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Southrop C of E Primary

Together We Can Fly

Our value this term is Creativity - it is something we really enjoy at Southrop School, and we anticipate we will need a substantial amount of it this term! We were all getting our costumes together to start the term dressed as either animals or explorers, when we heard the news that we were going into lockdown again. However, this news didn't dampen our enthusiasm or plans, and our day exploring Amazing Africa and the Rainforests to support our new topics continued, in school for vulnerable and critical worker children, and at home for everyone else.

Though we have the majority of children working from home and almost half of our teaching staff, we are able to bring everyone together each morning for on-line English and Maths lessons. We have also been joining together for some PE and Science lessons and daily storytime. This daily contact keeps everyone connected and motivated. We are very proud of the attitude of our young people, who put in every effort to continue their learning in far from ideal circumstances and are becoming Microsoft Teams pros! And of course none of this would be possible without the staff who continue to adapt to overcome each new challenge.