Hi everyone,

Thank you so much for the hard work you have been doing. It's been great to see all your learning and all the fun things you have been doing. I really enjoy hearing what you've been doing, so please continue to keep me posted via email. I've been in school, supporting key workers and enjoying spending some time riding our pony. I have even taken up running to help keep me active. The weather has been kind to us so far meaning I can get out for some fresh air, and have helped raise money for charity by running 5K. I know some of you have also been raising money for charities close to your hearts.

The VE Day themed planning worked really well last week, so I thought it would be good to continue along the same line for the next couple of weeks. Our theme for the next couple of weeks is kindness and people who help us. This ties in nicely with the focus on our NHS, International Nurse's Day on 12<sup>th</sup> May and Mental Health Awareness week beginning 18<sup>th</sup> May, for which the theme is kindness. Make sure you continue reading by asking your parents to sign up for free access to Oxford Owl, it only takes a minute. You might recognize some of the books from school.

I hope you enjoy these activities and remember that - "kindness costs nothing but means everything."

Take care and keep safe,

Mrs Smith

