

# Weekly Word

26.3.2021



To all Parents/Carers,

In case you missed it, today has been all about Saving the Tigers (see the cakes above as one of the many examples of activities which have been happening throughout the week)! Thank you for all your generous contributions on the gate this morning and for sending your child in non-uniform! And the biggest thank you of all goes to the Y5 and Y6 classes for this fantastic idea.

All children in these two year groups wrote to me last week (as part of a persuasive letter project) saying why I should allow a Save the Tiger Day. The letters were compelling and so well written – we definitely have a few lawyers of the future in school! Although flattery can help also, one child basically wrote I had a good beard and then asked me to agree to the class' request! Another child said my son Henry would be ashamed if I didn't agree to the day! Either way, it worked and I agreed!

For an example of what the children have been learning click on the link below (which is also on Twitter). It's absolutely amazing:

[UKS2 homework: documentary \(vimeo.com\)](https://vimeo.com/548888888)

In other news, I recently submitted another bid requesting funds for a community sensory garden. The idea of a community space which can be used by everyone (including some kind of building which I talked about in last week's weekly word), continues to gather momentum. The ideas, the plans, the drawings and the vision are all in place – we just need to raise the money. I'll keep you posted when I know more.

And finally, it was really nice to see the Y5 children doing their 'Bikeability' outside yesterday. In any other year this kind of thing is pretty normal but to see something happen in school which has not been able to take place for over a year just gave an increasing sense that we are moving back towards some kind of normal. But as we have said many times before, let's not get complacent, let's keep wearing our masks and let's keep social distancing!

**Have a great weekend and see you on Monday,**

**Mr I. Johnson**