

Messages from the Principal:

I hope this newsletter finds you and your loved ones healthy and happy. Reflecting on the past few weeks, I find it hard to believe that we now find ourselves in May and have not seen our wonderful children since March. Whilst there is currently no date for when schools will return or what that will look like when they do, leaders are starting to plan for the future. Rest assured, this situation will, at some point, come to an end. Until then, do remember we're here for you every step of the way.

Home Learning

I do hope you're all managing to access the various home learning resources we've communicated. We're receiving lovely feedback from some families which is really encouraging. We have also just signed up to **ClassDojo** which is an online communication site for KS1 children (Years 1 and 2) and allows them to upload and respond to work set by our teachers. For those of you with children in Reception, it's very similar to Tapestry. Miss Robson informs me that we've had lots of responses already, so well done! An overview of all our resources can be seen below. These are in addition to the resources uploaded to the school website each week by the teachers:

Home Learning		
 PurpleMash purplemash.com/go-infant	 Oak National Academy thenational.academy	 Maths with Parents mathswithparents.com
 RMeasimaths rmeasimaths.com	 ClassDojo (KS1 only) classdojo.com	 Tapestry (Reception only) TAPESTRY ONLINE LEARNING JOURNAL tapestryjournal.com

Stars of the Week!

Well done to the following 3 children who have achieved our 'Star of the Week' award this week: Pabiyan, Ayesha and Maryum! It's been wonderful to share in your successes at home! Remember—in order for your child to be considered, you MUST upload/share information on what they have been learning.

Wishing you all the very best.



K. Pelazza

Mrs Pelazza, Principal

Staying in Touch

Please do get in contact via the Post email address if you have any questions/concerns or if your circumstances change:

post@phoenixinfants.uk

Please do also continue to follow us on Twitter (@phoenixinfants) and log onto the 'Coronavirus Updates' section of our website: www.phoenixinfants.uk.

Skills Toolkit



This week, an online learning platform—the **Skills Toolkit**—was launched to develop workplace skills. It signposts

to free, high-quality digital and numeracy courses to help people build up their skills, progress in work and boost their job prospects and confidence whilst at home. Courses on offer cover a range of levels, from everyday maths and the use of email and social media at work to more advanced training. All courses are available online and are flexible so that people can work through them at their own pace. The Toolkit can be accessed by following this link:

<https://theskillstoolkit.campaign.gov.uk>

Please remember, however, whatever you can manage during this time is good enough.



Reception
Pabiyan

For his pirate subtractions and map making!
Thank you to Mum for sharing photos!



Year 1
Ayesha

For trying all the home learning and replying to Miss Paulic's email!



Year 2
Maryum

For always accessing PurpleMash and creating great art work!