

## Dinners

Beans on Toast  
(The Stockpile is running low!)



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## Home Schooling

We continue to be amazed at the creativity on display through home learning. Next week is the Easter holidays!! Make sure you take a break and enjoy some family time. Teachers may put up a few ideas for you to try at home but these are totally optional! We will still love to see your pictures etc. posted on Seesaw.

## The Mystery Staff is.....

Who enjoys walking and being outdoors, has a fear of seaweed, has been to Australia and LOVES chocolate.  
It was .....  
Mrs Parkhill!! Did anyone get it right??

"Piglet noticed that even though he had a very small heart, it could hold a rather large amount of gratitude."  
-A.A. Milne



## Stars of the Week

Again we could have 90 Gorran Stars this week!! We have chosen....

Primary 1/2 – **Oscar** for his excellent life cycle of a frog work! **Maya** for her brilliant 5 a day!

Primary 3/4 – **Dylan** – for baking a delicious sponge cake. **Arya** – for continuing to work so hard with her times tables. **Bradley** – following instructions to make playdough and creating a story with it.

Primary 5/6 – **Leah** – for writing a fantastic poem. **Alex** for a super story. **Eli** for colourful creative work in all activities.

Primary 7 – So difficult to choose between all the amazing marble runs.....**Sam** for thinking big, **Jack** – super woodwork, **Zara** – for being really creative.

## Mystery Staff Member #2

Can you guess this week's mystery staff member?

1. They love to cook
  2. They have been on a cruise.
  3. They don't like things that fly, especially bats and birds.
  4. They love getting cakes.
- Who could it be?

## Our Parents

Thank you for all the encouragement and understanding you have afforded our teaching staff as they have started out on our home learning journey.

We think you are doing an amazing job at home. Always remember our very important message - that this time is all about health and happiness for our children. Learning is an added bonus. We hope that our activities and videos have brought you some joy as the children's work has done for us. Please please do not let home learning cause you stress (it's not worth it!)

## Aghadowey Community

Aghadowey Presbyterian Church would like you to make the "Aghadowey area a sea of colour in the form of rainbows in your windows".

## Lexia

Congratulations to the following pupils who have received Lexia certificates this week; Kora, Karis, Joshua, Darcy, Sophia, John, Oliver M (P4) and Oliver M (P7).

**Joe Wicks PE** 9am tomorrow is fancy dress. I wonder will any of your teachers dress up??

## How can Gorran Help?

We are working on a few ways that Gorran PS can support its local community.

1. Letters for Trinity House residents – It is great to have so many children already signed up for this! There are still a number of residents who would love to receive letters and pictures, so if you would like to take part please email [gorranps@gmail.com](mailto:gorranps@gmail.com).
2. Foodbank – Thankyou to those who dropped off goods for the foodbank, these were passed on to Ballymoney HC and given to those in need in our local community. If you would like to make a donation, you can drop 'parcels' at the front door of school on Monday and Thursday.
3. Volunteers – Key workers' children. Can you help supervise children in school? We are committed to keeping this 'service' open and are currently (happily) working with a small number of staff. However, we would like to have plans in place if and when some of our staff are required to self-isolate. If you think you could help please get in touch via seesaw or by emailing [gorranps@gmail.com](mailto:gorranps@gmail.com) (We hope to get volunteers who will not need to bring their own children!)

We thank you for all your support so far!