

Hello Mondrian!

A lot has changed this week and we hope that you and your families are enjoying the little bits of extra freedom we can now enjoy outdoors. It has been quite an exciting week for us as too - Mrs Maher gave us some brilliant maths training to complete. We have enjoyed hearing from you, telling us how much you are enjoying your home learning but also telling us how much you are all missing each other. Many of you are managing to keep in touch with video chats, which is excellent. Mrs Reilly- O'Donnell and Mrs Maher tell us that your parents are so proud of you. When you find things difficult or are having a tough day, you pick yourselves up and keep trying. This is called "perseverance" and is one of the best qualities you can aim for in life. It doesn't make you the best, but will make you your own best!

Did you solve the anagram last week, be proud of yourself? We hope that you are taking pride in your achievements big and small at the moment. How many people did you make smile or laugh today?



We wonder how many of you have had a chance to look at the Music at Home activities from Sunderland Music Hub this week. To all the parents, please use and enjoy these with your children (especially when things get tough, as we all know they do at times!). As well at PE with Joe, Mrs Young has recommended some dance tutorials on Twitter. Did you see Mrs Reilly-O'Donnell reading two stories for you all? If not, have a look on the school app – they were both lovely.



 SPaG & Maths Stars – another fab week!

Bea  Jennifer  Matthew  Seth  Noah  Darcie  Alisha 



As well as persevering in the kitchen with his fab dessert, Seth has been working with Harriet on a video where they used Makaton to sign the song “Tomorrow” from Annie the Musical. There were cameo roles on photos from many of their friends and watching the video made us shed a little tear! Well done, Team Morrell!



Noah’s enthusiasm and zest for learning have been outstanding the whole time that he has been learning at home. What a star!



Of course, these are only the things we have seen this week, but we are proud of every single one of you. Keep up the good work; please remember to help your families by following instructions and being kind and helpful. If there is one thing that you are proud of this week, send us a message (with or without a photo) so we can share your achievement with all our friends.

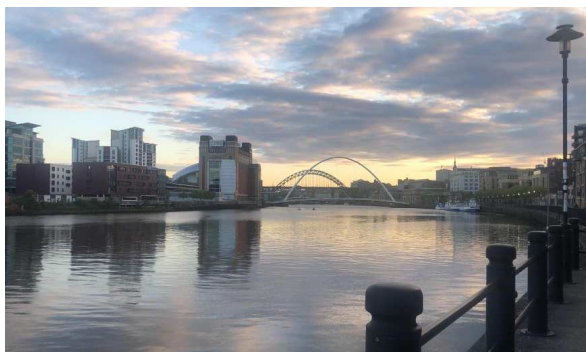
Mrs Elder – We have had a busy week! We celebrated Sam’s 2nd birthday on Friday. He was very excited to open his new train track and Duplo set. However, his favourite present was his balloon! He has carried it around for two days now and even attempted to take it into the bath! We had a lovely celebration in the garden with pizza and cake. Have any of you celebrated a birthday recently?

For our first walk that involved driving to somewhere to walk, we went to one of our favourite spots in Northumberland. It was a peaceful walk. Have you been anywhere different this week?



Miss Christie – I have had such a busy week clearing out at home and getting the garden ready for Summer. What do you enjoy doing outdoors?

Mrs Cresswell – this week we celebrated my nephew’s 21st birthday with a video call party. We had a family quiz based on the year he was born (can you work out the year?) and famous people called Alex. It was great fun and was going very well until we sang happy birthday to him, which he described as “horrendous!” It is so hard to keep the singing together but we tried our best. I’m sure you could all tell us some tales about the funniest thing that has happened on video calls to your friends and family. For our first walk that involved driving to somewhere to walk, we enjoyed an evening stroll while everywhere was quiet. Do you recognise where we were? On another of our walks, we spotted a strange creature hanging from the tree – have you created any paper chain creatures to entertain or scare people?



Please remember that if you want to view the photos, you need to look at this catch up letter in the Pupil Work folder.

Here's a little joke for you:

Knock, knock!

Who's there?

Annie.

Annie who?

Annie body home?



Hope to see you all soon, Mrs C, Miss C and Mrs E 😊

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