



Letters/email home this week...

Do remember all letters home are available on our website <http://ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/letters>

A Message from Liz Ward (Chair of Governors)

It has been a tough few months, with the uncertainty of when schools will be open fully and the difficulties when they are not. The Governors are very aware of how much thought and effort the staff have made for the preparation for re-opening and then for the remote learning. ALL the staff have worked with dedication and passion, learning new skills and thinking about the learning and welfare of the pupils in a different way. We should also like to thank you, the parents, for your efforts and co-operation in how you have supported your children in their education.

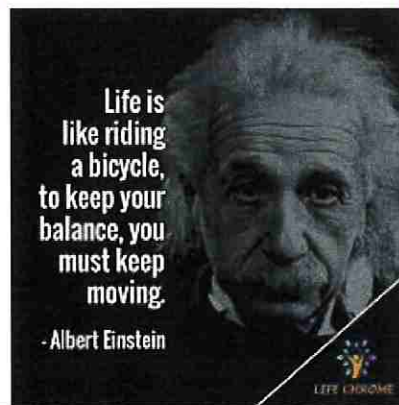


Do please send in photographs of you doing activities and learning at home—they really cheer us up!

CHANGE OF INSET DAY

Given the current context we have decided to move our INSET day from 22nd February to 28th May.
INSET DAYS REMAINING:
28TH MAY 2021
7TH JUNE 2021

You will be aware that the Prime Minister has announced that schools will remain closed to most pupils until, at least, the 8th March. You are all working so hard, so please keep going. If you hit tricky times, talk to us—we are here to help you as well as your children.



Mrs. Fishwick has created the beautiful and useful poster on page 2. It provides sound advice of how to keep your spirits up and feeling good about yourself during these tricky times. How about sticking it on the fridge as a reminder?

**Children's Well-Being Week
1st—7th February 2021**

The theme this year is

‘Express Yourself’

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/>

Please send us photographs of the children expressing themselves. It could be holding a work of art, a lego model, writing a poem... or just looking fabulous!

Please send to adminoffice@ajs.hants.sch.uk

How to Look After Yourself in LOCKDOWN

Some Ideas to help you get through lockdown!

every day...

Do something outside



fresh air is great for making you feel good.

talk to a friend, facetime or text



How are you?

It will make them feel good too.

Do something creative



- Draw
- paint colour
- sing
- make
- cook
- sew

It can be relaxing and fun

Do something kind...

would you like a cup of tea?

- wash-up
- or tidy
- help someone
- cook dinner

helping someone makes us feel good!

It's good to laugh

Find something that makes you laugh...

- A joke,
- or a silly cat video

Finish a task... or your school work!

Get it done! You'll feel great!

Travel to another world!

lose yourself in a book



Reading helps us forget

Most of All Be Kind to Yourself

STAR READER

Wren
Evie

Kestrel
Bonnie

Starling
Logan

Kingfisher
Keegan / Luke

Skylark
Jensen

Barn Owl
-

Eagle
-

Osprey
Connor

Merlin
Jack

Robin
-



TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

Wren
Daisey

Kestrel
Alex

Starling
Samuel

Kingfisher
Keegan

Skylark
Poppy

Barn Owl
Joshua

Eagle
Lucas

Osprey
Finley

Merlin
Henry

Robin
-



HIGH FLYER

Wren
Max

Kestrel
Poppy

Starling
Sarah

Kingfisher
Millicent

Skylark
Lissy

Barn Owl
Thomas

Eagle
Evie

Osprey
Harry

Merlin
Ann

Robin
Callie



TOP DOODLERS

Wren
Maths Aliou
Spelling Esme

Kestrel
Maths Harrison
Spelling Thea

Starling
Maths Marleigh
Spelling Seb

Kingfisher
Maths Ellie
Spelling Oliver

Skylark
Maths Christopher
Spelling Robyn

Barn Owl
Maths Brody
Spelling Thomas

Eagle
Maths Rebecca
Spelling Vesper

Osprey
Maths Aqsa
Spelling Aqsa

Merlin
Maths Caitlin
Spelling Jessica

Robin
Maths Poppy
Spelling McKenzie



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