

River Mead School



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Our school latest news: <http://www.rivermead.wilts.sch.uk/news-dates/latest-news>

Our Twitter feed: [@TweetRiverMead](https://twitter.com/TweetRiverMead)

Find us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/River-Mead-School-728064724207622/>

STAY AT HOME 

PROTECT THE NHS

 **save lives**

Dear Parents and Carers

As you will have heard the Prime Minister has made an announcement about future plans including the phased re-opening of schools. Like you we watched this, and at this stage we cannot answer your questions and are awaiting further information from the government. I have sent you an e-mail via 'in-touch' to make this clear.

Briefly, for now, nothing has changed and we will update you as soon as possible. I must reiterate that I take the safety and wellbeing of your children our families and staff very seriously and any planned return will be done so in a careful, planned and considered way.

We will continue to support your home learning online and should you require additional paper learning packs these will be available (weather permitting) outside of the school building where you can collect them safely, considering social distancing measures.

It is important that whenever possible we continue to stay at home and stay safe – this strategy has been successful and supported the NHS and others to help us all.

Stay safe everyone!

Best Wishes

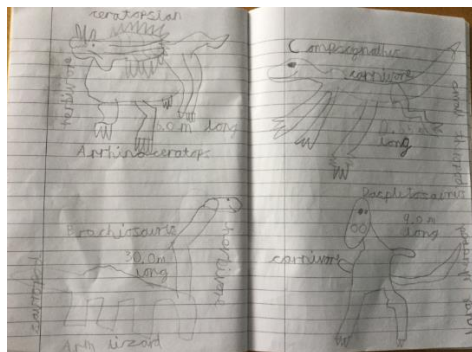
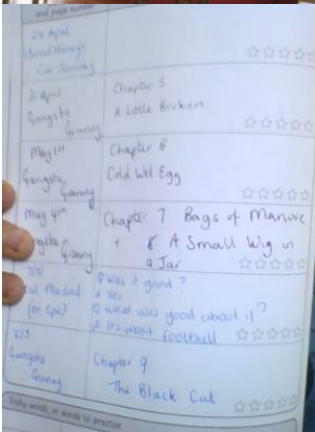
Mrs Karen Austin

Year 2 in- focus!

This week we are celebrating some of the amazing home learning from Year 2. Please remember the expectation is that you only do what you can all manage. If you have extra activities, or are working on paper or in books that is all ok! If you add in some extra physical activity or you have a baking or making session, or you snuggle on the sofa together for a film they are just as important for your well-being! We are proud of everything you do 😊.

DINOSAUR NON CHRONOLOGICAL REPORT PLAN

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Calling all young film makers

The Childnet Film Competition is now in its 11th year and is open to all young people based in the UK. The challenge is to create a positive, short online safety film or a storyboard with a script in response to this year's theme. This year's theme is We want an internet where we're free to....

You can find out more details here -

<https://www.childnet.com/resources/film-competition/2020>



Star of the week

We will continue to celebrate 'Star of the Week, teachers are looking at your online learning and the other super activities you are doing and for those still with us, your work and activities in school too!

This week we are celebrating;

- **Otters** – Finley P (Nursery)
- **Magpies** – Faith
- **Frogs** – Dylan
- **Hérons** – Archie
- **Kestrels** – Faye
- **Badgers** – William T
- **Buzzards** – Taylor
- **In-school** – Sky (Beehive)

Remember to celebrate at home and make it special!



We know this is a difficult time for many and through our Wiltshire Wellbeing Hub we are working hard to ensure the most vulnerable in our community get the support they need.

If you need support, or know someone who does, the Wiltshire Wellbeing Hub can be contacted on 0300 003 4576 or by email at wellbeinghub@wiltshire.co.uk

The hub is open Monday to Friday, 8am – 8pm and weekends, 10am – 4pm. So far, we have contacted more than 8,000 people and delivered more than 600 food parcels, so please get in touch if you need to.



#WiltshireTogether

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No one should feel unsafe in their own home –

If you're a victim of domestic abuse help is available 24/7

Spiltz – 01225 775276 (weekdays)
Swindon Domestic Abuse Support Service –
out of hours call 01793 610 610

#STOPABUSE



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