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Dear Children,

How are you all doing? I hope you are well, and you have had a good weekend. What did you get up to? I went for another long walk which although it was freezing was really nice. One funny thing did happen, after we'd been walking for a little while, we heard a very strange sound. It was a sort of low honking sound that lasted a few seconds. It happened several times. Mr. Cook thought it was a goose, Isobel thought it was a calf and Arthur thought it was some sort of machine. I had no idea! Well when we went past some old farm buildings there it was....



I don't think I've ever heard a peacock call before! Quite a strange sound!

It was exciting this morning wasn't it waking up to snow outside! Have you been out in it yet? Let me know if you do, I'd love to see any pictures of snowmen or other snow sculptures you make! You can email them to me at head@burtonjoyce.notts.sch.uk

It was great to see so many of you on Friday's assembly- thank you for joining if you did. It was really lovely for us to be able to spend some together. Well done again to all those who received the awards.

We have one more week now before we break for half-term. Try to keep up the fantastic effort and hard work you have been putting in. I know it can feel hard sometimes working in the new ways we have to, but it really is so important that we keep focussed and keep trying. We need to keep our brains and bodies active! Remember if you are ever struggling with any of the work set you can use the chat to ask your teachers for help or you could email them if you'd rather. Always ask for help rather than give in. It is fine to ask for help as many times as you need to so don't worry.

Please remember too when working at home you need to have good manners all the time and do as your grown-ups ask – just like you would at school. This is important children as we need to adhere to our school values wherever we are, so we must be respectful at all times.

Well I'd better get going now and you need to crack on with your jobs too. Have a super week everyone. Don't forget to contact me if you need me or send me any snow pictures or any work you extra proud of.

I'm so proud of you all and miss you very much. Hopefully we shall all be back together again really soon.

Take care,

Mrs. Cook

