Newsletter for the Children of St Mary Magdalene Primary School (Woolwich Campus) Friday 24th April 2020

Summer 1 - Family: Gratitude - "O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures for ever." Psalm 107: 1

Dear Children,

I hope you and your families are well and staying at home to keep safe. I will be writing to you at the end of every week to share and celebrate all the lovely things you and your friends have been up to and different staff members will also be writing special messages to you. Your teachers will be telephoning you soon to find out how you are and if you need any support with your home learning. Well done to all of you for trying your best and doing as much as you can. We know it is not easy but remember that God is with you and as our memory verse tells us, God's love for you will last forever.

Sending my love and best wishes,

Mrs King



STAFF NOMINATIONS - showing gratitude

Mrs Amao has been nominated by Mrs Hurst for looking after the staff this week at school, for keeping everyone smiling with entertaining stories but mostly for joining in the PE sessions with Joe Wicks every morning with the class.

Mrs Ndisang would like to thank **Mrs Kristensen** for organising the Easter activities in school and is very grateful for the chocolate eggs and treats she bought for the children and staff!

IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK ...

The children spent time outside making up their own games. They drew on the floor with chalk, used different sized hoops and balls and had to make up their own rules. They had great fun in the sun.



Children also painted their own self-portraits – see if you can have a go too.



We wish the following children a very happy birthday this week...

Carter-Jai – 21st April (Moore Class) Aaron – 21st April (Hawkins Class) Emmanuel – 22nd April (Hawkins Class) Neriah – 24th April (Curie Class) THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK ...

Attitude of Gratitude

Our value this half term is GRATITUDE. This means the quality of being thankful and being ready to show your appreciation. We know life is different and very challenging at the moment. So, this week how can you show others how much you are thankful and that you appreciate what you have?



In year 6, **Judah** for working daily on all online platforms and **Annette** for all the effort put in to her writing work on OneNote. **Emmanuel K** has been completing an amazing amount of work and **Adams** for keeping in touch via email.

In year 5, **Arie**l for uploading lots of work on One Note and completing activities on Purple Mash and **Tami** for caring about the quality of work she is uploading - it is excellent! **Rayhan** has completed numerous tasks to a very high standard on Purple Mash and on OneNote. His hoplon (shield) design is astonishing!



Israel and **Hanshika** in year 2 for consistently completing all their work online to a very good standard.

Congratulations to the some of the children in school this week: Jesse, Aiden, Joseph, Annette and Habiba for their science experiment – testing paper aeroplanes. The children investigated what type pf paper made the best plane and flew the furthest. You could try this at home!

In year 4, **Isaac** who wrote a great CV and research piece on Charles Darwin and to **Prince** for behaving well in school.

In Year 1, Jacob is making a good effort to complete his work well and Mrs Laird loves seeing the pictures he sends in, showing her all the different ways he is learning, including in his garden. **Aaron** because he has shown that he is grateful for his family at this time by creating a beautiful picture of them smiling together.

Shina in year 3 for an excellent and well thought out piece of writing providing information about Nigeria.