

13th January 2023

Where learning is fun!

A message from Mrs Knights

Happy New Year to all of our children and Families.

We have had a great week settling back into school after all of the December festivities. All of the children have enjoyed being back to their normal routines and engaged in their learning. I have seen exciting science experiments in year 2, Year 1 have been writing about some very old toys and Reception have been learning all about farms and farm animals as well as helping plant in the garden. Today I met with our school council to talk about ways to raise money towards our new climbing wall. They had lots of ideas, and finally chose a cake sale, a dressing up day and a film night - look out for more information coming soon!

In staffing news, I would like to welcome Mrs Begum to our lunchtime team and Miss Lowton to our Reception team. I know that they have already made a positive difference to our children and their learning.

I wish you all a restful weekend, please listen to your child read - they are doing so well, and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.



Head Teacher's Award



Oliver & Kyla in Red Class for their lovely reading



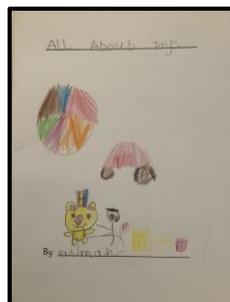
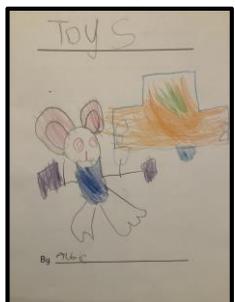
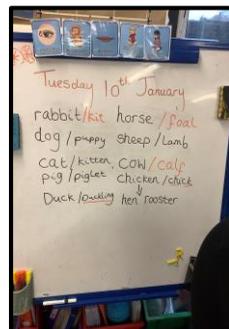
Year 2 This week in science, we have been learning all about absorbency. To test the absorbency of different materials, we set up an experiment. We had to put the material over a cup and then pipette some water onto the material. We counted how many drops of water it took until the water dripped through the material into the cup. Once we had collected our results, we described the properties of the absorbent materials. We have also started our topic on Traditional Tales and read a version of Rapunzel. We used adjectives to describe the good and evil characters.



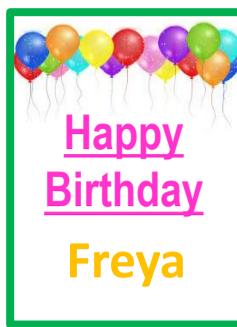
Year 1 We started to work on our Toys topic. Using a book about toys, we identified the features of a non-fiction book, particularly learning about the contents page. We designed the front cover of our non-fiction book and will be writing lots of information about old and new toys. If you have any old toys at home that you would be happy to show us, please let us know.



Reception This term we are travelling all around our world, looking at different animals. This week we're in Europe, looking at farm animals in the UK. We have found out different animal names, what their babies are called and their different habitats. In Maths, we have been looking at the position of numbers on a number line, using our positional language to describe where they go, for example: my tower has one cube, your tower has four cubes so my tower comes before yours



Congratulations to all the children that achieved 100% attendance for the whole of the Autumn term



Lennon	Reagan
Christian	Lucas
Charlotte	Rana





Well done to.....
Madison in **Yellow** class for amazing writing and
Elena in **Red** class for fabulous reading



Parent to Lunch

On Fridays we are welcoming Parents to have lunch with their child. We can only have 6 parents each week and you can only come once a term for your child. Lunch is £3.70. To book your place please contact the school office.

BOOKINGS OPEN

Story of The Week



The Rainy Day

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=av2FP2n2qrg>

Attendance

Congratulations to **YELLOW** class.
Keep up the amazing work 😊

ORANGE	93.6%	RED	97.5%
PURPLE	97.3%	BLUE	94.3%
YELLOW	98.2%	GREEN	95.3%



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