



# Lanivet School Newsletter



## Weekly Awards



Teacher Focus	Mega Mathematician Magician	Wonderful Writer	Remarkable Reader
Poppy L Ava D Erin F Lacie M	Amber J-W Daniela C Kieran T	Jayden W Zac R-R Liam W William T	Joseph K Mase R

### A word from Mrs Bennett...

Thank you to everyone for your support and patience during the last week, it has been a worrying time for many of us. Whilst I am constrained by confidentiality, I will always aim to give you as much information as I can as quickly as I can. With a developing situation and differing guidance from authorities, this often means that there will be changes in the information that I provide to you. To clarify, we can welcome our Y1 and Y5 bubbles back into school on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> March. All other classes remain open. We currently have staff members that are fairly poorly and we will keep you updated on that situation. Wishing you all a good weekend. Stay safe.



### Our week at Lanivet...

**Dolphin Class** have continued to write their caterpillar diaries. The caterpillars are now very big and almost ready to form their cocoons. There has been a big focus on being a good friend in Dolphin Class this week, ending in a friendship display. Wild Warrior sessions started again, the class painted sticks to make boats and sent them down the river. There were lots of minibeast songs and rhythms with Mr Warwick too. **Otter Class** have done amazingly well with their story telling unit by reciting the story 'The Magic Brush' with actions. The children have got into the role of Chang and written a recount of the events in the story in the 1st person. They have also learnt how to use the formal written method for multiplication and can use it to solve problems. Today they created wonderful masks to be a superhero for Comic Relief. **Puffin Class** have had another tremendous week. They have learnt about endangered animals and the importance of looking after their habitats to protect them. They have conquered the tricky bus stop method of division and continued learning about all things Italian. **Hedgehog Class** have been learning about how animals have adapted to survive. They took the example of Darwin's finches and became birds for the afternoon! They used 'wooden spoon beaks' to see how easy or how difficult it was to pick up a collection of seeds and spaghetti (a substitute for sticks). They have a new-found admiration for birds after realising just how difficult it was! In Maths they have worked on finding the area of triangles and have been looking into arithmetic problems too. In English, they have been polishing their writing skills to build suspense and drama.



## Comic Relief

Thank you to everyone who participated in our non-uniform day today. It was great to see so many super heroes in class this morning!

The Comic Relief donation link for Lanivet School is still available if you have not had chance to donate yet. Our suggested donation for non-uniform day is £1, this can be paid via ParentPay using the link below. Please remember to claim Gift Aid so that Comic Relief gains the maximum benefit from your donation. This link will be live until 26<sup>th</sup> March so make sure you get your donation in before then. [ParentPay Comic Relief donation link](#)



## Home testing kits



If you're a member of a household, childcare bubble or support bubble of staff or a pupil you can get a twice-weekly test:

- through your employer if they offer testing to employees
- at a local test site
- by collecting a home test kit from a test site
- by ordering a home test kit online

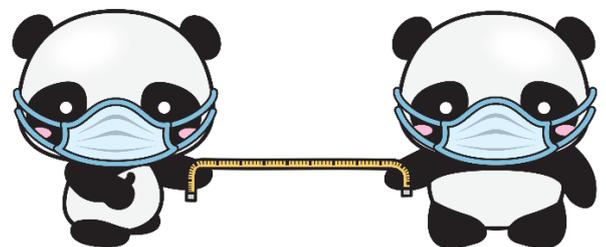
To find out more about where and how you can access testing, please head to our website and read the Lateral Flow Testing Guide:

[Lateral Flow Testing Guide](#)

Important: Please remember, a negative result just means the test did not find signs of coronavirus. But this does not guarantee you do not have coronavirus, so you should keep following all coronavirus advice including regular handwashing, social distancing and wearing a face covering.

## Staying safe

Now that schools are open, it's more important than ever to abide by the government guidance and keep community transmission rates low. Government guidance was updated on the 8<sup>th</sup> March to include outdoor recreation. You can now spend time in outdoor public spaces for recreation on your own, with your household or support bubble, or with **one** other person. You must continue to maintain social distance from those outside your household.



Please avoid the park when it is busy, as it often is after the school pick up. If you are using the park, you must ensure that you are only with your household and no more than one other person. A minimum of two metres distance should be kept from all others. Thank you.

## Childminder with vacancies

Most of you will already know the lovely Kate! She has asked us to let you know that she has some child minding spaces come up, both before and after school.

You can get in touch with her by email on [kate.elliott72@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kate.elliott72@yahoo.co.uk)

## Easter Holidays

The last day of this term is Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> April. We will be finishing our school day using the usual staggered times between 2:45 and 3:05.



## Cardinham School vacancies

Cardinham School are looking for two Teaching Assistants: one full time (30 hours) in KS2 one part time (hours to be negotiated) in EYFS. Both positions will be permanent variable hours contracts. They are looking to appoint two energetic, kind and enthusiastic teaching assistants who will take a pro-active role in supporting the educational, social and physical needs of our pupils. The successful candidates will support the delivery of the curriculum, providing practical assistance to the class teacher in the teaching of small group work, and class activities. The position also includes lunch-time cover at the Lunchtime Supervisor rate of £8.96ph. Find out more and apply [here](#).

