

Monday 20th April 2020,

Dear Class 5,

I hope you and your families have had a happy and safe Easter. Hopefully you received an Easter egg and maybe you even enjoyed an egg hunt. If you are like me, you may have been finding it very difficult being stuck at home for such a long time, so I hope you have managed to keep busy and maybe enjoy the sunshine from your garden. I've enjoyed learning some of the Tik Tok dances and new hobbies to pass the time (I've attached some pictures which may make you laugh below). I'd like to hear what you have been up to.

Unfortunately, it looks as though we will not be returning to school just yet and so we need to launch our new class theme in a different way! I know that you are all great at researching and so we are going to start this theme with a few questions for you to investigate and then present back via our home-learning page on the school website!

Here are your key research questions:

- Who was William Wilberforce and why is he a local hero?
- What is batik? What sorts of patterns and styles can you find which originate in West Africa?
- Which materials keep my porridge warm and my frozen yoghurt cool on my daily walk? Can you investigate and present your findings?
- What is a pilgrimage? Why might someone of faith make a pilgrimage?

You can present your work via a written report, fact-file, information text, song, video, photos, maps, drawing and sketches. There are many creative ways to present what you find out. Perhaps you have a question from this that you would like our class to investigate, send it in with your completed work.

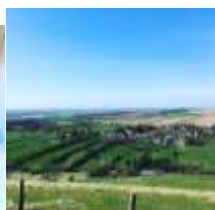
I look forward to seeing your work and all the interesting things you find out!

Stay safe,

Mr Hone



Learning to draw sharks



Running across Millington



Eating chocolate



Nana Challenge



Den building