



# COOPERS LANE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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## Welcome Back Coopers Lane Family & Friends!

So, here we are – the end of January!

What an incredible month we have had as a community – from adapting to remote learning, finding new ways to stay in contact and connected, managing bubbles in school and their closures, supporting each other through these tough times, and still smiling and celebrating together every Friday in our VIP assemblies. There have been some magical moments this January, such as the snow fall last weekend, families working on amazing projects at home, and our wonderful Mrs Pepper bringing her gorgeous little girl safely into the world.

We know that this has been a hugely challenging month for so many of you and hope that February brings brighter days with the blossoming flowers of Spring.



## Children's Mental Health Week

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/parents-and-carers/>

Children's Mental Health Week is taking place next week, from 1-7 February 2021. This year's theme is **Express Yourself** and we are sure you'll agree that it could not be a more well-timed, and much-needed focus week. We will be using this as our focus for our new Class Connection meetings so don't miss out. There are lots of additional links and activities for you to explore on the website linked above.



There will be a nationwide assembly on Monday morning. We will share the link to this on Google Classroom as soon as we receive it.

## Class Connection Meetings

We have listened to your requests regarding live sessions and finding ways to keep our children engaged, enthused and connected. A letter will be coming out today to explain how these sessions will work but please ensure that your children are given the opportunity to attend these sessions when possible. They will be running from Monday-Thursday and the times will be shared in your Google Classrooms. Enjoy! ☺

## Friday VIP Assemblies

Don't miss out on our Friday assemblies. They are a wonderful celebration of the week and we love sharing the fantastic learning and imaginative outcomes being created at home and in school.

## To you all... We see you... xxx



## NURSERY

We've been learning all about Space, The Moon and The Planets in Nursery. The children have really enjoyed this week!



## RECEPTION



We have been reading *Aliens Love Underpants* this week. The children loved playing with the spaceships in class and making their own aliens. The children have also been learning different ways to represent 6, 7 and 8.

Here is lovely Luke's Maths work. Luke is showing us how he represents 8 using his dinosaurs:



## YEAR 1

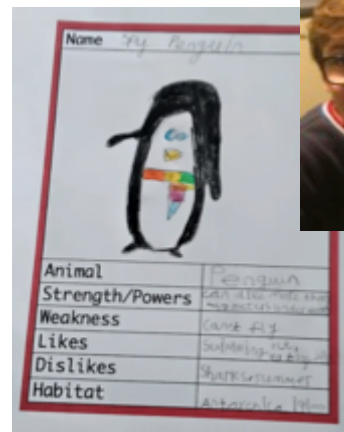
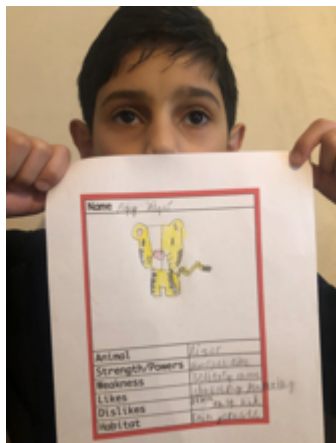


In P.E this week, Year 1 have been working on our hand-eye coordination by practising throwing bean bags into different objects such as cones, boxes and buckets.



## YEAR 2

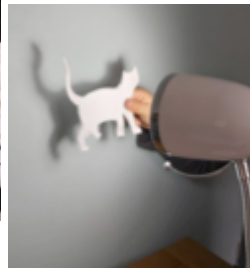
In Year 2, we have been creating our own spy animals as part of our English lessons. We created a Top Trump card to showcase our animal including the strengths, weaknesses, likes and dislikes! Mrs Baldwin has also been busy creating a fun baking video for the children to follow at home using a wrap and different fillings. Yum!





### YEAR 3

Year 3 have been exploring shadows in Science this week. We looked at how they can change size. In school, we discussed if shadows could change colour. What do you think? In History, we learnt about the legend behind the Gordian Knot and had a go ourselves at making different types of knots.



### YEAR 4



In Science this week, Year 4 have been learning about the digestive system. We recreated the process using digestive biscuits and orange juice - yuck! We had so much fun.



### YEAR 5

Year 5 have been studying the phases of the moon and have come up with some creative ways to represent their learning.

Here is Uyi's diagram and Adem's rather delicious looking phases of the moon Oreos...

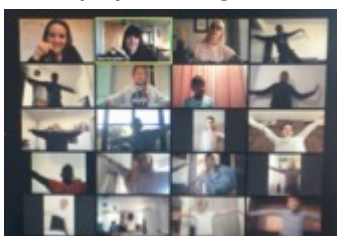


Here is Theo retelling the story of Rama and Sita in R.E:



### YEAR 6

This week in Year 6 we have continued our work on Antarctica by finding out about penguins. We researched different types of penguins, their habitats, what they eat and how they survive in such harsh conditions, and then we made some fantastic fact files. We have also been enjoying our daily Zoom meetings; it has been wonderful to see our friends and play some games with our teachers.

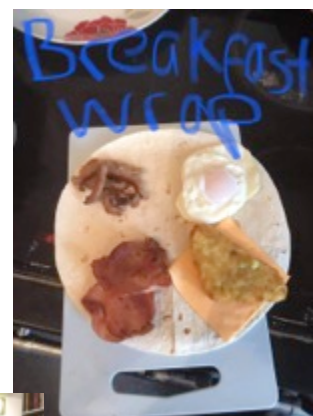


In our VIP assembly on Friday, we enjoyed getting active during our game!

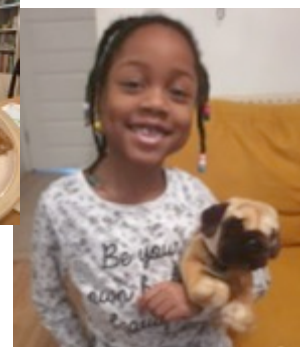
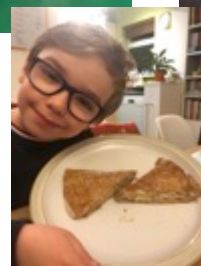
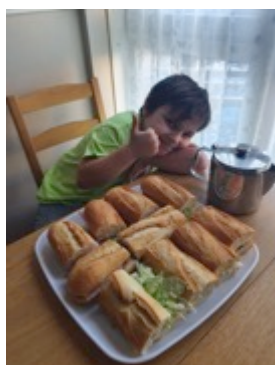




Thank you for sharing your **AMAZING** learning at home – we are so proud of you! ☺



*Family Time*



## Contact List for YOU

### TECH HELP

If you are having any issues with the Google Classroom service, please log a call via email to [googlehelp@cooperslane.org](mailto:googlehelp@cooperslane.org)

Please include your child's year group, a brief description of your issue and a contact telephone number. Wherever possible we will contact you to help resolve your issue.

### LEARNING QUESTIONS

If you are having any difficulties with the learning, your teachers are available to answer questions and support where possible. You can contact them through their Google Classroom email addresses. These can be found under the Classwork tab in your child's Google Classroom.

### SHARING HOME LEARNING

If you would like to show off what you have been doing throughout the week in next week's newsletter, then please email any photos to your class teacher and/ or [tbonner@cooperslane.org](mailto:tbonner@cooperslane.org)

If you haven't already accessed our Remote Learning page on our school website, here is the link:

<https://www.cooperslane.lewisham.sch.uk/yeargroups/remote-learning/>