22nd January 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

Week 3 of lockdown, and despite Storm Christoph, staff and pupils have still enjoyed getting out and about.

Some of the pupils from Class 5 went to Bystock Pools. After a short walk they went into the woods and worked together to build a den. The children began to ask each other for help, listen to each other's ideas and cooperate when carrying the heavy logs - they did very well!

Some of the pupils from Class 8 met up for a trip to Greendale Farm, a rather soggy walk and a game of Snakes and Ladders!







Meanwhile, in school, their friends in class have been learning how to make themselves a very tasty lunch...









We have been super impressed with the work and activities that have been happening at home. Class 9 have really enjoyed their home learning packs, particularly their maths and English work!





They have also braved the weather to enjoy some walks in their local areas.







In Class 12 they have been experimenting in Science, working on their best Superman impressions as part of their Physio and some maths skills by playing darts (and yes, that really is 'work'!)







Tobey has also been working really hard in school. In Phonics this week he was able to sort pictures by which sound they started with. He earned a certificate for his hard work which he enjoyed choosing himself!







And Donna was really proud to share how fantastic Class 2 have been this week working on their targets at home. Some of the most notable moments have been in the ability to complete 'school stuff' at home and a real breakthrough in communication.

One Mum shared that "S went and got her iPad and brought it to me, I opened the proquo app and she used my finger to point to a trip out in her wheelchair!! She then led me to the door! She was very pleased with herself and we had a lovely walk together."