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Dear Skylarks Class,

We are writing to you to say a big hello and to let you how much we are missing you all. It feels very strange not to go into school and see all your smiling faces, but we are very proud of how hard you are working from home. We hope you have enjoyed spending time in the sunshine as well as doing lots of other fun activities. Like you, we have also been working very hard from home, planning and resourcing work for you to complete and spending lots of time looking at and commenting on all the fabulous pieces of work you have sent on Dojo. Every two weeks we have been into school, to look after some of the children who are still there, some of you may have seen us.

When Miss Dippie is not working, she has been trying desperately to get fit and healthy and has been running around the local park, going for long walks and doing yoga in the living room. On one of her walks, through the bluebell woods, she spotted a huge fox jumping into the undergrowth! She has also enjoyed some 'down time' and has read three books and is now onto the fourth! Miss Dippie really enjoys cooking so has also spent some time having a go at new recipes, some of her favourites are satay chicken and paella from Jamie Olivers cookbook...delicious!

Mrs Nixon has also been keeping busy by doing lots of training courses on her computer, as well as looking at some of the amazing work that Skylarks have produced! She has been spending lots of time in her sunny garden painting her garden wall. She and her daughter have decided to paint a meadow of flowers along the wall to make it look pretty. On VE day Mrs Nixon baked some delicious looking cakes and decorated the outside of her house with bunting. In the afternoon she set up a little 'tea party' for her family on the front drive and joined her neighbours for the celebrations (2m apart, of course!).

I'd love to know what you all been up to while school has been closed? What has been the best thing you have done during lockdown? Have you been finding anything particularly tricky?

We really are looking forward to seeing you again, hopefully in the not too distant future. We are so proud of your perseverance and determination and how well you have kept your schoolwork going – keep it up Skylarks!

Take care and stay safe,

Miss Dippie and Mrs Nixon

