

Dear Families,

4th May 2018

This week we have continued to look at Barnstaple and have compared it to the city of Nairobi in Kenya. The children have looked at a child in Nairobi's school day. They have drawn pictures showing how Nairobi and Barnstaple are different and have written facts about the animals that live in Nairobi's national park.

AT HOME YOU COULD:

- Enjoy reading together.
- Try to learn the words in the back of your Home Learning Journey.
- Research another town and city and compare it to Barnstaple. We'd love to see lots of pictures and drawings of this town.

Next week we will be learning about local towns and will be junk modelling some of these towns. If you have any spare cardboard boxes, please could you bring them in for the children to use.

Friday, 18th May – Royal wedding celebration

In celebration of the Royal wedding, Orchard Vale will be holding a whole school afternoon high tea and fun afternoon. In order to help make this as scrumptious as possible it would be lovely if the children could make a set of 12 royal wedding themed cupcakes (red, white and blue; union jack etc) to bring in on the day to share. There will be a prize for the best cakes in each key stage.

Thank you very much and have a lovely weekend and see you Tuesday!

Diary dates

Mon, 7th May – Bank Holiday

Fri, 18th May – Royal Celebration and non-uniform day (red, white and blue)

Fri, 25th May – Last day before half term.

Mon, 28th May to Fri, 1st June – Half Term

The Reception Team