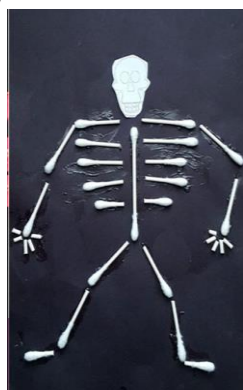




Dear Reception,

We hope that you are all safe and well and have had another fantastic week with your families. We all miss hearing your cheerful voices and seeing your smiling faces in school. We love seeing what you have been getting up to on Tapestry and we can see that lots of you have been enjoying the lovely weather that we have been having. If you would like to, please keep uploading photos and messages to Tapestry as we love to keep in touch with you in this way. If there is anything additional that you need, we check Tapestry regularly so just let us know.

As our new topic would have been 'healthy bodies and healthy minds', we thought you might like some of the following activities linked to the human body.



Maybe you could read some of the *Funny Bones* stories (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o_K_0GmE1mY) and investigate the skeletons of different types of creatures. You could also look at some Human Body fact books. There are a wide range of these on the *Get Epic!* site. This website is offering a free subscription for the next month providing access to a huge range of books for a variety of age ranges.

Perhaps you could try some exciting Science experiments like making your own paper bag lungs, playdough bones or even investigating the messy process of digestion! Drawing round each other and labelling the different parts of the body is also a really fun activity to try. If you have a particularly interested biologist, there are some fantastic resources on the STEM website (<https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/elibrary/resource/35233/human-body>) with an Interactive Human Body Interactive Simulation (<http://www.tenalpscommunicate.com/clients/siemens/humanbodyOnline/#home>).

We hope you enjoy exploring the human body! We would love to see some of your favourite discoveries.

Sending lots of love to you all.

From, Miss Thompson, Mrs Sanderson, Miss MacKellar, Miss Stenhouse, Mrs S, Mrs Stevens, Miss Bain and Miss Glenn. xxx