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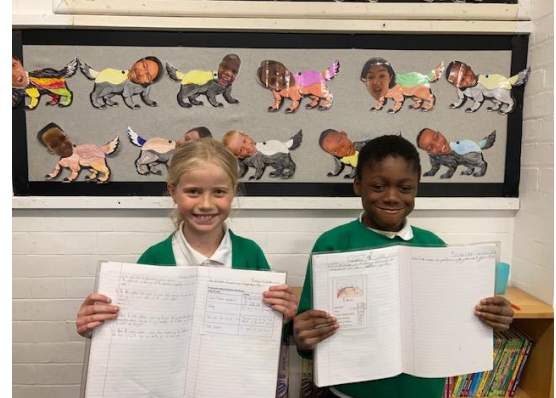
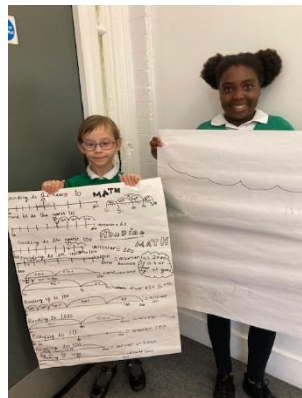
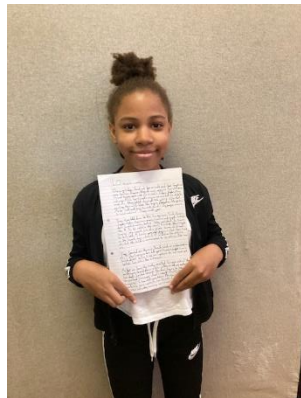
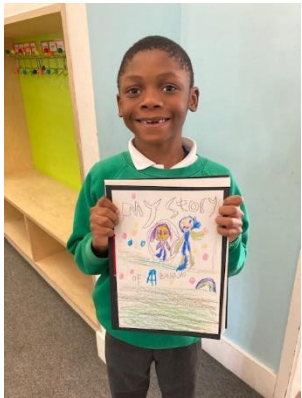
16th October 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

You will have heard the news that London is moving to Tier 2 of lockdown measures from tonight at 12.00pm. Whilst this will have some effect on what we all are able to do in our home lives, the ramifications for school are limited at this stage. We currently expect only to have the one week half term that we already have planned and this will only change if the government decides a different strategy towards the management of Covid-19. May I take this opportunity to politely remind you that you are requested to wear a mask when dropping off and collecting your child, and to maintain social distancing at these times. Thank you in advance for your co-operation.

Great Learning

It is always a joy to walk around the school and to share the learning that children are doing. The children have responded amazingly well to this half-term's topic *What has happened to YOU in 2020?* and have explored many exciting and interesting themes. Many classes have also been looking at figures in history, together with contemporary issues, in order to celebrate Black History Month. Here are a few photos of children who have been singled out by their teachers to share their learning with me this week. Great work all of you!



School Uniform

We now have all sizes from age 3 to 13 in sweatshirt and sweatcardis in stock on site, as well as rucksacks and book bags. We also have limited supplies of some adult sizes (small, medium and large). You can order items of school uniform through *ParentMail*. Any orders that are made before the end of the day on Tuesday will go home with your child on Friday.



Ms Naomi's Tongue Twister Challenge

Here is a slightly easier one for performing in our next poetry class. It's only 5 words but LOOK OUT they will try to trick you!

<https://youtu.be/EympOWKxp64>

Changes to Collection Arrangements

Please be sure to let the office know by 12.00pm of any changes to the normal collection of your child, including if you need to pick up your child early or if you have planned for somebody else to collect them. Thank you!

Values Points Winners

The winners this week are:



Phoenix, for positivity – excellent sounding out when writing thought bubbles to go with her freeze frames in Drama. Shayanne, for outstanding positivity and excellent attitudes towards her learning. Gabriela, for aspiration – using dialogue to move the action forward in her narrative. Well done!!

Have a wonderful weekend. Remember, you can still meet outdoors!

Simon Wattam
Head Teacher

Our Safeguarding and Child Protection policies can be found at goosegreenprimaryschool.org/school-information/policies
Please feel free to ask the office for a hard copy of the safeguarding policy if you would like to receive one.