

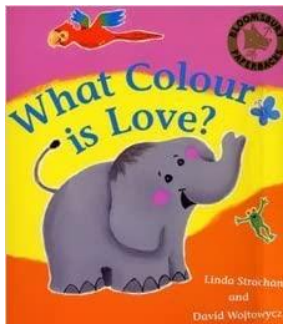
Tuesday 24th March 2020

Dear Children

Good afternoon. I hope you are all doing well and starting to get a little bit used to a new way of working. It is a very strange feeling having a nearly empty school. It is not the same without you all here and we miss you all lots.

I have been writing to your Mums and Dads a lot over the last few days and wanted now to write you. Some of you will be able to read this yourselves and some will need someone to read it with you. It does not matter which.

Love & Care

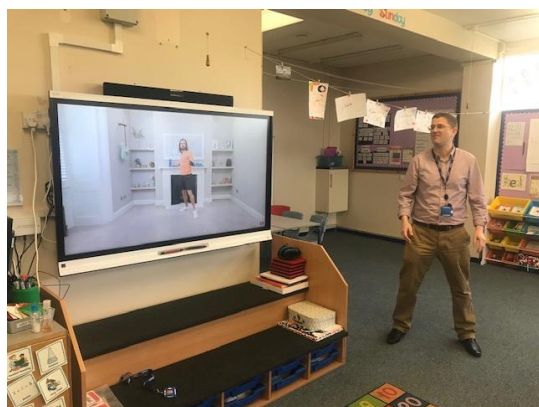


On Friday I read you one of my favourite books – What Colour is Love? At the end of the story we learn that love is very colour and everywhere. We also heard some important words from the bible about how love is; kind, caring, and forgiving. I know you are all doing a super job of showing love to your friends and family. Well done and thank you.

To show this to your villages why not paint a, multi-coloured rainbow or picture. When it is dry, you could put it in a window so other people can see it. If you go for a walk around your village you could see how many you could spot. You can also take a picture and send it to me. I would love to see them.

Keeping Active

I know how much you all love to keep active and you still can. Lots of you have been joining Joe Wicks each morning for his exercise routine. Even I joined in this morning (see picture below). Try and get in your gardens or out for a walk with an adult.



Keeping in Touch

I will keep writing to your Mums and Dads when there is news to share and I will also keep writing to you while school is closed. We will put news onto our website news section which you can find at -

<http://follifootandspofforth.co.uk/>

Keeping Busy

I have really enjoyed looking at the pictures of you keeping busy with your learning at home. You are all doing a great job with this, well done. As well as the ideas the staff are sending you this is a great time to follow your own interests and projects.

I know a few of you have already earned a Blue Peter badge. Did you know there are actually 8 badges in total that you can earn? Have a look at -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/joinin/about-blue-peter-badges>

Lets see how many children can earn a badge. Can anyone get all 8?

Easter Competition



It would not be Easter at our schools without our decorated egg competitions. We would like to keep this going including giving prizes. You can still decorate an egg or eggs as you usually would and take a photo to send to us.

We will judge them and award a prize for the winner in each year group at each school. We will then deliver or arrange a collection point for prizes.

If you don't have any eggs to spare do not worry you can draw your design and this will be judged the same as designs with real eggs. Your parents know where to send the pictures to and we will try to share some of them on the website. I am eggtrremely eggcited to see your eggtries. Good luck.

Final thought....

'In a world where you can be anything be kind.'

A lot of parts of our lives are very different at the moment. I am sure you are missing your friends and some of the usual things you do. Some days you might be fed up. Even when you are try to be kind to everyone. Everyone is doing their best.

Take care and I will write again soon.

Best wishes.

Mr Griffiths