

Friday 3rd July 2020

Springside School Weekly Newsletter



Head Teachers' Message:

I am aware there have been some references on ITV news programs over the last few days, in relation to the possibility of a lockdown happening in Rochdale as has happened in Leicester. We have received a letter from the LA to assure us as it stands, Rochdale will not be having a local lockdown.

The Government released guidance yesterday for September, based on a strategy of limiting contact between learners and implementing hygiene measures. The way Schools implement these measures will differ based on their individual circumstances in relation to their Whole School Community. I have several meetings next week with the LA and SEND team to identify what this may look like for us at Springside and will feed back to you as soon as I can .

Thank you for your continued patience, support and sharing of ideas via the survey.
Melody

GOOD NEWS AND WOW MOMENTS!



*On Tuesday's Monkey class zoom session
Brandon and Noyon both did amazing
matching to shapes!*

*On Tuesday's Ducklings zoom session,
Raky was a super role model brushing her
teeth.*

*On Thursday's Ducklings zoom session,
both Musa and Brayden were so calm and
responsive during the nursery rhyme
massages*

*Caterpillars - El Nathan for wonderful
participation in Wednesday's Music
session, singing and playing his own
tapping sticks*

*Butterflies - Furqan - for brilliant
responses whilst joining in his 'Seaside
Walk' Sensory story massage.*

*Wallabies - Jayden for making and using a
super sock puppet!*

REMINDER

Our Leavers Celebration Picnic will be taking place on Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th July. You will have received an email/letter invite, please remember to reply via email or phone school to secure your place!



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Experiential Phase

This week we have continued to have fun over zoom with our families in each of the classes in Experiential phase. It's not too late to join the fun!

We have also seen some of our lovely learners in their gardens this week too for sensory story times, and music sessions. Keep your fingers crossed that the rain stops so we can carry on with our garden fun!

Becky Drury



Exploratory Phase

I have been in lots more transition zoom sessions this week with learners joining the Exploratory phase in September. Exploratory learners continue to access zoom sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays, some learners have joined bubbles and some learners have had their first garden interventions with familiar staff. A huge thank you to parents, carers and families for being so supportive of staying connected with us in a virtual/distanced way.

Olivia Brougham-Robinson

Phase Lead



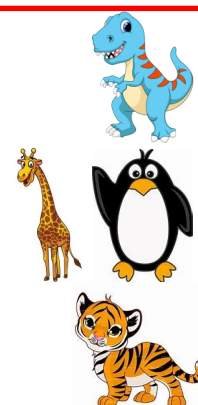
Investigative Phase

We welcomed Archie into school this week.

Lots of new zoomers too! Marlon and Yameen from Giraffes

Louise Binns

Phase Lead



HEALTH AND SAFETY



Reminder that staff members are not permitted to enter the homes of the learners

Also, those learners who have returned to the building please refrain from bringing items into School to reduce the risk of cross contamination