

Forest Approach News

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Message from the Head teacher:

Dear Parents / Carers

This week has been an interesting one weather wise, hopefully you've all been able to enjoy some fresh air and sunshine in between the rain!

We've been busy here at the school, our classrooms and shared areas are looking amazing and we can't wait to welcome you all back on it is safe to do so.

Google classroom is being updated regularly for all your home learning and if you have done any work at home that you would like to share with us on the newsletter or social media, please do send a picture of it for us to use.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Stay Safe.

Kind Regards,

Mary Bickmore



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Message from Havering Health and Sports Development Team

The Virtual Games is an initiative driven by London Youth Games in a bid to get all young people taking

As a borough, Havering are currently sitting in 11th place but we are only 27 points behind so we will be looking to climb further up the table by the end of this week as we rally up more participants.

Go on line here

<https://www.londonyouthgames.org/virtual-games/> to check out the challenges for this week and see if you can help us get Havering further up the chart!



National School Sport Week 2020

The annual National School Sport Week

campaign takes place in the last week of June every year to celebrate the important role of Physical Education and school sport in enhancing young people's wellbeing.

This year, the Youth Sport Trust has teamed up with Sky Sports to run a national campaign which will aim to unite the country – families, schools, sport and businesses – in a celebration of the power of sport to bring people together, even during isolation.



Learning Disability Week

Learning Disability Week 2020 will take place online from **15 to 21 June**. The theme of the week is **the importance of friendships during lockdown**



Family Fund Update

The current Covid pandemic has made life much harder for many families, not only in terms of managing your child's needs during the lockdown period, but also financially.

I am sure that many of you will be aware of the charity 'Family Fund', who provide help to families raising a child with special educational needs and/or a disability. They provide grants for a range of items including short breaks and days out, clothing, computers and tablets, kitchen appliances and sensory toys. The organisation has put extra measures in place to ensure they can continue to support families throughout this crisis, and are now able to accept applications once every nine months where previously it was twelve, as long as your family remains eligible. For those families who are already using the fund, I know that this change will be welcomed. For any families who are unsure whether they are eligible to apply I would encourage you to click on this link to their website, where all the relevant information can be found: <https://www.familyfund.org.uk/>



POP of Positivity

We are so proud of our students and what they have achieved over the course of the past few months.

- Chloe has been growing some wonderful fruit and vegetables
- Ayaoluwa has been making soap in the garden with her sister and made a picture using dried petals
- Roxanne has been learning to ride her bike without her stabilizers. We are SO proud of her!
- Yash has been working out with Jo Wicks and helping his parents by cleaning the car.
- Chloe has also finished completing her under the sea project

