



Weekly Newsletter

Friday 26/01/2024

Message from the Principal

This week groups of year 5 and 6 pupils have been taking part in Bikeability. I have been so impressed with how resilient they have been, especially with the wet weather! So many children have grown in confidence and have enjoyed learning valuable skills. We have already booked for next year!



As a school, we continue to work very hard to promote a reading culture. Please do continue to support us by listening to your child read every day and completing the reading record. Our new team of reading ambassadors now have their badges and will be working with Mrs Maker to continue to promote our love of books.

For families who may be interested, this weekend is the [RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch](#). Happy spotting!

Mrs Ciantar



Attendance

Whole school attendance this week is 95.2%. We aim for our children to have 100% attendance.

Hedgehogs	90.5%	Otters	97.2%
Squirrels	98.8%	Badgers	98.8%
Hawks	95.3%	Eagles	94.2%
Kestrels	94.8%	Falcons	96.4%
Beech	94.8%	Willows	90.4%
Ash	92.2%	Oak	93.8%

To report an absence, you will need to call the school absence line before 9am (01234 302300 - extension 1).

Celebrating success

The winners of our 'Great Work'

Robins – Ralph

Owls – Luke

Hedgehogs – Amelia

Otters – Timmy

Badgers – Albie

Squirrels–Squirrels

Hawks – Zara

Eagles – Freddie J

Falcons –Omaima

Kestrels - Zack

Beech - Asiya

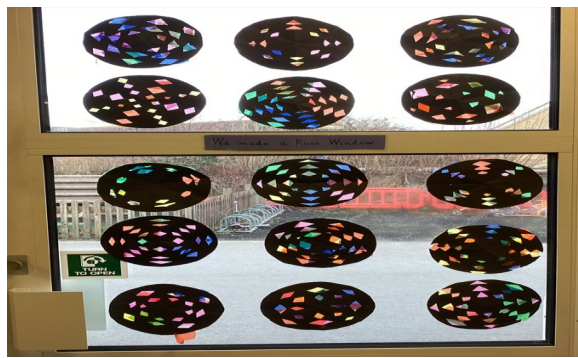
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Ash –Wania

Oak - Wania

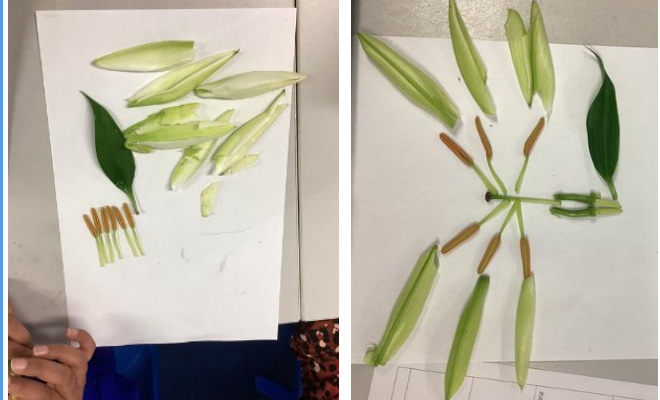
Year 1

In Year 1, we have been very busy learning about architecture. We have been looking at buildings in London, like St. Paul's Cathedral, and drawing them. This week we have made some gargoyles out of clay!



Year 5

This term, Year 5 are learning about life cycles of different organisms. This week, we focused on the reproduction of plants and dissected lilies to look closely at their reproductive organs. Year 5 took their time with the dissection and really enjoyed looking so closely at the plants.



Upcoming Dates

Here is a list of key dates for this half term. Please note that new events may be added and that existing dates may be changed or cancelled. We will update you if this is the case.

Date	Event
29.01.2024	Height & Weight EYFS
31.01.2024	Hazard Alley Year 4
12.02.2024	Poetry Performance Year 5
13.02.2024	Bletchley Park Year 6
19.02.2024	Half Term Week commencing 19th– 23rd Feb 2024
19th & 20th March	Parent consultation meetings



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