

Daily Messages 28th April 2020

Hi children,

Firstly, how lovely it was to see some of you on the video you made, we really do miss seeing you all and coming to school on a daily basis. I know some classes have received a phone call from their teachers this week, don't worry SLC, I will be in school tomorrow so will be ringing for a catch up, I can't wait to hear your voices. Today I am having a chill day, my house can't be any tidier and all my washing is done. I am going to do a few jobs for school and then maybe watch a good film.

Take care,

Miss Kendall x ekendall@handale.rac.sch.uk

Good afternoon Year 2,

I loved speaking to you yesterday, it made me so happy to hear your voices again and find out what you have been up to. It made me miss you even more but I left school yesterday with the biggest smile on my face and that was because of all of you. I really am so proud of you all and everything that you are achieving throughout this time - you are a credit to our school. If I haven't managed to contact you yet, don't worry, it is on my list of jobs for tomorrow. You are obviously all working so hard and your families are also doing a great job helping to teach you.

Why don't you try and set yourself a target to achieve something you know you want to get better at? Seb sent me some beautiful pictures yesterday of his joined handwriting and it blew me away. Over the last couple of weeks, Seb set himself a challenge as he knew he needed to work hard to improve his handwriting and he has managed to do just that, I was very impressed. Why don't you try it? I would love you to email me the challenge that you have set yourself and then you can focus your mind to achieve it. I believe in you all and I think you can achieve whatever you would like to as long as you work hard.

Take care, miss you all and I look forward to hearing from some more of you this week.

Miss Price xx rprice@handale.rac.sch.uk

Good morning Year 1,

I hope you are well. I have to say, it was wonderful yesterday talking to so many of you! Hearing your voices made me feel really happy. I hope you could hear the smile in my voice. What made me even happier was hearing about all the things you've been doing, how you've been keeping busy and all the learning that's happening. It's wonderful to know that you've been working on the tasks and making them your own.

The Alien and Space topic is one of my favourite topics. I love finding out about the planets, the sun and the sky at night. How many planets are there? What are their names? Which is the largest planet? Which is the coldest planet? Is the sun a planet or a star? These are just some of the questions you could find answers to. I hope you enjoy finding out facts about space.

I also love getting your messages and was really happy to receive some more after the phone calls yesterday, so please keep sending them.

I'm going to make a really tasty curry today. I haven't had a curry in a long time and I love making them so I will treat myself to one. I'm very good at making them because my mother taught me when I was a little girl. I used to help her with the cooking and it was my favourite time spent with her, learning about spices and how to cook them.

Have a lovely day,

Love Miss Khanam xx rkhanam@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hi Year 3

It has been lovely to talk to some of you today. If I didn't manage to get hold of you, I will try again later in the week. It was lovely to hear what you have all been getting up to. I would love to see pictures of the things you were telling me about. My email is below and I would love to hear from you all again.

Mrs Porter

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Hello Nursery Children,

Mrs Lister said she had seen a fabulous video on YouTube yesterday. She showed it to us and we couldn't believe it, we saw lots of children from nursery and pre-nursery. It was so lovely to see you all again we have missed you so much. Mrs Lister is in school again today so we have stayed at home with John. He let us have a treat before he started work. He allowed us sit in his chair and try on his headset. He showed us all the things he needs to do his job, it was very interesting. He said he didn't need our help when he started work though, so we went to play downstairs.

Love from

Morning Floppy and Afternoon Floppy xx clister@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hi Year 4,

It's been lovely to see some of your photos and work this morning. Thank you for that. When we get back to school, I am going to share Freddie's poem with you all, it really made me laugh and was excellent. Findlay has also created an amazing adventure story, he remembered all of the Year 4 skills and even created a story mountain first, which made me proud. Today I've done a Joe Wicks workout and have completed a lot of work. I hope you're all working hard. My challenge today is to see how many words you can make using the letters from the words 'Handale Primary School'. I wonder who can make the most words and who can make the biggest.

Mr Farrier rfarrier@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hello Year 6

I hope that you are well and doing fine. The weather appears to be changing a bit but as I write this message things are still fine(ish). Keep yourselves busy and keep your learning moving forward. I certainly look forward to coming back to school properly and maybe next week we may know a little bit more but I am unsure. Fingers crossed. We have been in for a long time and it would be nice to return to some kind of normality some time in the near future.

If you take yourself to BBC Bitesize <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize> you will find that they are putting on a daily lesson each day and you can select Year 6 from the drop down menu followed by start lesson to engage yourself in that. Today the learning focus is on: short and long multiplication, commas brackets and dashes and The World. So there is a bit of maths, English and geography on there for you. It is well worth a visit so please give it a try and of course tell me what you think.

Take care all of you.

Mr Emmerson

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Hello Year 5,

I hope you're all staying well and safe.

As the weather has been a little miserable today, my daughter and I have been in the kitchen baking- what could go wrong, right? As it happens, we ended up making some pretty darn good millionaires shortbread... here's a picture of it.



Here's my challenge to you- make something really yummy and scrumptious in the kitchen and email me a picture. We can have a little competition amongst ourselves to see who we can crown Year 5's star baker.

Stay safe,

Mr Bell lbell@handale.rac.sch.uk

Hello Reception Children

Hope everyone had a good day yesterday and started the week off working on some tasks in your packs. Remember if you want to email me that is fine and if you want to ask me anything just ask a grown up to drop me an email and I will do my best to get back to you as soon as possible.

I have been in school today and had a fantastic time telephoning you all! I worked my way down the register having a lovely chat to some of you. I even managed to wave at one little boy and I was so pleased to see his lovely face! If I didn't catch you don't worry as I left a message saying that I am back in school on Friday and will try again.

Take care of yourself and keep safe

With Love

Mrs Skirving xx eskirving@handale.rac.sch.uk

Mrs Tyson has been busy ringing you all today, her messages will continue tomorrow.