Dear Year 2

I hope that you are all well and that you are settling into our new way of living and learning. Thank you for sending me so many lovely photos, videos and letters this week. They have made me smile so much, which has helped me cope with these very strange times. Please continue to send them to info@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk.

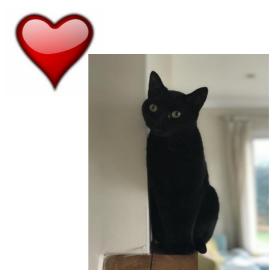
I know that you are all working hard at home to finish the tasks I set you. There are some more activities on Education City too. Look out for some new and exciting work that will be in the Home Learning section of our website after the Easter Holiday. I'd also like to ask you to be patient with your mummies and daddies when they are helping you with your work. We do things very differently to the way your parents were taught at school, so you might need to explain all the different learning strategies we use in class so they understand what you are doing.

During the Easter holiday, I would like you to keep on reading, practise your 2, 3, 4 and 10 times table and learn your doubles and halves to 20 by heart. You might also want to have a look at a new home learning project that has been launched by the Liverpool World Museum. It's called #MyHomelsMyMuseum Have a look at the museum's web site – https://www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk/my-hom-my-museu for more details.

I was in school this week helping to look after some of our children whose parents are helping our country at the moment. It was very quiet without you all. I really miss being your teacher and Mrs Hounsell does too. She asked me to say a special "Hello' to you all. Hopefully, if we keep following all the rules, we will be able to be back together in class soon. In the meantime I will keep on planning exciting things for us to do whilst also keeping my cats entertained. I'll be writing to you again next Friday so please stay safe and well until then.

With love

Mrs Riley & Mrs Hounsell Xxx



This is my cat murphy. He loves watching me work!