle

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Lateral Flow Testing

The pilot for lateral flow testing for households with children at school has now been extended on a National scale. This means that all adults in your household, support bubble, and childcare bubble are eligible for free lateral flow testing kits, to enable two tests per adult a week. This is not compulsory, but marks an important step in helping to reduce the spread of the virus, as about 1 in 3 people with coronavirus do not have symptoms (but can still pass the virus on to others).

For more information, and to order your kits, please visit:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/rapid-lateral-flow-testing-for-households-and-bubbles-of-school-pupils-and-staff>

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to let us know. Thank you.



Lily says, "We could invent a new planet".
Could you invent a new planet? What would it be like?

Winning Answer by Megan in Year 1 Circles
Everybody land, where everybody can be themselves.

Headteacher Awards

Ava, Peaches, and
Sophie in Year 3;

Winning Answer by Charlie in Year 1 Squares
Skate-park world, so then I could have kiads of ramps to skate down and do all my jumps.

Winning Answer by Megan in Year 5
It would be a planet that has no pollution because there would be no plastic what so ever. It would be all fun and games at weekends but the school will be just the same as ours.

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CELEBRATING EACH OTHER, AND THE JOURNEY WE ARE ON

Year 5 Bikeability

Today and yesterday, the first Bikeability group in Year 5 worked on their Levels 2 and 3 cycling proficiency training. It's such a wonderful opportunity provided for free to children in primary schools, that we're delighted to partner with every year. Well done to everyone involved for any of the sessions this week, and we'll see the next group on their bikes next week!



Comic Relief

Today we enjoyed a non-school uniform day in aid of Comic Relief. For more information on the Charity, please visit [this](https://www.comicrelief.org/) website, and if you would like to and are able to make a donation, please do so either online or at a participating retail outlet.



Zoom Farm Visit in Foundation Stage

Next week we have a really special virtual visit for children in Foundation Stage with Yew Tree Farm. Children will see the eggs being collected from chickens, ducks, and geese; learn about the cheeky pygmy goats; see the ewes (who will have lambs due!); meet their four piglets; and say hello to rabbits, guinea pigs, and their Shetland pony.

We will be asking the children ahead of the session about any questions that they have, and can't wait to share the experience with them!

