

The Ludlow Link 6

Hello Ludlow,

We hope you have had a good half term holiday and a well-deserved break from learning from home. It has been lovely to see lots of you trying the fun activities in the 'May Half Term' page under the 'Fun Stuff' section of the website. We will leave the resources on the website in case you want some fun activities to try during this half term.

Whether you are continuing to learn from home or are back in school this week, we hope you have a good week.

The Ludlow Team 😊

Website Fun

Don't forget about all of these sections of the website with lots of fun things to keep you busy (as well as home learning!) if you are still at home this week.

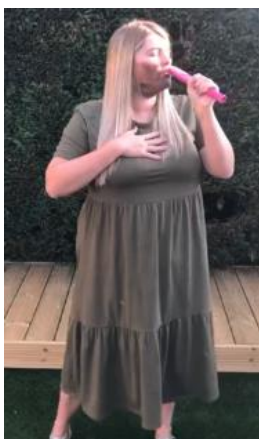


Ludlow's Got Talent

We have some very exciting news! Every year the teachers at Ludlow put on a talent show to show off their talents (or lack of!) to you and to inspire you with your writing. They were sad at the thought that this might not be able to happen this year so they decided to make it happen from home! In total there will be 9 acts including: trampolining, rapping, musical instruments, a magic act, singing and an artist.

Ludlow's Got Talent will be available to watch next Monday morning (8th June) from home or in school - the link will be available on the English resources for each year group on the website. We can't wait to read your reviews and hear what you think.

Here is a sneak peak of some shots from the show below!



Mrs Street's Brain Busters



Well done to Jasper, Felix, Sam, Elliot and Arturo who correctly answered 1 to last week's question.

This week's brain buster:

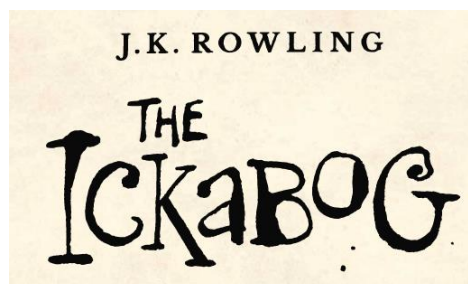
Which is correct,
seven eights are 54
or
seven eights is 54?

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

Maria.street@ludlowjunior.org.uk

Kindness Poster

Before half term, to mark Mental Health Awareness Week, we held a competition asking pupils to design a poster to promote kindness. Thank you so much to all the children who entered. Well done to Tyler-Dane and Taylor who were joint winners!



Lockdown is the perfect time to get stuck into a new book and J.K. Rowling herself made a VERY exciting announcement this week which could help you do just that!

10 years ago, she wrote a story called 'The Ickabog,' and shared it only with her children before hiding it in the loft. Starting from 26th May, a chapter a day for you to read for free is going to be posted on 'The Ickabog' website. The excitement doesn't end there...the book is to be published in November BUT it needs illustrations. J.K. Rowling has asked children who are reading the story to submit their own drawings to win a chance of being included in the book! What an exciting opportunity!

Take a look at Miss Croke and Layton's illustrations for the book. They are incredible!

What have the teachers been up to?

Miss Hartnell-Parker



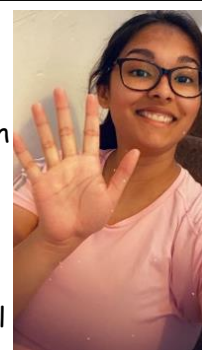
Hello you lovely lot,
I hope you are all making the most of being at home in this gorgeous weather and making the best memories with your families. I am! I've had the best time playing in the garden with Indie and we even celebrated her first birthday in lockdown! I've taken up a new hobby... bike riding! I've also spent lots of time baking and trying out new recipes in the kitchen! As well as all the fun I've been having, I've really enjoyed answering the challenge email address and seeing all the wonderful things (and hard work!) that you have been doing as well as planning lessons for in school and the website. It makes us teachers so incredibly proud of you! I've loved going into school on Fridays and spending time with our wonderful children there. They have been amazing. I hope you all continue to stay safe and I know all of us at Ludlow are really looking forward to seeing your smiley faces again! Miss Hartnell-Parker 😊



Miss Peter



Hello everyone!
I hope you are all keeping safe and enjoying the extra time at home with your families. I am really missing all the children and staff at Ludlow as well as my friends and family. I have loved receiving emails from my class and hearing and seeing all the wonderful things that they have been getting up to - keep up the hard work! I have been keeping myself very busy at home by planning the Year 5 ERIC and PSHE lessons as well as baking lots of tasty treats! I am lucky enough to live by the seafront, so I have been making the most of staying active by going for walks along the beach and even a 5K run! I have also been using this time to get back into my hobby of photography and have been taking lots of photos. Keep smiling, stay safe and I look forward to seeing you again soon!

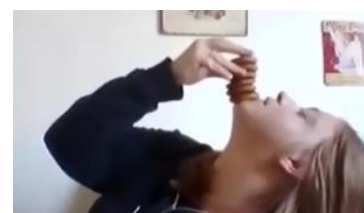


Miss Peters 😊

Challenge a Teacher - Jaffa Cake Challenge



Before half term 5 teachers took part in a challenge to see who could balance the most Jaffa Cakes on their head. In round one, there were two joint winners with Miss Luxton and Mr Watkins both balancing 7 Jaffa Cakes on their chins.



Mrs Vokes managed to balance 5 Jaffa Cakes - the same amount as Miss Gath and Mr Holland. However, throughout the competition the teachers were captured on film eating their Jaffa Cakes! Very naughty teachers!



As Mr Watkins and Miss Luxton drew, they had a showdown to see who the champion was. Even though she was up against the Head teacher, Miss Luxton appeared confident. She was, however, beaten by Mr Watkins in this final round 9-7. Well done Mr Watkins!

Hamish



Hello friends!

How are you all? Have you been enjoying the nice weather? I have posted a video online of me getting out and about. Have you seen it yet? Please go and have a look!

This week's teacher challenge was to put as many Jaffa cakes on your chin as possible! It was so funny to watch them all trying to win the challenge. Take a look on the Facebook page if you haven't seen it already!

Have you been enjoying my daily updates?! Don't forget to look on the school website to find out what I have been up to. Ludlow teachers have something very special planned for you in week 2 so keep your eyes peeled for that!

I hope you enjoyed your half term friends!

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

Love Hamish 

Times Table Fun

Fun Activities:
Times Table Bingo
A game for the whole family. Write out 6 times table questions...

7x6=	6x6=	4x1=
2x6=	3x7=	8x10=

They could be from just a single times table or 2 or 3 times table if you are feeling confident. Ask someone to call out numbers. Write the number by the question if it is an answer. First person to get all 6 wins!

BINGO!

Arty Activities:
Design a poster.
Design a poster to help you learn a tricky times table.
Bulls Eye!
Draw a target and put write some of the different tables you are practising.

Hints and Tips:
The Nines
Try this trick to help you practise your 9 x table
Fold down the finger of the number you want to multiply by 9. In the example the 4th finger is held down. (4 x 9)
The first fingers up to that point show the first digit and the second set show the second digit.

4 x 9 = 36	18	1 + 8 = 9
27	27	2 + 7 = 9
36	36	3 + 6 = 9

Checking your 9 x table
Check your answers are in the 9 times table by adding the digits together. If they make 9 then they are in the 9s!

Roll a dice before you throw an object at the target. With the number you rolled you must times it by the number you landed on

Did you know that the expectation is that all pupils know all their times tables by the end of year 4? Mr Coker loves maths and he wanted to help you find fun ways to practise your times tables. He has thought of lots of fun ways including using fly swatters and even water guns! Find these under the weekly maths section of the website.

This Week's Challenge a Teacher



This week's Challenge a Teacher competition has not yet been decided. If you have a fantastic idea, email it in to: challenge@ludlowjunior.org.uk and you might well see the teachers taking on your challenge this week!