

HCJS AT HOME

12 JUNE 2020



A terrific well done to all our school community this week. Parents and children at home have been working hard and exercising hard too - you will find an update on Mr Turpin's HCJS PE challenge below.

In school, children and staff have also been busily working and with good humour too. On Monday, we will be welcoming 100 children back. Parents of these children will have received details in a separate letter.

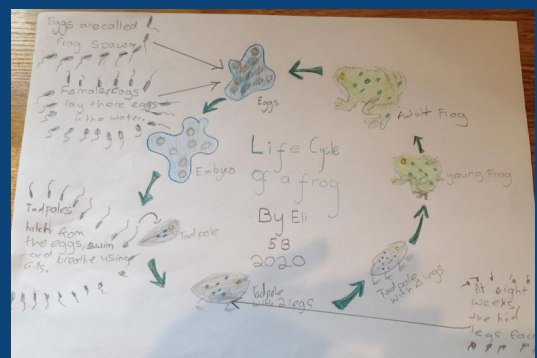
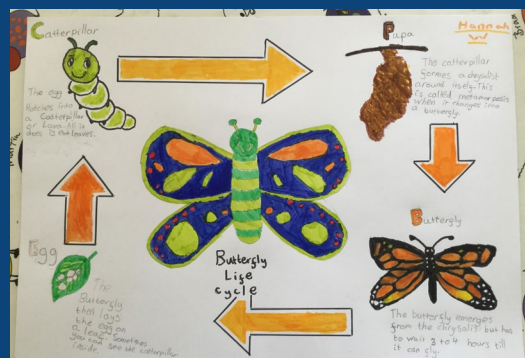
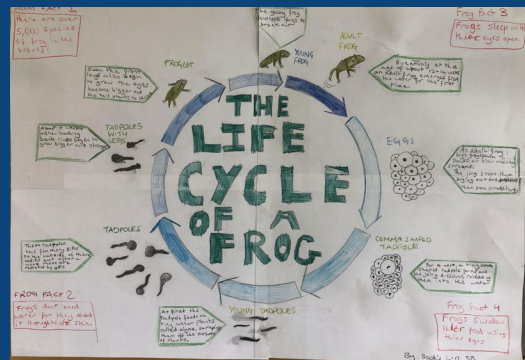
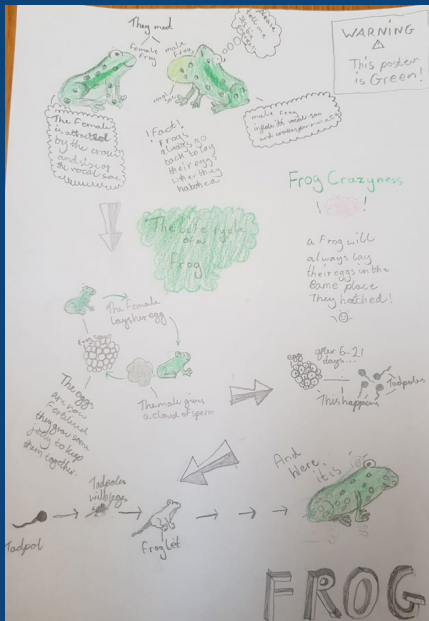
Chris Wright

IN OUR LESSONS THIS WEEK...

YEAR 3 SCIENCE: WE HAVE BEEN MAKING POSTERS WITH OUR PRESSED LEAVES



YEAR 5 SCIENCE: WE HAVE DRAWN THE LIFECYCLES OF ANIMALS THAT UNDERGO METAMORPHOSIS



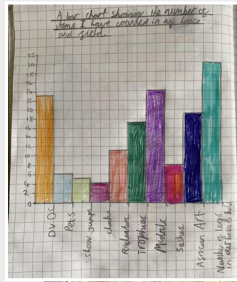
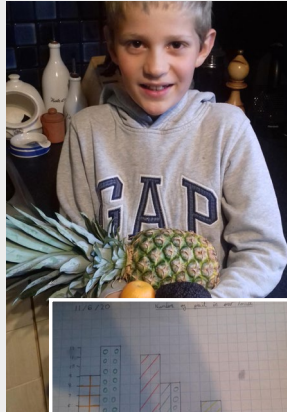
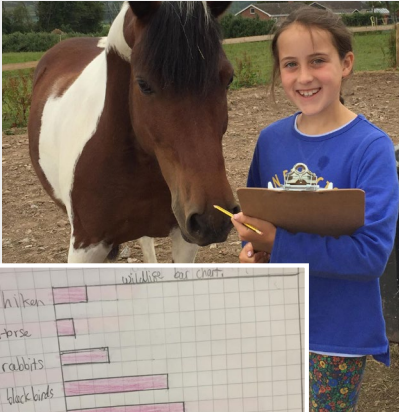
YEAR 5 SCIENCE: WE ARE STUDYING ASEXUAL REPRODUCTION AND OUR PLANT CUTTINGS HAVE STARTED TO GROW ROOTS



YEAR 4 ENGLISH: WE HAVE MADE CARTOON STRIPS FOR THE AMAZON MAGAZINE



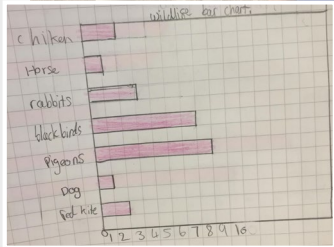
YEAR 4 MATHS: WE HAVE BEEN DOING OUR OWN DATA COLLECTION AND SURVEYS AND PRESENTING IT IN BAR CHART FORM



Well done to Edward, Georgina and Toby M who made it into The Week Junior magazine with their rainbow jelly!



"We were inspired to make rainbow jelly by the rainbow cover because our mum had a bike crash and had to use the NHS after the crash. We thought it was ironic when issue 232 arrived and had a biker on the front." Edward, Georgie and Toby



YEAR 6 DRAMA: WE HAVE WRITTEN ANIMAL POETRY

Friendly foxes lying around,
Like cuddly cats on the ground,
Full of happiness they sprint and leap,
Always searching for their next meal to eat,
Cunning hunters they outwit their pray
Preferring the cloak of darkness to light of day,
Mice, rats, spiders or birds all need to watch out,
Otherwise the last thing they see will be the fox's snout!
by Amelie M

A black panther lay on the floor,
He watched calmly and sat some more,
His snake like tail very small,
A magic wonder through all and all .
His yellow eyes shined very bright,
He sits and hunts overnight,
He lives alone sadly tragic,
But do not worry he is magic.
by Emilio A

Leopard, Leopard long life,
With strong teeth like a knife.
Silently your eyes stalk prey,
Until you give a great display.

Leopard, Leopard scale a tree
With agile limbs you can quickly
Your dark dusky spotted back
Lies by your dead gushy snake

Slowly, slowly the sleepy sloth,
crawls along the shiny moss,
scratching at the old wood tree,
he's thinking what's next for tea.

In his life of many years,
many yawns and many tears,
Tots of sleeping and some fun,
lying stretched out in the sun.

His little tired eyes sink into bed,
as the moonlight shines above his head,
The florescent forest lies like a cloud,
camouflaging his algae fur just like a shroud.

Another dawn, another day,
our sleepy friend is here to stay,
Deep in the Amazon what a wonderful place,
what a shame about the human race!

by Iona A

Crocodile, crocodile chasing prey,
feeling great, like its a wonderful day.
His skin glistening like a waterfall,
when he hears the the cheetah's call.
His bite is deep, his claws are long,
when he strikes you will hear the gong.
he licked his lips and finished his dinner
feeling like an ultimate winner.

by Hugo H

LEARNING AT HOME UPDATES

HCS DIGITAL CHORUS: You will have received an email from Mr David Evans inviting you and your children to take part in the Hereford Cathedral School Digital Chorus with the National Schools' Symphony Orchestra. If you would like to take part, please follow the links in Mr Evans' email.

PARKING: Please be aware that parking charges and restrictions will be in operation again on Castle Street from 15 June.

THIS WEEK'S VIDEOS...

Please follow these links to this week's videos:

- ▶ [Mr Wright's whole school assembly](#)
- ▶ [Miss Toolan's 'song of the week'](#)

MERIT CERTIFICATES HAVE BEEN AWARDED

TO: Aidan J (3), Aidan P, Aiden O, Amelie M, Anna L, Annabel S, Auzzie L, Avi S (2), Beatrice K (2), Ben E, Ben P, Brigham G, Charlie B, Charlie F, Devon C, Eirian T, Ella J (2), Emmeline M, Esther W, Finn G (2), Flora R, Florence B, Freddie P, Freddie T, George D, George M (3), George W-C, Gracie P, Hannah W (3), Harry R, Hector J, Herbie L, Hugo H, Humphrey L, Hunter M (2), Huw P, Iona A, Isabel D, Isabel N (2), Jack C, James H, Jamie P, Jemima L, Jessica W, Jessica A, Luca L (2), Lucille L, Maddy G, Maggie W, Maisie G, Molly G (2), Monty B-G, Naiya G (2), Natalie L (2), Neirin O, Oliver C, Oliver D, Oliver L-P, Oscar P (2), Perdita J, Phoebe M, Richie W (2), Sam W, Sam W, Sophie L-P, Tallulah P, Theo G (2), Toby W, Tom J (2), William M.



YEARS 3 TO 6: WE HAVE BEEN WORKING HARD ON OUR SPORTING CHALLENGE!

Throughout the year, HCJS pupils in Years 3 to 6 travel around playing sporting fixtures and tournaments against lots of other schools.

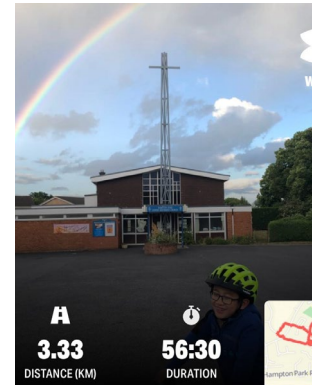
The schools include: The Elms, The Downs, Moor Park, Monmouth Girls, Monmouth Boys, King's St Albans, King's Hawford. RGS The Grange, Abberley Hall, King's Gloucester, Lucton, Malvern St James, Cheltenham College and Winterfold.

The challenge for our pupils is to cover the total distance they would have travelled to all of these schools and back - by walking, cycling or running!

Their target is a total of 723.2 miles (or 1,163,877.6 metres!).

So far (as at 3pm on Thursday 11 June), we have covered a total of 461.49 miles. That is to Moor Park, The Elms, The Downs, Monmouth Boys, Monmouth Girls, King's St Albans, King's Hawford, RGS The Grange, Abberley Hall, Lucton and back. We would currently be 10 miles into our journey to King's Gloucester.

Well done everyone - great effort. Let's keep going!

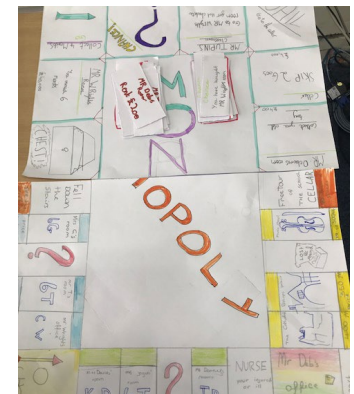
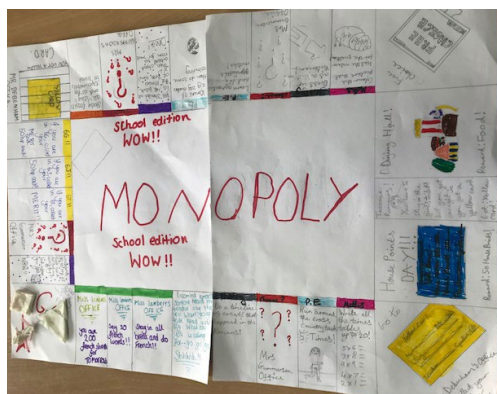
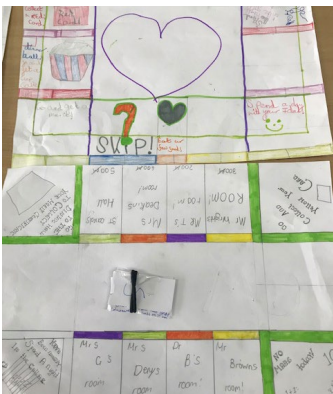


BACK AT SCHOOL...

RECEPTION



YEAR 6



REMEMBER! YOU CAN SEE OUR UPDATED 'LEARNING AT HOME' PLANS AND [PARENTS' FAQs](#) ON FIREFLY

