



# BEECH HILL NEWS

Friday 16th October 2020



## Internet safety

- Keep personal information limited
- Keep your privacy settings on
- Practise safe browsing
- Make sure your internet connection is secure
- Be careful what you download
- Choose strong passwords
- Be careful what you post
- Be careful who you meet online



## Hello Yellow Day

Last Friday, the 9<sup>th</sup> October, we celebrated #HelloYellow day at Beech Hill.

Both the pupils and staff came to school dressed in something yellow to support the mental health charity, Young Minds.

It was a fantastic day to see everyone in bright colours, with a smile on their faces.

During the day we held a virtual assembly to explain what mental health was and we carried out some activities during the day.



## Dates for your diary

**Thursday 5th November**

Great Fire of London virtual workshop

**Thursday 3rd December**

Immunisations

Created by Asila Najib, Mexico

**Year 3**

Created by Safa Hussain, Mexico

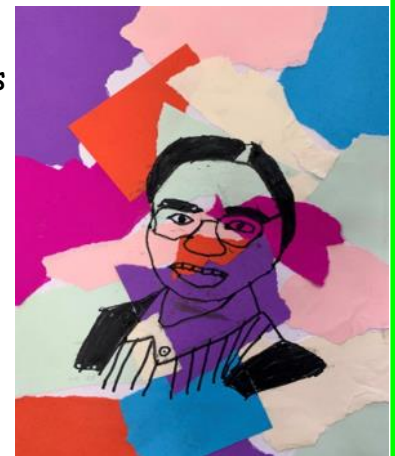


Year 3 have created some fantastic mixed media portraits of Rosa Parks this week, as part of black history month.

They collaged coloured pieces of paper and then used the pencil tracing method to create the portrait.

They then added in detail with a black felt tip pen.

Excellent work year 3! Well done !



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# meet the TEACHER

Name: Miss Hampshire

Class: Morocco



## Did you always want to be a teacher?

I always remember wanting to be a teacher! When I was in primary school I wanted to be a ballet teacher as I loved dance and then through high school I thought I would be a high school PE teacher, but in 6th form I changed my mind again and decided to train to teach primary. I am one half term into my first year teaching and I absolutely love it!

## Travel:

Before going to university I was lucky enough to spend my summer in Nepal and ever since then I have been really keen to travel round more of Asia. Although, I do love a relaxing pool side holiday somewhere hot like Spain!

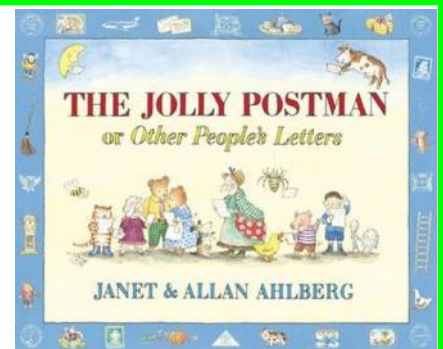
## Inspiration:

I have always been inspired by lots of people, but my Grandpa has always really inspired me. He was a teacher as well and encouraged me throughout my degree. I hope I can be as good of a teacher as he is!

## Book recommendation

The Jolly Postman,  
by Janet and Allan Ahlberg

It's a classic and I love reading all the different letters in it.



## Favourites

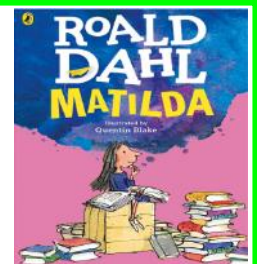
Favourite book - **Matilda**

Favourite film - **Frozen**


Favourite colour - **Pink or grey**

Favourite season - **Summer I love hot weather!**

Favourite drink - **Chocolate milkshake**



## Important information



What parents need to know about  
**ROBLOX**

According to the Roblox website, 'Roblox is the world's largest interactive social platform for play. For those of you who are unfamiliar with the game, it is a multi-player online gaming platform which allows children to play and create a variety of games in a 3D world. Roblox is free to play and available on all modern smartphones, tablets, desktops, Xbox One, Oculus Rift, and HTC Vive.'



AGE RESTRICTION  
**13+**

**UNLIST SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS**  
Make sure your child's social media accounts are not listed in the settings/account information. If they are, advise them to set them to private or remove them from their account. This will ensure that nobody will be able to find and contact them on their social media platforms outside of Roblox.

**CHECK SHARED INFORMATION**  
In the account settings, check that your child is not giving away any personal information in their bio/profile. For example, their full name, phone number or snapchat name. If you see that they have, explain why this is potentially dangerous and remove immediately.

**2-STEP VERIFICATION**  
Roblox has a great two-step verification security feature which we recommend you enable to add an extra layer of security to your child's account.

**HAVE A CHAT ABOUT 'GRIEFING'**  
Griefing is when someone purposely upsets another player in a game. This can be done by setting traps, damaging or stealing something from another player, intentionally killing them and generally doing something in the game to spoil their gameplay. Essentially, 'Griefing' is a form of cyberbullying and can be extremely frustrating and upsetting for players.

**RESTRICT PAYMENT METHODS**  
Roblox is a free to play game, but there are still options to make additional in-game purchases. If you do not want your child to make payments, ensure your card is not associated with their account. If you are happy for your child to make payments in the game, but want to restrict spending, we suggest using a games console gift card. These can be purchased in specific amounts, which will enable you to restrict how much your child spends and removes the need for a credit/debit card to be used with their account.

**DISABLE IN-GAME CHAT**  
Roblox is great for children to play together and chat to each other. However, if you want to completely turn off in-game chat for your child (meaning they cannot contact anyone, including their friends) you can do so by following these steps: When logged in, go to the Account Settings page by clicking on the gear icon at the top right corner of the page, then click Settings. Next, click on the Privacy tab and under 'Who can chat with me in game?' select 'No one' and this will disable in-game chat.

**IS YOUR CHILD UNDER 13?**  
Unfortunately, there are hundreds of YouTube videos showing children how to change their age settings on Roblox, so firstly, you should talk to your child to set up some rules/an agreement. There are additional safety features for children under 13, for example having their posts and chats filtered for inappropriate content and behaviour, so it is worth checking that your child has set up their account with the correct age. You can find this in their account settings.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cod Bites 2, 5, 10	Chicken Biryani 3, 10	Cheese Rolls 5, 10, 12	Spicy Sausages 4, 5, 10, 12	Pizza 4, 5, 10, 12
Quorn Hot Dogs 5, 10, 12	Quorn Cottage Pie 10, 12	Vegetarian Meatballs 4, 5	Chickpea Curry Naan Bread 3, 5, 8, 10	Ravioli and Cheese 5,10
Spaghetti 5 Chips	Broccoli and Cauliflower  Herby's 5	Beans and Peas  Wedges	Carrots and Sweetcorn  Roast Potatoes 5	Beans  Herby's 5
Tuna Sub 2, 4, 5, 10, 12	Tuna Sub 2, 4, 5, 10, 12	Chicken Tikka Wrap 3, 5, 10, 12	Tuna Sub 2, 4, 5, 10, 12	Tuna Sub 2, 4, 5, 10, 12
Jacket Potatoes Sandwiches				
Spotted Dick Custard 5, 10, 12	Carrot Cake 4, 5, 10	Jam Shortcake Custard 5, 10, 12	Chocolate Sponge Custard 5, 10, 12	Muffins 10, 12
Cheese and Crackers 5, 10	Cornflake Bun 10	Chocolate Mousse 4, 5, 10, 12	Jelly	Ice Cream 10