

# Temple Herdewyke Primary School and Nursery

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## Back to school on 1st June

Firstly, congratulations to all keyworker pupils who attended during lockdown. They were all a credit to their school and their parents.

On 1st June, following Government guidelines, we invited Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 pupils to return to school. Classrooms were adjusted and equipment was removed and re-organised. Staff worked extremely hard to ensure that the building was well prepared and we managed to open on the agreed date. A huge thank you to all teaching staff for following Government guidelines to prepare the accommodation in a short amount of time so that we could welcome our pupils back.

Congratulations must also go to pupils who have had a lot of new routines to learn and adhere to.

We have had around 35 pupils attend each day and they have all been fantastic!

## 26 Marathons in 26 Days - Completed!

Congratulations go to WO2 Simon Hannaford, one of our parents, for completing this amazing achievement. Mr Hannaford completed the final five miles of his 676 mile race by running around the neighbouring Army base. In crossing the finishing line Mr. Hannaford was clapped in by his army colleagues and he was greeted by his friends, wife and family.



Mr Hannaford has raised more than £5,000 for the NHS charities and The Felix Fund. If you would like to sponsor him please visit his just giving page to donate.

Well done Simon!

<https://www.justgiving.com/search?q=simon%20hannaford>

## Thank You Gail!

All through lockdown and school holidays, whenever the school has been open, Gail Payne has been present, ensuring that the school is spotlessly clean.

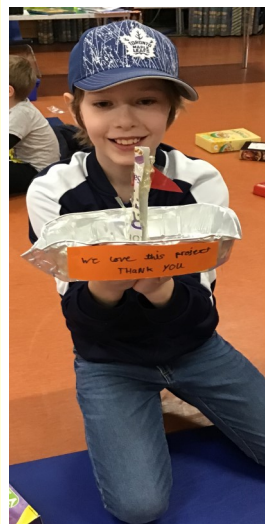
This is more important now, than ever. Gail has ensured that she, and any other member of staff who is supporting the cleaning efforts, is following the Government guidelines to ensure that we are keeping all pupils a staff safe. She has worked through all holidays since February half term and nothing is too much trouble for her.

It is great to have team members like Gail on board. Thank you Gail.



## STEM Live-stream Challenge

Before half term, pupils attending school were invited to take part in a STEM Live-Stream Challenge set by The Small Piece Trust. Working in family groups, pupils had to design and make a buoyant, streamlined, waterproof boat that was able to travel in a straight line. Guidance and encouragement was live streamed from The Small Piece Trust into the class. Many thanks to The Small Piece Trust, especially to Emma Golbourn, for including us in this exciting STEM project.



## Happy Birthday to all our friends ! We hope you had a lovely day.



Max Hannaford	8 years old on 30th May 2020
Emmeline Taylor	6 years old on 30th May 2020
Alfie Keeble	7 years old on 5th June 2020