



Headteacher Awards

Red – Oscar for his fantastic reading

Yellow – Ethan for his amazing writing

Edward for his incredible knowledge of war



Deputy Headteacher Awards

Green – Ruby and Evie for their fantastic writing



Reception have been learning about alliteration. They used this to make funny sentences about forest animals. The children came up with lots of ideas.

Harry the hedgehog hopping on hay.

Faye the fox crunching fudge.

Freddie the frog frying fish.

Mila the mouse drinking milk.

Reception have also been on a nature walk, made collages and salt dough hedgehog. They look fabulous!



Year 1 had a toy work shop to start the week. They made 6 different toys: a fishing game, spinners, teddy bears, a peg doll, football player and a goal. They will be bringing them home today.

Year 1 have also been learning how to estimate in Maths. They were given groups of dinosaurs and asked to estimate which group had more dinosaurs. In English, they are reading Mr Big and wrote about what they thought Mr Big's feelings were when the animals ran away from him. The children thought Mr Big was sad because he just wanted to be their friend.



This week in Science, Year 2 learnt about habitats and microhabitats. They went outside and searched for different types of microhabitats and minibeasts that live in them. The children then used adjectives to describe what each microhabitat was like. They thought about which minibeasts might live in each microhabitat and why.

In Maths, the children have been learning about money. This is much harder for children now as we are not using coins very often in shops. At home, please help your child to recognise the value of coins and find different ways to make the same amount. You could set up your own shop or pay them in pennies to do chores 😊



Spare Clothes

We are in desperate need of tights, socks and underwear for girls in ages 5-6, 6-7 and 7-8. If you can donate any to the school, please can you send it to the office in a bag marked SPARE. Thank you ☺



Christmas Lunch

Please can I just remind parents and carers that you need to send back your child's choice for Christmas lunch by Wednesday 2nd December.



Marvellous Me Christmas Badge Competition

Marvellous Me are asking children to design a Christmas Badge. I have sent home the template for your child to complete if they would like to enter the competition. Entries need to be back by Thursday 3rd December 2020. The winning badge will be uploaded to Marvellous Me. Good luck!



Watford Community Housing Trust Competition

Watford Community Housing Trust are holding an online Christmas competition. If you would like your child to enter, create a Christmas card and send it to CommunityHubs@wcht.org.uk by Sunday 6th December to be in a chance of winning a number of prizes. All entries need the child's name, age and parents contact details added to the email. Happy designing!



Food Bank Vouchers

Due to Covid, more families are struggling due to no fault of their own. If you are in need of help with food, the school hold food bank vouchers. Please pop into the office at any time or give us a call.

Home Start

Home Start is a support network for parent and families. If you need someone to help you with anxiety, depression, dealing with financial hardship or you just want a friendly face to have a cup of tea with visit <https://home-startwatford.org.uk/> or contact them on 01923 248010 or email enquiries@home-startwatford.org.uk



Star Of the Week

ORANGE	Eliazar	RED	Katie
GREEN	Dylan	YELLOW	Jackson
BLUE	Lucy	PURPLE	Jake

DIARY DATES

AUTUMN TERM 2020

Wednesday 9th December

Christmas Lunch

Friday 11th December

Santa Grotto Day – During School

Wednesday 16th December

Christmas party 2:45pm/3:00pm-4:00pm/4:15pm

Friday 18th December

Autumn Term Ends –

Reception 1:15pm Finish

Year 1 – 1:15pm Finish

Year 2 – 1:30pm Finish

New Year 2021 – Spring Term

Monday 4th January 2021

Inset Day – School Closed

Tuesday 5th January 2020

Back to school –

Reception

Year 1 8:50am

Year 2 8:40am

Literacy Challenge

Can you write about your favourite part of Christmas?

Maths Challenge

If we have 6 people and 18 candy canes, how many would each person get?

Philosophy For Children (P4C)

What would the world be like if there was no Christmas?

What do you think?

Letters Sent Out This Week

Meet and Greet Santa

Christmas Party

Marvellous Me Competition