

Our Poem for You
by the Woodhouse Staff

Hello everybody,
We hope that you are all well,
When we get back to school,
We'll have an amazing Show and Tell!

We are missing you and your smiles,
The way you love to learn,
How kind you are to your friends,
Yes you always take a turn.

We miss seeing your faces,
In the dining hall,
Sitting in our assemblies,
Watching you grow so tall.

We wonder what you're doing,
At home during this time,
Maybe your painting rainbows,
Maybe you're writing rhymes.

Have you played a new game?
Have you read a new book?
Have you been on Purple Mash?
We can't wait to have a look!

Maybe you've looked out of the window,
To see what you can see,
A garden bird or new flower,
A butterfly or bumble bee.

It's amazing what we notice,
When life stands still for a while,
When we aren't rushing to be somewhere,
Staying in just is not our style!

We hope the sunshine continues,
It helps to be outside,
Do your daily exercise,
It might be tough but hey, you've tried!

There are some things that are very important,
That we don't want you to forget,
Keep writing your lockdown diary,
And doing the times tables we've set.

Read every single day,
From a comic, book or magazine,
Use an atlas or the internet,
To learn about places you've never been.

Keep in touch with your families,
However near or far,
Right now we cannot be with them,
We can't just hop in our car.

Some days you might feel fed up,
That's ok too,
Put on some music and dance around,
That'll stop you feeling blue.

You may not be in a classroom,
Surrounded by all your friends,
But you are still learning,
Because learning never ends.

We're learning to be patient,
To wait for things we cannot now do,
We're learning new ways,
To stay in touch with you.

We're learning what's important,
What matters most right now,
Staying at home, staying safe,
It's easy when you know how.

So use your imaginations,
We know how creative you can be,
Start a new project on your own,
Or with the help of your family.

Fill your days with fun,
Smiles and laughter too,
Remember this won't last forever,
We'll soon be back at school with you!