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HEADTEACHER'S AWARD

Kasilese M-C —Year 5

Well Done!

Attendance Winners

Whole School— 95.7%
Winners—Nursery —100%
and Year 4—98.9%

House Points Winners

Winter—363 points
Well Done!



PUPILS OF THE WEEK

Last week the Pupils of the Week were :

Nur: Sylvia M-T
Rec: Blake H
Yr 3: Nainika J
Yr 4: Reagan B
Yr 5: Harley M
Yr 6: Edie J

Wow Workers of the Week

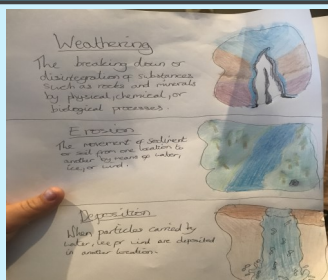
Rec: Archie S
Yr 3: Lily M
Yr 4: Kendall C
Yr 5: Charlie M
Yr 6: Luke B

Safety First

It is with regret that we have decided to postpone our planned Summer Fair, which was going to be held on Thursday 22nd July. This decision was not taken lightly and has been made with everyone's safety in mind. We have also reviewed our Transition arrangements – details of which will be on next week's newsletter. The aim is continue to keep Bubbles as protected as possible over the last two weeks, to lessen the chance of isolation for anyone. Thank you for your understanding. We hope to be able to host a similar event in the Autumn Term.

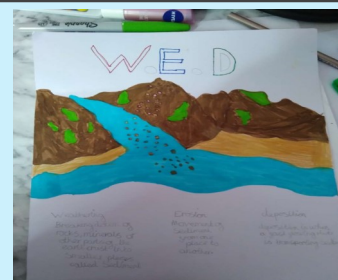
It has been very quiet in school this week with our KS1 and UKS2 Bubbles closed. It has been lovely seeing some of the home learning that has been going on and, again, are very proud of the children (and parents) for the way they have adapted to this difficult situation. We are very excited to be welcoming these Bubbles back on Monday 5th July.

Year 6 Geography



In Geography we have been looking at changes to the coastlines and features that are formed by erosion and deposition.

We were asked to design an information poster about this using as much technical language as possible.



Parents/Carers of Year 6 Pupils

As part of our commitment to providing support with transition, we are offering all **Year 6** parents/carers the opportunity to attend a workshop on '**Transition & Anxiety**'. This focuses on practical suggestions for parents to help to support their children through their transition to high school. The session will be delivered by Zoom and will be led by a Mental Health in Schools Practitioner through the Calderdale Open Minds Partnership (CAMHS).

Please look out for further information, and invitation and joining instructions which will follow.

Church Links

This week in Collective Worship the children learnt about Koinonia.

Year 3

Year 3 loved their maths lesson on Time last week. Working in a partnership they had to complete a series of activities, timing each one in seconds using the iPad.



Nursery—Cheese Pie Thursday!

Maisy Mouse returned to nursery to have a teeny, tiny, tasty piece of cheese pie from Mrs Butlers kitchen!

The children sat quietly at dinner time in hopes that Maisy might come out of her house. The cheese pie went missing and we heard some squeaking in the kitchen.

We found Maisy Mouse with her cheese pie in the kitchen! The children were so excited!



Year 6 Zoom

We had a Zoom with the 'Dogs Trust'. We had fun learning all about their work.



Year 1 Zoom

Year 1 had a Zoom meeting on Wednesday. 7 children and their parents attended along with 4 staff.

We played some games such as finding objects around the house, drawing a picture of yourself whilst your paper was on your forehead, and I spy!

The children told us what they had been doing and what they had planned for the day after tackling their online learning, Matthew was going to chill, Verity had made a doll's house and Alexia-Mae has been watching Luca - the Disney film!

We all sent a big heart to each other and we look forward to seeing them all on Monday!

Internet Safety

We are aware that some children are accessing inappropriate content on YOUTUBE. Below is a step by step guide to restricting content. Parents can access lots more support and safety tips by visiting the following websites.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/>

<https://www.internetmatters.org/issues/>

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/>

<https://www.barnardos.org.uk/online-safety>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

Features and Benefits

Restricted Mode is an opt-in setting that helps screen out explicit and adult content to protect your children when they use YouTube. It also screens out comments on all videos your child watches. This setting only applies to this app on this device.

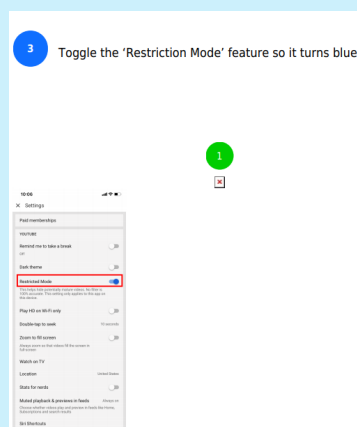
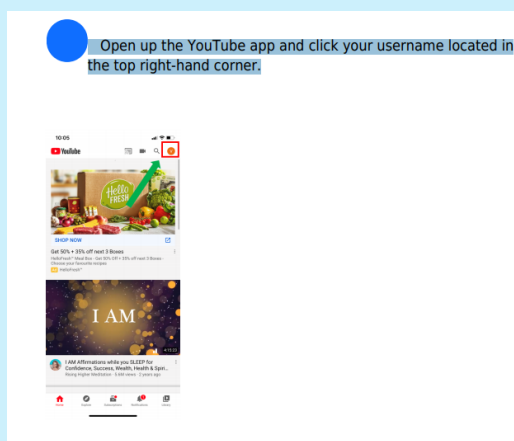
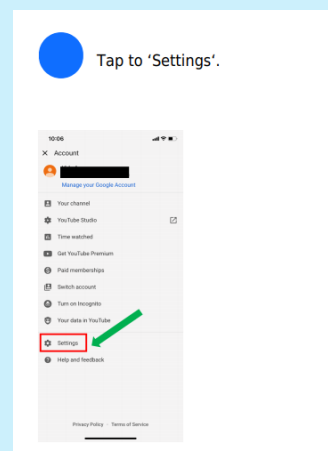
What specific content can I restrict?



Inappropriate content

What do I need?

A YouTube account (Email & Password)



Health Update

Children with simple cold symptoms such as runny noses or sore throats **without fever** should not be tested for COVID-19, and can attend school if they feel well enough to do so.

Anyone with any of the three main symptoms of COVID-19 should stay at home and arrange testing.

Please contact school to advise us of any absence.

Please note that unless advised otherwise, only people who present with **any of the three main symptoms of COVID-19 should be tested**.

Testing must be conducted within the first 5 days of the onset of symptoms.

If someone is being tested in your household, **ALL** family members will need to isolate until a negative test is returned.

When you receive your test result, **please email admin@elland.calderdale.sch.uk** with details before your child returns to school. Children can return to school as soon as a negative test is received.

If your child develops any of the key symptoms for COVID-19 in school, we will contact parents/carers and ask for you to arrange a test. This is in line with Government guidelines.

Symptoms

High temperature
New continuous cough
Loss or change to sense of taste or smell

Upcoming Events

Mondays until 19th July 3.00pm—4.00pm—WHY Club—Yrs 5 & 6

Tuesdays until 13th July 3.00pm-5.00pm—Outdoor Learning Club—Yrs 3 & 4— by invitation.

Thursday 15th July - Year 6 Trip to Gulliver's World

Friday 23rd July—End of Term

