

In School during Lockdown 2020

Watering Nurture's carrots, lettuces and flowers in the Nurture Garden during lockdown:



Everyone enjoying a roast chicken lunch in the sunshine!



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Diary of a Key Worker's Child

20.03.20 Today is the last day of school for children in the U.K. I feel worried because of not having school work anymore. Also, I feel confused as now I have to enter the school through the office instead of the main gate.

23.03.20 When I first came to school, it felt weird as there were only five pupils in our class. Normally there are lots of people in the playground running around and talking and being loud. It feels crowded and is bustling; but today it feels strange and unusually calm. It was scary as I didn't know what to expect. My parent is a key worker. Consequently, they have to work to keep people safe during the time of the Coronavirus epidemic.

24.03.20 Yesterday, the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, announced that people could only go out to exercise, to buy food to get essential items and to get medical supplies or to go to work (but only if ABSOLUTELY necessary).

25.03.20 Today, I am back at school. I am getting used to it but it's even quieter outside. At school, people are beginning to get less quiet! As the child of a key worker, I understand more about their work, how stressful it is at the moment and I see how tired they are as they have to work longer hours and take extra precautions around family.

26.03.20 I had a really good day today. We made a list of people who are looking after us and keeping our country going: postal workers, NHS workers, Bin men, shop keepers, emergency services, the police and teachers and carers.... Then we made posters for them to stick up at school windows for people to see if they walk past. I hope it brightens their day!

In the afternoon, we did some sensory trails outside. It was such a beautiful sunny day! We were blindfolded and played games where we had to find matching sounds and make our way around an obstacle course holding on to a length of string; we really had to work hard as a team!

We also made a small stool out of eco-bricks. It's strong enough to sit on and helps to recycle plastic that would otherwise end up in landfill! Here are some pictures:



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Making puppets in school May 2020

