

St Benedict Biscop Newsletter



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Value for Summer 2: Respect



This week we have begun to welcome back more children into school as the government changes the restrictions placed on us all during lockdown. It has been lovely to see the children arriving each day and a massive thank you to all our families for following the new instructions for drop off and collection. This has made us miss the children we are not yet able to see so our teachers will be trying to contact you all by phone each week to see how you are getting on. Please continue to contact teachers by email or phone and we will get back to you as quickly as we can. All of our teachers are now with a group each day so it is likely that responses may come after school hours. If you need paper copies of any of the online work please call the school office and we can arrange this for you.



Scarlett has been an absolute super star at home. She has enjoyed spending quality time with Mummy and Daddy. Here she is busy drawing a picture of her Daddy.

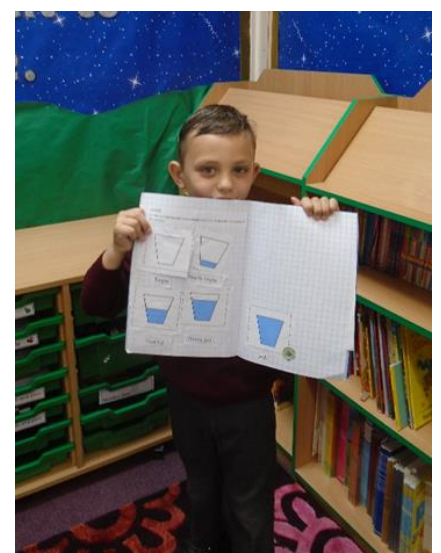
Leah has impressed us with her numeracy work this week. She has been confidentially counting 'more than' and has practised her careful counting, whilst doing some bug themed number sentences.



Mollie has been an absolute superstar with her phonics this week! She has challenged herself to independently write not just one, but three sentences! Well done Mollie, I am super proud of your writing. Keep up the fantastic work!



Bobby for coming back to school with a positive mental attitude, sharing his ideas with his classmates and working hard with his phonics sounds.





Katie for demonstrating a wonderful attitude to learning when returning to school, taking pride in her work at all times and working incredibly hard during home learning.

Scarlett has been working hard at home on both her schoolwork and helping out around the home. She has made a real effort to help her family around the house and has contributed every day to making family life easier.



Scarlett, we are so proud of you. You are an excellent example of living our Christian

values each and every day. What a mature attitude – we are sure your brilliant approach to these new challenges will inspire all of our children to continue helping out at home.

Darcey has worked incredibly hard while at home, whizzing through all of the home learning tasks she has been set. We were impressed to hear how focussed she has been and of her mature approach to her schoolwork. She has also stayed very active during lockdown making use of her creative ideas to keep her busy.



Darcey has even written a beautiful letter telling me all about all of her adventures during lockdown. This was such a kind and thoughtful thing to do. 😊

Thank you for thinking of me Darcey, your kindness brought a huge smile to my face. Miss Floyd and I miss you too.



Enzo has been working hard on his work at home which has also included doing lots of reading which was super to hear about. He has enjoyed learning some new French vocabulary and finding out even more information about Stonehenge which was part of one of our history topics earlier in the year. He has also been busy with his Lego Mindstorms and created this fantastic looking moving robot. Well done Enzo!

Maddie has been very busy at home, working hard especially with her reading and times tables. She has been doing lots of arts and crafts which she is thoroughly enjoying and she definitely has an artistic flair about her. She has been writing letters to her friends in her class and learning her favourite songs which she has then performed to her family – I had a lovely video of one of hers and Penny’s performances. Keep up the super work Maddie.



I am impressed with how hard Penny is working at home. She has been trying really hard to learn her times tables and also reading lots. She is enjoying doing some daily maths by Carol Vorderman. She has been going on daily walks and waving to friends in her class, even hiding painted rocks for others to find. She is loving doing lots of art work, using watercolours and oil pastels, which means she has already nearly filled a scrapbook with all her brilliant pictures. Brilliant work Penny, keep it up!

Eefei has been chosen for his continued effort and hard work towards his home learning. He especially likes creative writing; he has a fantastic imagination and has written many creative stories at home. Eefei also draws illustrations to go alongside his stories. Well done Eefei - you are a talented writer and it is lovely to see you doing so well. Eefei has also been exercising and riding his bike. Keep up the hard work 😊



I would like to share some of Ethan's work this week. I was impressed with the art work he produced that shows a good understanding of perspective and viewpoint. Well done Ethan!