



Hello you lovely lot,

What have you all been up to? I hope you are using your time off to enjoy some sunshine and read a few books. I have been busy weeding in the garden, what have you been doing in your garden playing games, sunbathing, reading perhaps? Maybe you are doing the 3 o'clock stop? I hope so; reading really helps build your knowledge and fires your imagination, maybe you're writing some of your own stories too? I've been reading a scary story that I couldn't put down until I'd finished it. Now I'm reading the Minpins by Roald Dahl he's definitely one of my favourite authors.....who is your favourite author?

I have also been phoning and messaging my family and friends, it is so important to keep in touch with loved ones at the moment especially people who are on their own, it's really good to hear their voices. I'm just about to send some Easter cards. I love getting post maybe you could write to someone and tell them how much you love them. You could write a letter to me at school or keep a diary and tell me what exciting things you have done, I would love to read your letter or diaries when you come back to school.

Last week Mr Mountcastle put some extra links on the home learning page of our school website. One of them was White Rose maths which has provided daily maths lessons for each year group. This looks good and it provides a worksheet to go with the lesson. I have also added everyone onto abacus maths and allocated activities and games for you to practice at home. Go to <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk> click login and enter your username. Your username is your first name and initial of your last name with no spaces, so for me it is sharond, the password for everyone is **fun** and the school code is **vdst**. (For a few of you your username is a capital letter to start like this Sharond).

This week is a very special week, it is called Holy Week. You could try to read the Easter story at home or there is a video on YouTube you can watch <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HL8R158Ujp4>

Keep yourselves safe and well and have a lovely Easter.

Love from,

Mrs Danby and Mrs Willows.