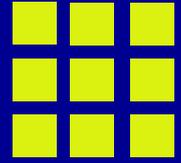


NINE ACRES NEWS

'Striving for Excellence'

Friday 3rd April 2020



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Dear Families of Nine Acres,

It has been a busy week in and out of school. Teachers have been making phone calls home just to check in with you and your child, they have been looking at curriculum plans for the Summer Term as well as putting together new home learning packs if we need them for after Easter. These new packs will be topic linked and contain some new exciting opportunities for children to get really engrossed in their learning. We are aiming for these to be ready for collection from Tuesday 28th April, but we will let you know via text or email.

We do not want to overwhelm parents with lots of websites and apps, we are very aware that we do not want to encourage large amounts of screen time so we are going to remain providing paper packs as the feedback from parents has been so positive. We will continue to provide parents with suggestions of other ideas they can get involved in through our Facebook page and weekly newsletter.

I would like to remind parents that the safety of our children is our priority and both myself, Mrs Broome and Mrs Hussey who are the designated safeguarding leads at the school are available if you need a chat. In addition I would like to remind our families of the public number should you be concerned about a child in our community - **0300 3000 117**

We have loved receiving emails and tags to our Facebook page letting us know what the children have been up to. This really does brighten our day!! I can see there has been lots of baking going on in homes... we will be looking forward to tasting these at break time with a cup of tea! You will have hopefully seen our wonderful playground rainbow on Facebook created by staff and pupils of Nine Acres. It was definitely a moment to cherish!!!

Another suggestion from our community has been to create a 'Bear Hunt' for our children. Put a teddy bear in your window so families on their approved daily outing can spot these. Spread the word and let us know if you spot any!



It is now the start of the Easter Holidays. We suggest that children do dip into their home learning packs over the next two weeks and especially keep up with their reading just to support their routines and provide some further structure to their days however please do not worry if they don't complete all the tasks. We want you all to have a well rested break so do what's right for your child and your family.

The school will remain open over the next two weeks of the Easter Holidays for our Key Worker families. The staffing team will be having a well deserved two week break to spend time with their own families ready to return on the 20th April - whatever that may look like! If you do need to contact us please email us and we will respond as soon as possible - office@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk

Whatever you are doing over the Easter break make those memories with your children. If you are a key worker we know that you are undertaking such a huge task and in some cases you're not able to spend time with your little ones in order to keep them safe. The role you are playing in supporting the Island community is admirable and we are all in awe of your dedication and commitment to serving us. THANK YOU from everyone at Nine Acres Primary.



Have a lovely Easter break, Mrs Dyer

★ STAFF AWARDS ★

Team Work - Mr Worrell for making sure everything is set up ready and in place every morning to support the staff and children coming into school.

Aspiration - Mrs Shaw for her continued support for our children in EYFS and dedication to their learning.

Citizenship - Mrs Tingle who always thinks about others before herself.

Creativity - Mrs Wiltshire for creating some videos to support and engage with a child who needs their regular physiotherapy.

Courage - Mrs White for always thinking about how we can connect and engage our children.

Perseverance - Mr Wills and Jack (IT support) for helping us keep in touch and support our work from home.

Caring - Mrs Chandler for putting together amazing speech and language packs for our families whose children need this support.

Independence - Mr Seager (Les) for opening up our forest schools area for our key worker children to enjoy.

Respect - Mrs Teague for her exceptional support, care and organisation for the whole staffing team.

Home Learning Success Stories



We love seeing your home learning, please send us your pictures either using the office email address: office@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk or tag us on Facebook

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We are here for you!!

We are only a phone call away!! Here are our contact details:

Tel:

01983 522984

Email:

office@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk

Facebook



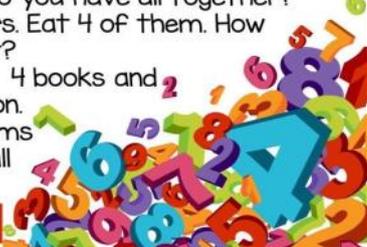
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In School Learning Success



MATH SCAVENGER HUNT

- Find 2 pencils and 1 blue crayon. How many items do you have now?
- Find 5 blocks and 2 pennies. How many items do you have now? Take away 3 blocks. How many items are left?
- Find 4 socks and 2 stuffed animals. How many items do you have all together?
- Find 8 crackers. Eat 4 of them. How many are left?
- Find 3 spoons, 4 books and 1 orange crayon. How many items do you have all together?



Message from Mrs Shaw/ /Miss Perumall - EYFS

Hello Carisbrooke and Yarmouth.

We are missing you lots in school. It is very quiet without you! I know things are a bit different at the moment but I am so proud of you all for adjusting so well to learning at home. We have loved seeing all of your super learning on Tapestry so please keep on sharing your pictures with us. Hopefully you have all been busy reading to your reading buddies. I bet you are taking good care of them. There are also lots of fun games to support your reading on 'teach you monster to read'. I also wanted to remind you about learning those tricky words. Can you remember the song from school to sing at home? Don't worry if not, you can find it here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TvMyssfAUx0>. Watch out parents, it's very catchy! Thank you for all of your support at home. Stay safe and keep up the great work! **Mrs Shaw & Miss Perumall**

Useful Contacts

West Newport's Children Centre
Wellington Road, Newport, PO30 5QT
Tel: [01983 537390](tel:01983537390)

Wight DASH (Domestic Abuse) Tel: [01983 825981](tel:01983825981)

Childline: Tel: [0800 1111](tel:08001111)

Samaritans: Tel: [01983 617617](tel:01983617617)

Mental Health

Community Safe Haven: [01983 520168](tel:01983520168)

Mental Health Crisis Advise

Tel: [01983 522214](tel:01983522214) available 24/7

NHS 111 Advice and Guidance Tel: [111](tel:111)

Community Mental Health Team

Inclusion

IOW Drug and Alcohol Service
102 Carisbrooke Road, Newport, PO301DB
Tel: [01983 526654](tel:01983526654)

Community CAHMS

7 Pyle Street, Newport, PO30 1JW
Tel: [01983 523602](tel:01983523602)

Housing and Family Support

County Hall
High Street
Newport, Isle of Wight PO301UD
Tel: [01983 823040](tel:01983823040)

Opening Times:

Monday - Thursday 8.30-5.00pm
Friday 8.30 - 4.30pm
Emergency Contact number (Out of Hours only)
Tel: [01983 821105](tel:01983821105)

Foodbank

Church on the Roundabout
Coppins Bridge, Newport
PO30 2BX Tel: [01983 292040](tel:01983292040)
<https://isleofwight.foodbank.org.uk/get-help/foodbank-vouchers/>

Safeguarding Public Line: Tel: [0300 3000 117](tel:03003000117)

School Nursing & Health Visitor Team:

<https://www.facebook.com/600304920129668/posts/150660023166794/>

30 Day LEGO Challenge

Follow the instructions for each day. The only rule is to have fun and use your imagination!

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
You were hired by an amusement park to create a new roller coaster.	NASA needs you to build a new rocket.	Your parents want to build a new house and they want you to build it.	Hollywood hires you to build a movie set for a new Star Wars movie.
Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8
You enter a contest to build the world's tallest tower. Will you win?	You are stuck on Mars and need to build a new ship to get home.	Ped hires you to create the toughest pick up truck in the world.	You and 4 friends are stranded on an island. Build a boat to find a way home.
Day 9	Day 10	Day 11	Day 12
Captain Jack needs a new pirate ship and wants you to build it.	Your friends decide to build a tree house.	Prince Charming hires you to build a castle for him & Cinderella.	
Day 13	Day 14	Day 15	Day 16
There is a circus in town. Build a stage for the performers.	Mr. Hilton hires you to build a new hotel.	Dr. Who hires you to build a new TARDIS.	Do you wanna build a snowman? Get in the winter mood and build a snow scene.
Day 17	Day 18	Day 19	Day 20
Help your fellow prisoners build a wagon to make it across the country.	Build the flattest car around and join the big car race.	The city wants you to build a bridge to connect one side of the town to the other.	Design and build your dream bedroom.
Day 21	Day 22	Day 23	Day 24
The fence is broke and the dog keeps escaping. Build one he can't get out of.	You are now in medieval times. You are commisioned to build a jousting arena.	You are elected ruler. Build a flag for your land.	What was your favorite day?
Day 25	Day 26	Day 27	Day 28
The fence is broke and the dog keeps escaping. Build one he can't get out of.	You are hired to build a house entirely out of yellow Legos.	Aliens are invading and you need to build a war robot to defeat them.	The alien have taken over. They are impressed by your robot. They want you build one for them.
Day 29	Day 30		
There is a blizzard. You will need to build a snowmobile.			

Message from Mrs White - EYFS

Hi Yarmouth Class

We know lots of you have been super busy at home like the superheroes you are and we have enjoyed looking at your updates on Tapestry. Don't forget Tapestry is there for you to send us what you have been up to and to ask questions if needed if you haven't already done so.

We have seen lots of school learning being completed as well as new skills being learnt whilst at home with your families.

We know that you were so keen to complete your learning packs that most of you have already finished most of the work and are looking for some new learning to complete. There are lots of different activities that can be completed throughout the day from lots of different resources which can be found on the school Facebook page and newsletter. If you are interested in animals lots of the zoos are showing live feeds exploring different animals including Chester Zoo. White Rose Maths are showing home learning activities daily at 10am with lessons and activities to complete these are all based around stories.

If you have a topic you are interested in why not create your own project about it, gathering information, drawing pictures and writing sentences about it.

We look forward to sharing your learning with you as we move forward with this unusual journey.

From Mrs White, Mrs Wiltshire and Miss Guy.

Book Recommendations

David Walliams releasing one of his audio books everyday for the next 30 days.

Use the link below to hear them!!



<https://www.worldofdaviswalliams.com/elevenses>



Domestic abuse – where to get help during the Covid-19 pandemic

We know that COVID-19 (Coronavirus) will have a serious impact on the lives of women, children and men who are experiencing domestic abuse. Fears over jobs, financial pressure, school closures, working from home and all the other current changes to our day to day lives are likely to result in an increase in domestic abuse incidents.

If you're already living with domestic abuse, then the restrictions put in place while the government tries to slow the spread of the virus have probably left you fearful of being isolated in the house with your abuser and as if there is nowhere to go for help. You may not be able to see the friends and family who usually support you, and some of the places where you go for help or treatment may be closed or offering a reduced service. Please remember that you can still call 999 if you or someone else is in danger.

While some domestic abuse support services are not able to offer face to face meetings at this time, there is still help and advice available online and over the phone. These local and national organisations are working hard to ensure they can still support you.

Hampshire Domestic Abuse Service – 03300 165112

Stop Domestic Abuse (Portsmouth) – 023 9206 5494

Aurora New Dawn – 023 9247 9254

Yellow Door (Southampton) – 023 8063 6313

PIPPA (Southampton) – 023 8091 7917

You Trust (Isle of Wight) – 0800 234 6266

National Domestic Abuse Helpline – 0808 2000 247

Men's Advice Line – 0808 801 0327

National LGBT+ Domestic Abuse Helpline – 0800 999 5428

If you're a child or young person and domestic abuse is happening in your home or relationship, then call Childline on 0800 1111.



BOOK SCAVENGER HUNT

- Find an animal in a book.
- Find the word spring in a book.
- Find someone helping someone in a book.
- Find a picture of a sun in a book.
- Find a book that makes you laugh.
- Find a bug in a book.
- Find someone sleeping in a book.
- Find a character eating in a book.
- Find a pet in a book.
- Find a cat in a book.
- Find a superhero in a book.
- Find a bike in a book.



SCHOOL NURSING TEAM

Dear Parents and Children.

We have identified a designated phone number for young people to message the school nursing team if they are anxious or worried at this time. We will be able to offer a call back with advice and sign post to the best resources and services for young people

The phone line will be open between Monday to Friday, 9.00am until 4.00pm The young person should leave a message and a member of the team will get back to them as soon as possible, within 24 hours and within the working week.

The number is **07341868124**.

The service will continue during the school holidays.

Cookery Section

Cupcakes

Ingredients

110g softened butter

110g golden caster sugar

2 large eggs

½ tsp vanilla extract

110g self-raising flour

For the buttercream

150g softened butter

300g icing sugar

1 tsp vanilla extract

3 tbsp milk

Food colouring (optional)

Method

Heat oven to 180C/160C fan/Gas 4 and fill a 12 cupcake tray with cases.

1. Using a whisk beat 110g softened butter and 110g caster sugar together until pale and fluffy then whisk in 2 large eggs, one at a time, scraping down the sides of the bowl after each addition.

2. Add ½ tsp vanilla extract, 110g self-raising flour whisk until just combined then spoon the mixture into the cupcake cases.

3. Bake for 15 mins until golden brown and a skewer inserted into the middle of each cake comes out clean. Leave to cool completely on a wire rack.

4. To make the buttercream, whisk 150g softened butter until super soft then add 300g icing sugar, 1 tsp vanilla extract.

Whisk together until smooth (start off slowly to avoid an icing sugar cloud) then beat in 3 tbsp milk.

If wanting a colour, stir in the food colouring now.



INVENTOR SCAVENGER HUNT

- Find something that you can turn.
- Find something that is bumpy.
- Find something that is metal.
- Find something you put together.
- Find 3 things that are round.
- Find something you twist.
- Find something shiny.
- Find something you can roll.
- Find a tube.
- Find 3 things that are squishy.
- Find something clear.
- Find something that can bounce.



White Rose Maths

are doing daily Maths lessons for each year group with activities. There is already resources on there from last week and they start each new session at 10.00am everyday.



<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

DINOSAUR ISLE

Culver Parade
Sandown
Isle of Wight
PO36 8QA
www.dinosaurisle.com



Excavate these words with our **Bones** WORDSEARCH. Find the names of some of the bones that go to make up the human skeleton. Most of these bones can also be found in dinosaur skeletons. Words go up & down, left & right and diagonally.

There are 34 words to find. How many can you find?



A	M	U	I	Z	E	P	A	R	T	S	C	H	F	E	T
D	I	O	H	P	A	C	S	E	L	I	A	I	N	S	U
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COCCYX
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FABELLA
FEMUR
FIBULA
HUMERUS

ILIUM
ISCHIUM
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MAXILLA
METACARPAL
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NASAL
NAVICULAR
OCCIPITAL

PATELLA
PHALANX
PUBIS
RADIUS
RIB
SACRUM
SCAPHOID
SCAPULA
STERNUM

TALUS
TARSAL
TIBIA
TRAPEZIUM
ULNA
VERTEBRA
VOMER