

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to Spring 2; I'm hoping you have all managed to have a restful holiday and stayed safe and well. We are obviously all now 'back to learning' and our various home-learning Zoom lessons and Google Classroom lessons have all started up again for last week and this week.

As per the Government's announcement last week, school will be re-opening for all children on Monday 8th March. We are very much looking forward to having everyone back in school with us.

I will be sending out a separate letter this week detailing the extra precautions we will be putting in place however we will be continuing to have staggered drop-off and pick-up times for the different year groups. I am also asking that ALL parents are wearing face coverings during drop-off/pick-ups and that everyone sticks to our one-way systems to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Regards, Ms Helm

WELL DONE TO EVERYONE FOR THEIR



"NORTH BECKTON meets JUNIOR BAKE-OFF" ENTRIES



It looks like you all had lots of fun making (and eating!) your cakes. Please see all the cakes on our website under the 'home learning' tab.

Keep up the baking.



OUR SCHOOL LIBRARY SERVICE IS OPEN: COME AND COLLECT SOME BOOKS!

We are opening the North Beckton library service for our home learners to come and choose books to take and read at home. The library service will be open every **Monday and Tuesday** from 9:30am- 2:30pm. **This week we will also be open on Thursday as it is World Book Day.**



There is an exciting 10 week online gardening programme called **In the Potting Shed** and led by **Project Green Thumb** (who are based in Beckton)

The programme is below and is on **Wednesdays, 3-4pm.**

Weekly workshops will include tutorials, planting, growing and sharing:

Week 1 - To plant a garden is to believe in tomorrow

Week 2 - What kind of gardener are you?

Week 3 - Sowing the seeds

Week 4 - The secrets to your gardening success

Week 5 - Gardening on a shoe string

Week 6 - Growing a medicine garden

Week 7 - Working on the wild side

Week 8 - Incredible edibles

Week 9 - Gardening through the seasons

Week 10 - Where we go from here

Please book your place on Eventbrite:

<https://inthepottingshed.eventbrite.co.uk>

The programme is free and for adults.

For more information please contact Anna Yusuf from East Ham Community Neighbourhood Team:

020 3373 0827 / email: Anna.Yusuf@newham.gov.uk

Our 'Thought for the Week'

This week in our assemblies, we will be thinking about:

DO THE LITTLE THINGS:

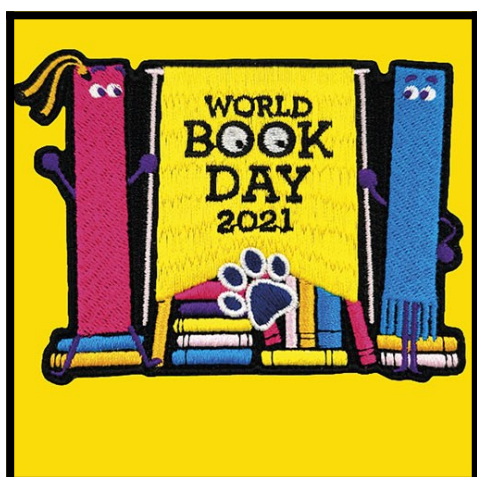
RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

Why do the little things matter in life?

What are the little things we can do to be kinder to each other?

How can we do the little things as a class?

What are the little things we can do during lockdown?



This Thursday is **WORLD BOOK DAY**.

Your class teachers will be explaining more about the plan for the day on Thursday's zoom however it will involve lots of reading and lots of books!

Returning to School: Keeping us safe

- * We will continue to have staggered drop-off and pick-up times for different year groups.
- * We will have the windows/doors open and lots more outside learning; please send your children in with coats/school fleeces.
- * Please use our one-way systems for drop-off and pick-ups and please do not 'loiter' around the school gates or in the playground.
- * Please do not come off the allocated path and approach the classroom doors; we have our home-school communication books if you need to share messages with the teachers.
- * Please **DO NOT** send your child in if they (or anyone in your household) has covid symptoms.