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We hope that everyone has had a lovely half term and you managed to enjoy the warmer weather.

This week we are delighted to hear that all children will be back in school on Monday 8th March and preparations are now under way for this to happen safely in their class bubbles. A ParentMail has been sent to all parents regarding the return and, if you have not done so, please read and familiarise yourself with this information.

Should you have any general queries regarding returning to school please email the school office on office50@brixworth.northants.sch.uk or if you have any concerns regarding your child please email their class teacher.

World Book Day



With World Book Day next Thursday, we have been planning some fun and creative activities for you to do at home. We are looking forward to sharing our favourite Roald Dahl stories with the children! There is absolutely no expectation for children to dress up but if they would like to then we will show our favourite book character costumes during the morning zoom.

Your child will receive a World Book Day token once they return to school on Monday 8th March. The £1 book token can then be swapped for one of the exclusive, new and completely FREE World Book Day books available from participating booksellers or used to get £1 off any full price book or audio book instead (as long as the book or audiobook costs at least £2.99).

If a child who is currently in school was to test positive over the course of a weekend, please email Mrs Young immediately on: Head@brixworth.northants-ecl.gov.uk



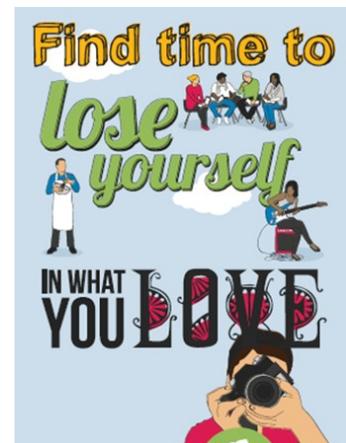
ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

This week's letter for the 10 Keys series is T, which completes the first word in our 10 Keys series: **GREAT**. The T stands for **'Trying Out'** and encourages us to try something new so as to keep our minds constantly working and learning. Apparently Robert Redford once said, "I've always wanted to try new things because it's exciting and it keeps you active and alive." This sounds like good advice!

There are so many things we can try to learn but it is important to remember that we are more likely to succeed when we keep it simple and keep it up. If you want to learn a new language that would be fabulous, however, it might be more achievable to start with French or Italian rather than Russian...at least then you know they have the same alphabet as us!

Here is a short list of suggestions to get you and your family started. If you could plan one new thing to do this week, what will it be? We would love to hear what you chose!

- Walk/run a different route when taking exercise
- Learn to say hello and goodbye in 10 different languages. Even better, find a buddy to do this with and learn together
- Find a new song or tune to sing or play
- Cook a new recipe, or cook to give the normal household chef a break!
- Play a new game as a family (or change the rules of an old favourite)
- Learn new techniques using technology
- Sign up for an online learning course
- Start a new craft/hobby
- Try a new physical activity
- Learn a new musical instrument



If you never try, you'll never know!

Parents Evening

Zoom links for your booked parents evening appointment next week have been sent out via ParentMail. If you have not received your link please contact the school office on:

office50@brixworth.northants.sch.uk.

Joining instructions were included with the ParentMail but as a reminder here is the protocol for attending zoom meetings:

- Do not join the link until the time of your pre-booked appointment (this is the time you booked on ParentMail)
- All appointments are strictly 10 minutes at which time the teacher will end the session
- Please ensure it is your child's name which is visible on the display screen
- As per the school's 'Parent Code of Conduct' no meeting should be recorded
- The camera should be enabled at all times
- Anyone who might be seen on screen during the call must be appropriately dressed (e.g. parents and carers, children) and all backgrounds should be fitting
- If the link fails at anytime please reconnect using the same link