

The Ludlow Link 10

Hello Ludlow,

This week, it has been absolutely wonderful to welcome back more children and staff in to form Bubble C. The children have settled in really well and we are so proud of their behaviour and hard work! Also, well done to children from Bubble A and Bubble B who continue to show super behaviour and social distancing both in the classroom and on the playground.

It has been a scorcher of a week and we hope everyone has been able to enjoy the sun whilst still staying safe!



Hopefully you are all as excited as we are for our whole-school unit of work on JK Rowling's brand new story *The Ickabog* to begin. We look forward to going on a shared journey of enjoyment as we head in to the final few weeks of this academic year!

Best wishes, the Ludlow Team ☺

Mrs Street's Brain Busters



The answer to last week's puzzle was 'Short.' We had one correct answer from Lani - well done!

This week's brain buster:

'A cat jumped out of a 30 storey building and lived. How?'

If you think you can crack this week's, please email your answer to:

Maria.street@ludlowjunior.org.uk

Beating the Heat!

As we continue to expect plenty of hot weather in the next few weeks, here are some top tips to look after yourself.

1. Drink plenty of water so you stay hydrated
2. Put on suncream to protect yourself from getting burnt! If you don't burn very easily, you should still wear suncream to protect your skin from sun damage
3. Wear a hat if you can
4. If you are doing something active/going outside, take plenty of breaks in the shade/indoors so you don't get overheated
5. Wear loose, lightweight clothing to keep yourself as cool as you can



What have the teachers been up to?

Ms White



I hope you are all keeping well and have been enjoying the recent wonderful weather! I have had a very busy time during lockdown. I have two children - a son who's 4 and a daughter who's nearly two so I have been at home trying to keep them entertained and happy. Their favourite activity is anything that involves getting messy so we have enjoyed making slime, gloop, salt dough and our own play dough. They've also loved baking although they seem to enjoy licking the bowls and spoons the most. We're far from star bakers but our cup cakes are improving week by week! We've also spent lots of time outside going on daily walks in parks and our local woods where we've enjoyed looking for creepy crawlies and having scavenger hunts. My son and I even made a wormery as a home for some of the worms which we found on one of these walks! We've also been keeping active. Our son has managed to ride a bike for the first time which he's super proud of and I've started running again. I used the couch to 5k app so I can now run for 30 minutes - I've just got to keep it up now! Although I have loved my lockdown adventures with my children, I am really pleased to be back teaching on a Monday and Tuesday in bubble C. I'm really enjoying getting to know some children who I have not taught before and being back in school! Ms White ☺

Mrs Horton

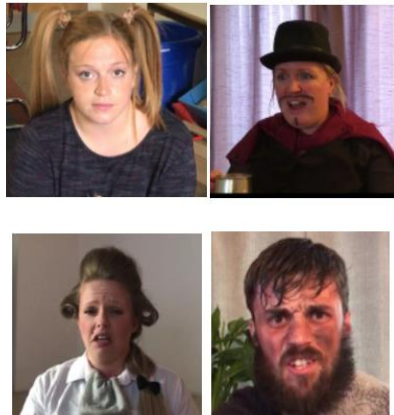
Hi Ludlow! I hope you are all enjoying the sunshine we have been having recently! I am really missing being in school with all of you lovely children... and some of the teachers too I suppose! I have been keeping myself busy reading *The Ickabog* by J.K. Rowling and planning some really exciting lessons based on this story for you all! I've had such a good time planning the lessons that I'm gutted I'm not in school to teach them! I hope you enjoy them! Apart from school work, my children have been keeping me busy. We love going for walks to the local park or to the New Forest. My oldest son, Charlie, loves looking for bugs so he was super excited when we found a stag beetle in the park. After that, we were really lucky to find an adder on one of our walks in the forest. Charlie loved seeing it but I did not enjoy it at all! I hate snakes!



When we're not out hunting wildlife, I love spending my time doing some baking. During lockdown, I have been learning how to make bread. My first few attempts were rubbish and I had to throw them in the bin - even the birds wouldn't eat them! I persevered and now I am much better at it, but I won't be entering *The Great British Bake Off* any time soon. I've included a picture of my latest loaf so you can judge for yourself! Stay safe and hopefully I will be able to see your lovely smiley faces again soon, Mrs Horton

THE ICKABOG: A SNEAK PEEK!

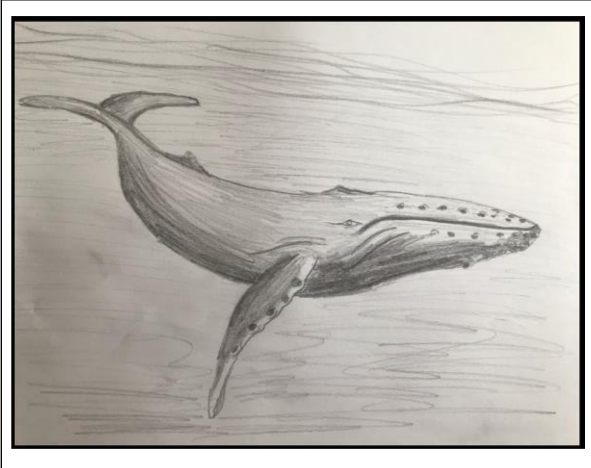
As part of the first mini unit of writing based on JK Rowling's The Ickabog, some of the teachers got involved in a little bit of the planning process - here's an exclusive sneak peek at the fun to expect next week!



Mr Coker's Drawing of the Week!

As you all know, Mr Coker really enjoys drawing - and he's pretty good at it too!! He's done a picture of his favourite animal for you this week that he'd like you to have a go at drawing yourself! Send your drawings in to:

challenge@ludlowjunior.org.uk



Hamish



Hello friends!

How are you all? It's been so hot! I've had another haircut which I desperately needed to cool me down! How are you all doing with your hair? Any crazy lockdown hairstyles yet? I'd love to see them!

Don't forget to look on the school website for my daily updates to find out more of what I have been up to!

It's lovely to see some more friends back in school. I've been going in most days myself and it's so nice to be back even though things are very different. I am thinking of you all at home too and I'm so proud of you! Well done, you are all fantastic!!

Take care of yourselves and I will see you soon! I'm proud of you all!

Love Hamish ♥