



Bird's Bush News



Summer 2 Closure week 11

26th June 2020

Please make sure we have your up-to-date contact number and email address so that we can contact you and keep you updated with our message system.

Stay Alert, Stay Safe.

Hi everyone

We hope you are all staying safe and well and enjoying the sunshine and thunder - I wish the weather could make up it's mind.

In addition to home learning this week, we would love you to try and have your own sports days and send us photos. Maybe an egg and spoon race or just a running race? You could even invent your own sports day events such as how many trampoline bounces in 1 minute? Be creative, we love hearing about what you have been up to.

We have managed to create some capacity to welcome Reception children back for 3 days a week from next week and for Year 5 to attend for 2 days. I am really sorry that the other year groups will not get the opportunity to be in school before the summer but we are trying to find a way to have a virtual goodbye from your class teachers.

We are waiting on guidance from the Government about what school may look like in September and I will keep you posted when we hear anything further.

Please note that school will close for ALL pupils on Thursday 16th July as originally planned and we will not be open over the summer. Little Stars are hoping to be able to provide a summer holiday club but they are waiting for updated guidance on this. Please keep an eye on their Facebook page for updates.

Some things are carrying on as normal in school - End of Year reports will be sent out on 10th July by email and you will also get information at the same time about classes for next year. Please make sure we have your correct email address.

Mrs Barnes

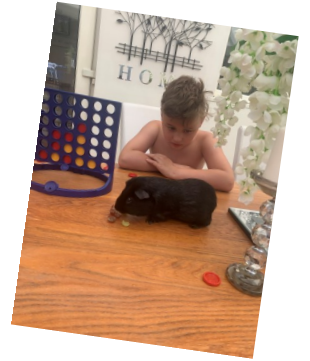
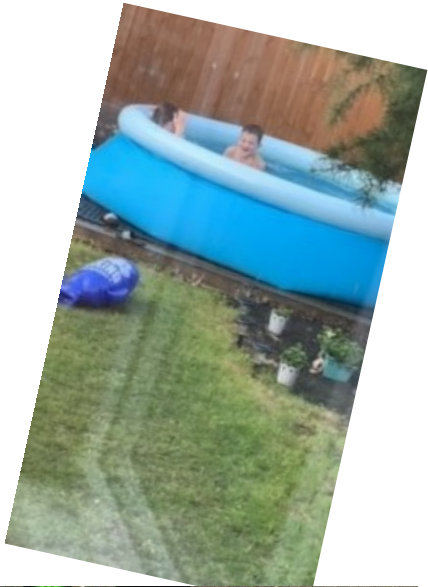


- ★ Learning Champions of the Week - Home learning hero's
- ★ Summer L - showing she never gives up
- ★ Oliver R - being creative and confident
- ★ Bonnie F - being resilient
- ★ Jacob - making us smile
- ★ Tayla - showing ambition in her learning
- ★ Olivia L- showing confidence and resilience
- ★ trying hard with her reading
- ★ Isabella Danks) for showing ambition,
- ★ Jayden Danks) confidence and independence



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Home Learning





With the disruption caused by Covid-19 to schools and public libraries the 2020 Summer Reading Challenge is being delivered online this year. The all-new digital Summer Reading Challenge has been launched and children can sign up at www.sillysquad.org.uk or <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/> and create a profile.

Children set their own challenge to read any amount of books during the Summer.

Collect rewards with additional activities and incentives along the way, including online badges, game and videos.

Once children have completed the Challenge they receive a downloadable certificate

Reading for pleasure supports mental wellbeing, boosting children's confidence and self-esteem which is so important now more than ever.

There is a wide range of children's e-books and e-audio books that can be downloaded from the library catalogue at <https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Libraries/Library-services/eLibrary/eLibrary.aspx>