Dear Reception,

It is so strange not seeing you every day, we are missing you very much.

Thank you so much to all of you who have sent us pictures of what you are doing, so lovely to see your work and all the new experiences you are gaining. Please keep sending them, we will be sending you photos back of what we have been doing too.

We have seen one of you riding your bike without stabilisers, one of you baking, one of you reading signs on a walk. So much fun to be had and we can then share ideas for you to be keeping busy whilst safely at home.

Please keep looking at Tapestry as we will be adding things for you to see and do. Don't hesitate to ask if you need help.

We understand it is tough to complete everything, but do what you can and keep everyone happy.

Look forward to hearing from you – we have both written to you below.

Love Mrs Blake, Mrs Middleton and Mrs Thomas

Dear All,

I thought I would let you know what I am up to, as I also have my two children Alfie and Betsy at home with me.

We have been enjoying the weather and trying to make sure we get out in the garden.

Alfie loves football and has made his own goal using bamboo canes and garden netting, it looks a bit funny but works! I have been playing with him, but the last result was 10 - 2 to him. I need more practice! Let’s see if I can improve next week....

I have been teaching Betsy to knit, she is trying to make a chick. So far she has completed the body and hopefully will finish the head soon.

Every day we have been doing the Joe Wickes PE together, my legs are beginning to ache, but Alfie and Betsy find it easy. Have any of you had a go?

We have been doing lots of cooking and baking and are now baking a loaf of bread a day. Have any of you completed any cooking, send us some pics if you have. Then when we finally get back to school we could put them together in a class cookery book!

Keep looking at Tapestry as we will keep sharing ideas to keep you happy and entertained,

Look forward to seeing your pics,

Love Mrs Blake

Dear Reception Class,

Well it has been so strange not seeing you in person! I really hope that you enjoyed the video of the story. I will be doing some more for you, so keep an eye out.

Have any of you tried the pavement chalk art? If you have send a photo to Tapestry so I can see. Henry made Thunderbird 2 for his chalk picture, as he really loves Thunderbirds.

This week we have been trying to keep busy – out in the garden lots, weeding and planting but also making a muddy building site for cars and lorries to drive in!

We are also doing the Joe Wickes exercise every day and it is extremely hard work. I think Andy from Cbeebies is doing one as well, so we may give that a go.

Henry and Louis made a cake and decorated it with green icing and blackcurrant jam. It didn’t look that nice but tasted lovely!

We have also all been on the trampoline, swing and climbing frame. I am trying to teach Louis how to use his legs to swing, so I don’t have to keep pushing him all of the time!

I really hope you are all okay, and that you are making good choices and have your listening ears turned on at home. Can you think of one useful thing you could do every day to help mum and dad? I would be super-impressed to see any helpful things you can do, and I will also show them to Henry and Louis to give them some ideas!

Miss you all, lots of love,

Mrs Middleton