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Dear Red Class,

How are you all? I am missing you all and I hope you are keeping safe and well!

I miss teaching all of you and seeing all the different things you make and do in Red Class. I even miss the noise! I miss seeing all of the fantastic things you make with the creative resources and construction materials and the brilliant stories you would act out in the role play area, trying to catch that naughty troll!



Whilst the school has been closed I have been spending a lot of time with my family. We have been enjoying lots of different activities, painting, playing with play dough, having tea parties, enjoying walks in the local park and reading lots of stories! 'The very hungry caterpillar' is Luna's new favourite. She loves it when the caterpillar pops out of the egg at the beginning! I hope you are enjoying reading your favourite stories with your family.



We have also enjoyed baking together and have made Easter nests, a Victoria sponge and banana bread. Luna particularly enjoys making a mess with the flour and her favourite part of baking is definitely eating it at the end!

I have been in school two days this week and it was lovely to spend time with the children. We enjoyed joining in with 5-a-day exercises in the morning and Cosmic Kids Yoga in the afternoon. These are available for free on YouTube and would be a great way for you to keep healthy and enjoy exercise from home. The children really enjoyed collecting natural materials and resources from the nature area and using these to make pictures.

I hope you are all able to access the online learning and are doing the activities each day. There are lots of fun activities on there that you would usually enjoy doing in Red Class, such as junk modelling, role play and construction activities. As well as these activities it is important that you are still learning to read your Reception or Year 1 high frequency words and taking part in the daily phonics lessons available online! Oxford Owl are also offering free eBooks on their website for you to practise your reading!

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/books/free-ebooks/>

I really miss you all and I am looking forward to seeing you soon!

Best wishes,

Jodie

