

Letters to the Library



Describe yourself in a sentence or two, for example your age and occupation (or, if you do not have one, what you like to do). What is your household like?

I'm 11 years old. I go to Parker Farms elementary school. I like to read and write stories. I am not a big fan of math. I'm also not good at math, but I try my best. I live with my mom, stepdad, my little brother, a dog, and two cats.

What is your day to day routine like now? What has changed? What has not changed?

I wake up in the morning then I get ready for my nana to come to my house and drive me to school. I cant go on the bus this year because of Corona. Also I end up sleeping in, and I get in trouble sometimes. Sometimes I have to learn on the computer because of quarantine or on a snow day. This is hard because I dont learn ok on the computer. This year I cant see my friends in person.

What precautions have you taken against the virus? How have you prepared? Were there any difficulties (shortages, high prices etc.)?

Not seeing my friends has been difficult. During quarantine it was long and boring. The wifi would be slow with my brother learning on the computer and my mom working from home. We only had an ipad to learn and my mom had to buy a chromebook. School was hard. I had to do the work with my mom. My mom got masks and got lots of food. We got hand sanitizer.

What have been the biggest challenges for you during this time?

staying home on quarantine and no vacations!

How have you stayed busy?

Video games, face time, drawing, playing the flute, Girl scouts online

Have there been any positives to this situation?

Getting to hang out with my family more

What local Wallingford places/businesses do you miss most?

Skyzone and Mr. Ds

How have you stayed social while social distancing?

Using Google Meets, Face Time

What is the first thing you are doing when things go back to normal?

I want to go over my friends house.

How did you celebrate the Holidays? Did you see family in person, digitally, or not at all?

I saw my close family in person like my nana.

How will you be celebrating Wallingford's 350th Jubilee? If you were here for the 325th Jubilee, do you have any memories you would like to share?

I don't know

What do you miss most about the Wallingford Public Library? What is the first thing you will be doing when you can come back into the building?

I miss going and reading there. I want to go get out some books.