30 March 2020 To my wonderful Base 5,

Oh my goodness, I have missed you! I hope that you are all enjoying time with your families and obviously doing lots and lots and lots and lots of work. Only joking! It is very important that, whatever you are doing, above anything else, you are happy. I have been checking up on your Khan academy progress; you guys are doing a great job. I have being doing it with my girls too- our avatar hasn't changed yet, I wonder how many of yours have and what they look like?

We have also been busy, out and about, doing some gardening and exercising . Who has been taking part in the Joe Wicks PE lessons? We have been dancing to Oti (from Strictly Come Dancing)- I'm almost as bad at dancing as I am at singing! Never mind, it is great fun and we always end up laughing. We have enjoyed being in our garden, spotting different birds, drawing them, finding insects and identifying them , looking at shadows and how these are created, and we have tidied up the borders- remember that this is all learning.

I have been enjoying my book too- what have you guys enjoyed reading the most? Have you got any more recommended reads for me? Have you been listening to David Walliams reading his stories every day?

It has been so lovely to the pictures and read the messages that you have been sending in to school, it is great to see what you are doing at home please keep sending them in. Please remember that, even though we aren't in school, I am still your teacher and feel very privileged to have that role. I still want to see all the wonderful work that you are doing, I want to see you having fun and I want you to know that I think you are all wonderful.

Take care of yourselves.

Your teacher, Mrs Charlesworth

P.S Keep looking at the school website- you will see what lots of your friends have been doing.