NEW – NEWS Tomkinson close Edition

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This week Thomas and Henry from 7 Tomkinson close kindly sent a letter to me about the canal, so will continue to do a fortnightly canal update.

Tadpoles

Thomas and Henry have drawn my attention to the progress of the thousands of tadpoles living in the canal. They are pleased to report that they are not just



getting bigger but developing eyes, mouths and even back legs! Excitingly, we saw some tadpoles with frog bodies and tadpole tails! At New-News HQ we are monitoring the progress of the tadpoles very closely since we have a tank in the garden with a few tadpoles inside.

Staff at New-News would also like to draw your attention to the litter along the canal path and in the water. So on your next walk take a bag and if you have time please could you help clean up this litter? For your home classroom

WILLOW COWAP-CERRONE

11/06/2020

Here are some weird facts that will blow your mind!

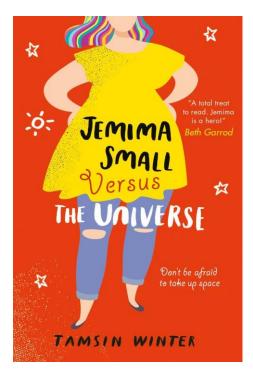
- The only 15-letter word that can be spelt without repeating a letter is uncopyrightable.
- Dr Seuss invented the word 'Nerd'.
- The word news is an acronym for the four compass points (<u>North, East, West, S</u>outh)
- The oldest word in the English language is town.
- Bookkeeper and bookkeeping are the only words in the English language with three sets of consecutive sets of double letters.
- Be careful on average 100 people choke to death on ballpoint pens every year.
- The sound effect of ET walking is made by someone squishing jelly in their hands.
- 80% of people who are hit by lightning are men.
- Chewing gum can keep a person from crying whilst cutting onions.

BOOKS.

Books. *Book of the week.*

WILLOW COWAP – CERRONE 11/06/2020

I chose Jemima Small versus the universe because its revealing and empowering. Jemima Small is funny and smart. She knows a lot of things. like the fact she has 206 bones, over 600 muscles and a trillion cells. What she doesn't know is that can be true and yet she can still sometimes feel like nothing... Or how being made to join the school's special healthy lifestyle group - aka fat club – could feel any less special. But Jemima knows that the biggest stars in the universe are the brightest. And maybe it's her time to shine... Find out what happens to Jemima in this week's book.



Please post or email your book reviews to: -

3 Tomkinson close or email: <u>newnews.newsroom@gmail.com</u>, so it can appear in future issues

Carry on story

Carry on this story by sending your continuation to: -3 Tomkinson close or email: markjohncerrone@gmail.com

Felicity is a girl with long curly blond hair, blue eyes like the sky, that shine like the ocean on a nice day. Felicity only has one problem; she has found an odd creature in the cupboard below her stairs. She has named it Felix, but what she didn't know was that Felix was a snozzletramp which is a normal snozzle that lives in a house. Now as Felicity was sat on her bed, she heard a scraping shuffling sound, so she sat up. Following this was a squeal so she bolted down the stairs to find her parents on the floor unconscious and Felix in a tight grasp of a large spindly hand which belonged to a snatcher, but felicity didn't know this. Suddenly, a large hand with sausage fingers grabbed tightly onto her shoulder. She most have been dreaming because next the head snatcher clicked his fingers and they fell into a whirlwind of colour...



Word search

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У	p	n	f	r	d	h	g	b	W
W	j	d	W	V	i	0	1	e	t
h	e	i	e	d	t	a	m	q	1
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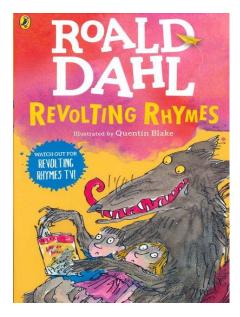
Red	green	violet
Orange	blue	black
Yellow	indigo	white

Word wheel

Find the hidden 8 letter word in the wheel, also find as many other words as you can but must be 3 letter words or more

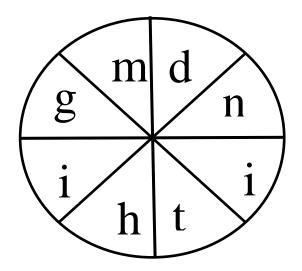
email answers to: newsroom@gmail.com

Ensure you get permission from a parent



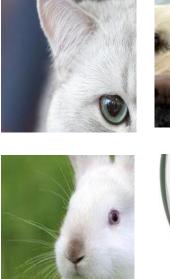
If you get the word search right, you can win this book (we will randomly select the winning entry from all correct submissions)

Please send to: - 3 Tomkinson close **Email:** - <u>newnews.newsroom@gmail.com</u> **Closing date:** - 22nd June. Prize delivered with next issue of New – News.



Mind manipulators Just for fun...

Guess the animals.







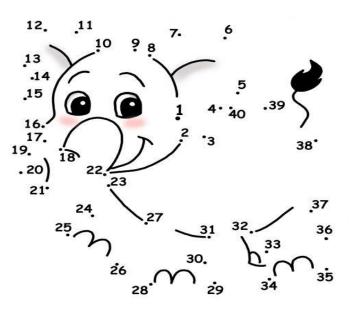




Colour me in!



Connect the dots to finish Ellie the elephant.





Cooking

Let's get cooking

Chocolate Chip Cookies

Makes 30

Ingredients: -

110g of butter
110g of light muscovado sugar
1 vanilla pod, seeds only
1 medium egg, lightly beaten
75g plain flour
110g of chocolate chips

Pre-heat the oven to 180*C/350*C/Gas mark 4. Line two baking trays with baking parchment.

Place the butter and sugar in a mixing bowl and beat together with an electric hand whisk until light and fluffy.

Split the vanilla pod lengthways. Using the end of a teaspoon or a small sharp knife, scoop out the seeds. Beat the egg and the vanilla seeds into the mixture, then add the remaining ingredients and stir until thoroughly mixed.

Take spoonfuls of the dough and arrange them on the baking trays, spaced well apart.

Then place them on the shelf just above the center of the oven for ten minutes or until the cookies turn a golden colour and feel firm in the center when lightly pressed.

As soon as the cookies are baked, remove then from the baking sheets using a palette knife. Cool them on a wire rack and, when cold, store in an alright container.



Parent page!!!!

Here are some free learning websites for kids:

Switcheroo Zoo.

www.switcheroozoo.com Watch, listen and play games to learn all about amazing animals.

Nat Geo for Kids. www.kids.nationalgeographic.com Learn all about geography and fascinating animals.

Into the Book.

www.reading.ecb.org Go into the book to play games that practice reading strategies.

Seussville. www.seussville.com Read, play games and hang around with Dr Seuss and his friends.

ABC YA. <u>www.abcya.com</u> Practice math and reading skills all while playing fun games. Fun Brain. www.funbrain.com Play games whilst testing your math and reading skills.

PBS Kids. www.pbskids.org Hang out with your favorite characters whilst learning.

Star Fall. www.starfall.com Practice your phonics skills with these read-along stories.

Storyline Online. www.storylineonline.net Have some of your favorite stories read to you by movie stars.

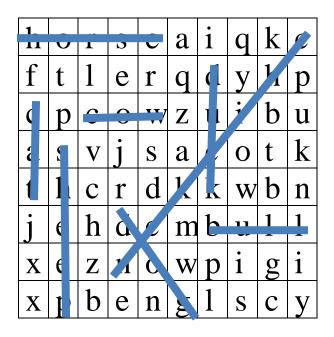
Highlights Kids. www.highlightskids.com read, play games and conduct cool science experiments.

PLEASE SEE NOTE FROM THE EDITOR IN THE 'OVER TO YOU' SECTION ON PAGE 8





Solutions for last issue



The word wheel was pencil. The foods were spaghetti bolognaise, pepperoni pizza, pasta, cheeseburger, sausage and mash and chips. The differences were.

SPOT THE FIVE DIFFERENCES



Last week's book was won by Thomas and Henry for sending in their article about tadpoles (because there were no submissions for the wordsearch). Well done boys.

What have you been up to during lockdown? Send your stories to: - 3 Tomkinson close or email: <u>newnews.newsroom@gmail.com</u>

Send in your jokes, riddles, drawings, poems and more

Over to you

A readers poem...

When the lockdown started It seemed things got worse by the hour Visiting shops and searching the shelves For toilet roll, pasta and flour

No family or friends for weeks on end The economy more bust than boom But we picked our heads up with quizzes and chats With our best new friend called zoom

Work life and school were now in our homes Our gardens saw the mower and rake We painted the walls and cleaned all our rooms Then sat down and ate some more cake

We've kept our two metres and used gel on our hands To make sure we get out of this mess Standing with neighbors clapping in thanks For the keyworkers and NHS

Submitted by Millie & Darren at No.1, thanks for such a great poem

A message from Willow's Editor to all parents

Hi this is Willow's Dad, Mark. I hope you and your children are enjoying the content as much as Willow enjoys putting this fortnightly News Paper together.

You will see that we have added an email address that we both have access to, and is part of our Google Family link for added security, hopefully this will enable more of your ideas, articles and quiz answers to be submitted and included in the next issue.

We are also exploring how we can take New-News online in a bid to reduce our costs and be environmentally responsible by reducing paper usage. This is being done with great caution to ensure that the electronic version of New-News is safe for its staff and readers alike. More information will be published in future issues of New-News.

Should you have any concerns please feel free to call round to 3 Tomkinson Close, we promise to stay at least 2M apart.

Why is Cinderella bad at football? Because she lost her shoe ran away from the ball and her coach is a pumpkin.

Knock, knock! Who's there? Nana. Nana who? Nana your business!

Why do mice need oiling? Because they squeak.

Teacher: can anyone use fascinate in a sentence? Pupil: my dad bought a shirt with nine buttons, but he was so fat he was only able to fasten eight.

Many thanks Mark

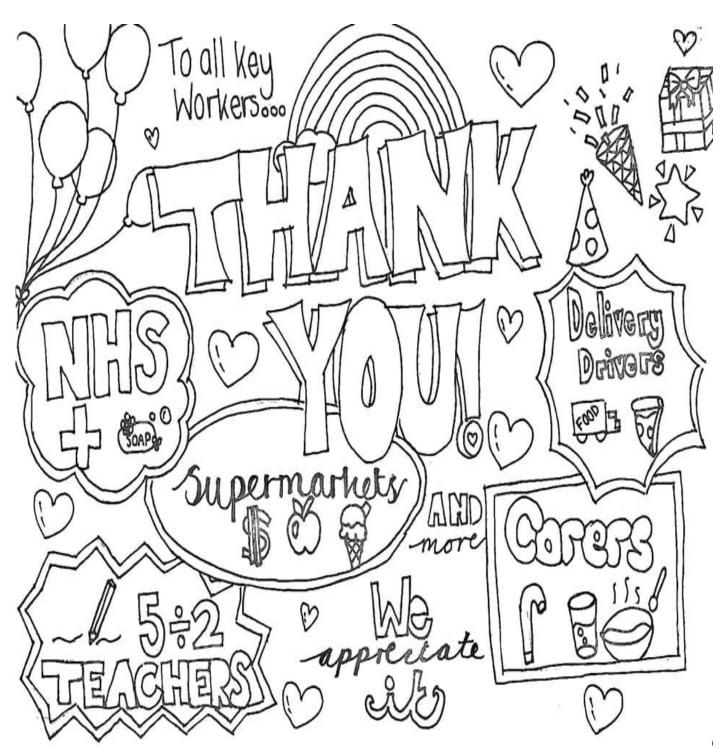
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Colour in this poster and put it in your window.



Happy news





LET'S GO OUTDOORS.

Happy news

This week is 15 things to do outside when you're bored inside.

How many will you do?

- 1. Have a water fight.
- 2. Get out your pool if you have one.
- 3. Create a butterfly/wild meadow.
- 4. Find bugs.
- 5. Make a bug house to put your bugs in.
- 6. Go for a walk
- 7. Sunbathe!
- 8. Have a picnic.
- 9. Do some sports in your garden.
- 10. Chalk on your driveway or patio.
- 11. Read outside in the garden.
- 12. Leaf rubbings.
- 13. Bird spotting (you can use last issue to spot them)
- 14. Draw a tree.
- 15. Count all the butterflies you see and identify them.

Common Peacock butterfly

Monarch butterfly





Father's Day

