

This newsletter is full of amazing work from some of the children at Plumcroft. We wanted to celebrate some of the fantastic activities and learning taking place at home and in school. Your teachers are extremely proud of all your hard work.

Challenges

Here are some photos from children who have carried out the challenges from this video. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9e-IYLFbpJk&feature=emb_logo</u>











Which challenges will you try? Remember to send your videos and pictures to: snicol@plumcroft.greenwich.sch.uk

Pup-date with Inca

Hi everyone,

Inca is now 8 months old and doing incredibly well. By now she would have been in school learning all her new jobs and getting to know all of you; instead she has been helping us out at home, doing similar things she will do when we all see each other again. She has been out with us doing

PE sessions in the garden – playing football and fetch – listening to James reading, so that he can finish his book and do his Accelerated Reader quiz and helping Mr Burton to barbeque

(although I think she was more interested in eating than cooking!).

She has also been providing much-needed cuddles, when we feel a bit overwhelmed or when we are missing our friends – she is going to be so good at this really important job when we come back to school. Inca and I hope you are all keeping safe and well at home. Keep practising your reading because she will love listening to you read to her when we come back.

Love from Mrs Burton and Inca





Wallace and Gromit's Cracking Ideas - National Competition

As part of the Inventions topic, Year 4 children were asked to come up with their own creative ideas for inventions. Some of these were submitted into a national competition entitled Wallace and Gromit's Cracking Ideas National Competition. Out of the hundreds of entries they received, a pupil

from class 4J, Dominic Marday, has won the main prize. The judging panel decided that Dominic's entry 'Litteration', ticked all the boxes and is a

worthy winner. His submission will now feature in the new Wallace and Gromit augmented reality adventure, released later in 2020.

Purple Mash are running a Game Design Competition

Why not get creative in your spare time and design a 3D maze game using 2DIY on PurpleMash?

Three categories for competition:

1. Family Category: Design a game with your family. (Win a gift voucher to any Merlin Group Attraction)

2. Individual Child: Design a game by yourself (Win a £50 Amazon gift voucher)

3. School Group: For children of essential workers taking part in school.

(Maximum of 5 in group who will each win £20 gift card with the school winning a one year free license to Purple Mash)

Children need to submit their work to the Display Board for the category they are entering. Don't use names or personal information as part of your design as the display boards will be visible to the public.



EID Eid Mubarak to all families who have been

celebrating. We look forward to a wonderful Plumcroft Eid celebration in 2021!

Ruby is fundraising for The Little Princess Trust

The Little Princess Trust is a charity that provides real hair wigs to children and young adults suffering hair loss. Having spent a very long time growing her hair, Ruby (5HW) has decided to have it cut and donate her hair to this amazing charity. Any money raised will go towards to cost of making the wigs. If you would to donate, please

see the link below: <u>https://www.justgiving.com/</u> <u>fundraising/rubyslocks</u> Sharing hair with children and young people experiencing the devastating effects of hair loss is an amazing thing to do. So, well done Ruby!



Get creative with Woolwich Carnival

How to make a toss and catch toy: <u>https://youtu.be/fIWpEX90k9c</u>

How to make a carnival mask: https://youtu.be/vruPI4NO35A



Congratulations to Mrs Bonner on the birth of her beautiful baby boy, Arthur. A lovely little brother for Albert. Also, a huge congratulations to Miss Mayo who had a little girl called Kayla. All are doing well.

Have you learnt how to juggle yet?

Mr Slade has written to the Guinness Book of Records to see if Plumcroft can go for the largest group of children juggling in the world! Check out Mr Slade in action:

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Home Learning

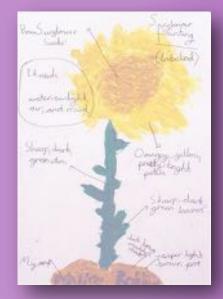
Rheia (RS) has created a treasure map.





Alfie (5LM) created a great piece of artwork as part of the Nightingale Project.

Alice (2M) has made a picture of a sunflower for the Spring Topic.





Logan (5M) handmade bunting for VE Day.



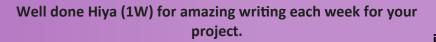
Blessing (Nursery) completed her challenge of spending pennies in a shop and writing a shopping list.



Mason (3A) has created an amazing lion out of recycled materials. He used old polystyrene packaging, newspaper and old insulation materials.

Thank you to Year One pupils who have been sending us fantastic writing about the human skeleton. Here is one example:

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This is Riccardo's (RG) piece of independent writing for the Lego Ninjago magazine.



As part of Year 4's Recycling Project , Sophie (4A) created a model of a castle.



Tom Gates inspired art work by Marley (3G).



Damarni (6H) created a Roman Empire Poster as part of his 'Roman History and Mystery' project.



Rainah (RS) looks fabulous as a Superhero!





Louie (3G) carried out a science experiment and turned a flower blue!

Edith (1H) has been busy at home making models out of clay.

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Miracle's (6B) invention design from Year 6 "Inventors and Inventions" MyOn project.



Sebastian's (RA) drawing of a monster.



Asher (2N) has drawn and labelled a healthy plate.



Elias (4S) has created his structure out of recycled materials.



Brodie's (5M) picture of the Solar System.

Learning at school

Over the last few weeks, some of our children with EHC plans have been attending Plumcroft. They have settled really well into their new classrooms and have been showing off their creative skills. We have been giving out some gold stickers too. The adults have all been very impressed!



Year 2 have been busy making Rock Pools.



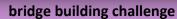
Year 5 & 6 have been creating...

Year 3 & 4 have created flower pictures.





geometric art



information posters



Reception and Year 1 were busy creating a rainbow to show appreciation for the NHS.