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# Newsletter

**22nd January 2021**

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have now reached the end of our third week of this period of lockdown and am sure we are all ready for some much-needed sunshine.

Remote learning continues to go well and I have had many positive conversations with parents this week. This way of learning is not an exact science and as you will be fully aware children react in many different ways to work set before them and from one day to the next. One day you may feel that things run perfectly and that you have the most perfect child, the next you are ready to throw in the towel. I would like to reassure you that these feelings are normal and that you will all be doing the most brilliant job in the circumstances. My advice would be, take each day at a time and do not put too much pressure on yourself or your child/ren. From our perspective, the work we set for you is very much under constant review and we strive to make it as accessible as possible.

With this in mind, we have set next Friday as a well-being day. Therefore, there will be reduced content within the classrooms next week to cater for this. Activities will be set for Friday to allow us all to lift our heads and think about ourselves and 'reset the barometer'. We will set the tone for the day with a whole school Google Meet at 9.15am, details to follow.

Thank you for all the photos sent in for the challenge this week. They are all truly impressive! The collage is further down the newsletter. If we do not have your entry on then please let us know and we will add it on next week. The challenge for next week is also below.

I have included a few additional activities that you may wish to take part in as a family. One is to do with the stars and space and one is to do with the garden and birds. Two of my favourite things.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend. Look after yourselves and each other.

Mr Whitehead  
Headteacher

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## Positive Covid Test

If you receive a positive Covid test out of school hours please email the Headteacher ASAP.

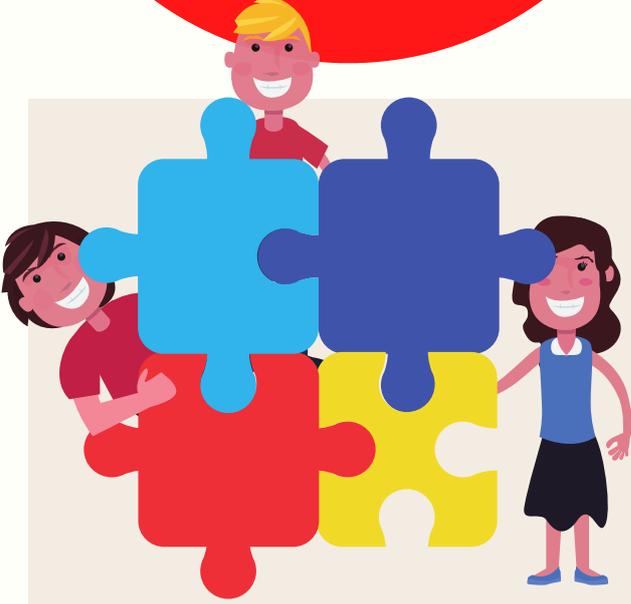
[headteacher@kildwickce.uk](mailto:headteacher@kildwickce.uk)

Thanks



## Birthdays

ESME, C4  
MIA, C4  
JULIET, C4



## WEEKLY CHALLENGE

We will be setting you a challenge to complete each week and will create a photomontage for the newsletter each week. At the end of this lockdown we will make a picture book of all the challenges set. Some will be easy, some will be silly, some will be artistic...any suggestions greatly received as well.

## CHALLENGE 2

**Egg Drop.** Drop an egg from the greatest height without breaking it. Protect it with items from around your home.

You can take photos / videos of the process and of the event and eventual result. There are lots of videos and ideas online. Please upload your pictures / videos to GC or email them into the school office.



# Congratulations

New addition to the Kildwick team...  
A big congratulations to Mrs Fordham who had her baby this week. Henry Daniel was born weighing 7lb 7oz. We are delighted to have some happy news and send big congratulations to Mr and Mrs Fordham. We can't wait to meet you Henry



The International Space station passes start again over UK today and continue through to early February. Visit the following website for times .

## [International Space Station](#)

Tonight it will pass over from 17.42 and is visible by the naked eye.



## Big Garden Birdwatch

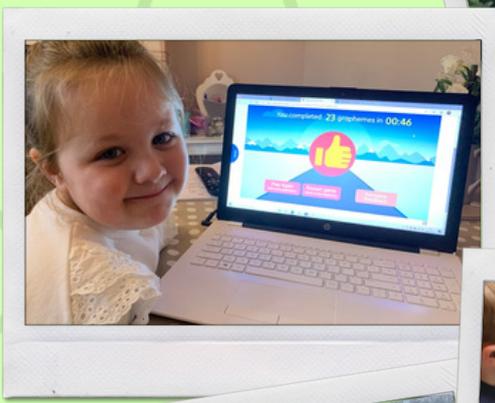
It would be great if as many of us could take part in the 'Big Garden Birdwatch'. Join the challenge by clicking on the link below and signing up. Think of ways to attract birds into your garden, for example make a bird feeder and make some fat balls to go in it!

## [Big Garden Birdwatch](#)

## Friday 29th Jan Wellbeing Day

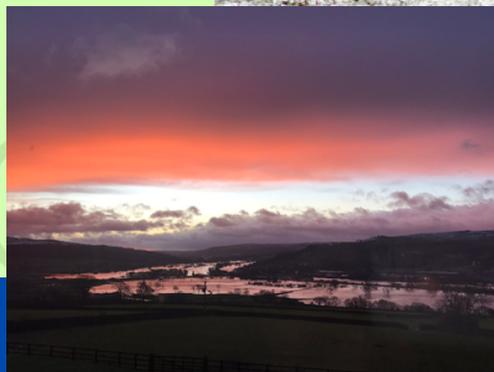
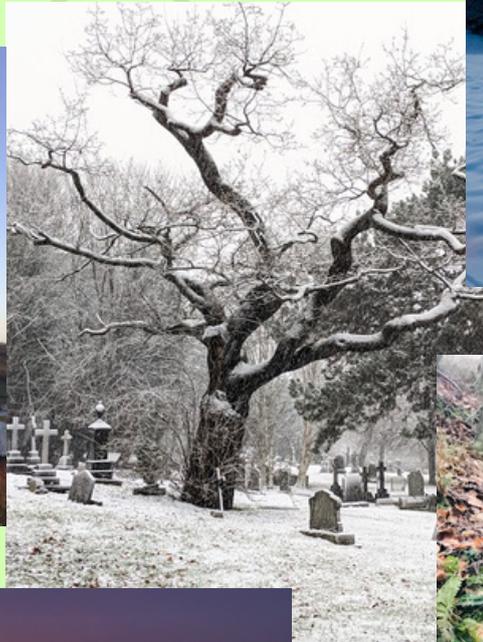
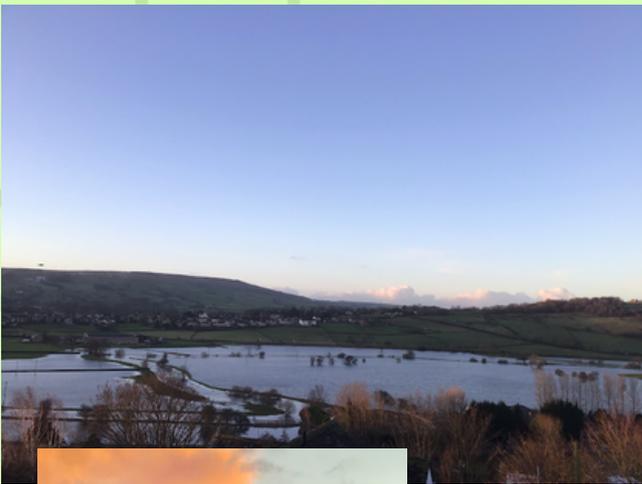
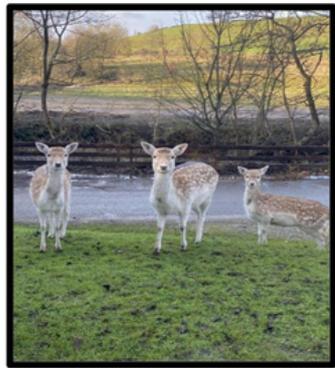
We appreciate that families are under a lot of pressure in the current situation. We have decided to have a wellbeing day next Friday which will not be a normal home school day or KW day in school. We will be setting activities to help you think about your well-being and mental health.





PHOTOS FROM LOCKDOWN.....

# Photo Challenge Week 1



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# Class Awards

## Class 1 – Robins

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VIOLET OSCAR DEXTER F  
PRIMROSE ALICE

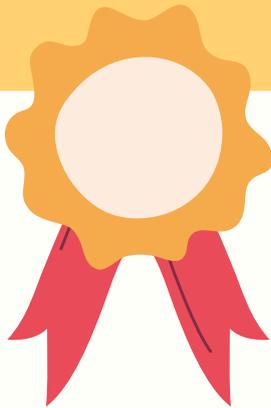


## Class 2 – Swallows

MATHEO HARRIS ESMAE  
EVELYN GEORGE L  
GEORGIA REX IMOGEN

## Class 3 – Kingfishers

HARRY W BILLY  
LOUIE S



## Class 4 – Owls

ELIZA FINLAY  
LOTTIE

## Class 5 – Eagles

MAISIE LILLIE SAM  
DAWUD

