This week's merit certificates are awarded to:

All the parents working at home with their children!

Certificate below to print out if you want to display it on your fridge





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School Closed from Friday 20th March 2020 Until further notice.

"Buckminster School, where children become Inspirational Learners"

Working from home....

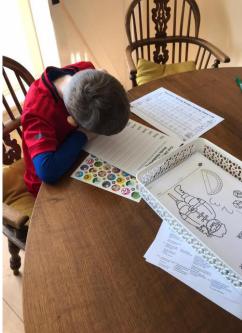


A sincere thank you to everyone who is managing to keep their children at home during the school closure and to all key workers for keeping school places to an absolute minimum. We are now down to between 1 and 4 children in school at any one time which reduces the risk of infection for the children and the staff.

Hopefully working at home is not too stressful and we do appreciate it can be tricky when you have your own children to educate as well. This parent might have taken it a little too far however!! Some photos of children/staff at home







Mr Floyd doing his daily workout with Joe

Erin and Noah working hard practising their handwriting







Bella and Bonnie look like they are having a great time at home. Will they ever want to come back to school?!



Danny, Grace and Bobby look like they've had a busy week as do Louisa, Lily and Sonny doing a wide range of activities inside and out.

Sonny even baked Mrs Kilius-Smith a Birthday Cake but had to eat it himself! I've put you down on the rota for the cake raffle too Sonny! Mrs Wright ©

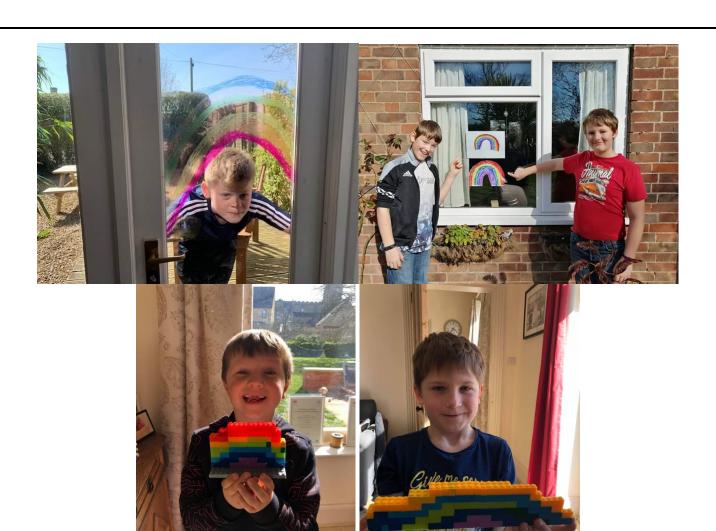


Well done to everyone who has drawn/painted/made a rainbow for a window. It is lovely to see so many families taking part in these community challenges. Look out for our next challenge on Facebook.













Amazing rainbows everyone!

Lucia, Jacob, Freddie, Jake, Oliver, Harry, Henley, Alex, Austin and Callum proudly showing their pictures. Ellie's family joined in with the Nationwide applause for the NHS last night at 8pm but as it was after Ellie's bedtime she made this wonderful picture to display in their window at home. Such a lovely thought Ellie.









Cllr. Malise Graham has made the lovely gesture of donating an Apple Tree to School.

Thank you so much Mr and Mrs Graham.

As we won't be able to plant the tree at School due to wasps Mr and Mrs Graham were happy for us to plant it in our garden at home and represent the School.

We will of course share the apples when it starts producing. Mr and Mrs Wright, Bonnie and Bella \times

Home Learning

Please do not worry if certain work is not completed or that you decide to go outside instead. Tidying the shed, going for a walk or building a den in the garden are great things to do so don't be afraid to change your plans depending on the weather or how you feel as a family each day. These are stressful times so don't make home learning stressful too.

Teachers will update work on the website on a regular basis but do not hesitate to email your child's teacher for advice, support or just to give an update on how you are getting on. If you are unable to print work out but can still see it on a screen, just ask your child to write the answers in their book. School can only print out work as a very last resort as the cost of printing and the paper will be huge. If it has been agreed that school will print work out for you, you will be given a time when you can collect it from the school office.

Free School Meals (not Universal meals for all YrR to Yr2 children)

As of Thursday 26th March it is still not clear how this is going to work. It will probably be in the form of vouchers to be used in supermarkets but until we have more details, please be patient.

Thank you everyone for donating to Sports Relief 2020





Thanks Debbie!

You just donated £75 to Sport Relief, and we couldn't be more grateful.

Sport Relief is about harnessing the power of sport to change lives across the world. Your gift will be used to support people living incredibly tough lives in the UK and around the world. Thank you.

Sport Relief. It's Game On.







Buckminster School's Merit goes to YOU if you are a parent who is home educating your child(ren)

This is a well done and thank you from Mrs Clarke

