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Stars of the Week



Reception: Phoebe for being confident to talk about her experiences.

Class 1: Faith for working with confidence solving problems in Maths.

Class 2: Jack for his excellent use of expanded noun phrases in a letter.

Class 3: Lilly for a fantastic piece of descriptive writing - well done!

Mrs Hutchinson's Head Teacher's Award: Connor- For always being a gentleman! For being kind, positive, and thoughtful and for always saying 'Good morning' on his way into school. His positivity sets us all up for the day!

Learning Achievements

Reception: In Reception we have been reading 'The Naughty Bus' and creating new things for the naughty bus to drive through such as mud and spaghetti. In Maths we have been exploring triangles and circles in a variety of ways including on 3D shapes faces. We have also started to explore the nativity story and thinking about which characters they think are the most important.

Class 1: This week we have been retelling the story of 'Katie in London'; we have explored different London landmarks and looking at similarities and differences between them. In Maths we have been learning to subtract using a range of resources and ten frames. In RE we have been looking at key events from the nativity story from the Gospel of Luke.

Class 2:

This week we have been practicing our formal methods for addition and subtraction. The children have used their reasoning skills to decide how we can quickly find the ones digit of a calculation. In English, the children have used their knowledge of gruesome surgeries of the past to write a letter. The children have explored Baptism during R.E and found similarities and differences between adult and infant christenings. We have all worked very hard.

Class 3: This week the children became poets! We have looked at examples of nonet poems and, using the same structure, the children created, wrote and learnt by heart their own expressive poem. In Maths the children have used square and prime numbers, multiples and common factors. The year 5 children have been interpreting line graphs and data. We have also been looking at examples of modern art, with the children saving their favourites to a digital folder.

For more information please look on our website and Facebook page.

Attendance w/c 16/11/20

Reception	100%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	94.3%
Year 3	95.4%
Year 4	96.7%
Year 5	97.1%
Year 6	93.3%
Overall	96.4%

Christmas cards

Unfortunately, due to on-going restrictions, the children are not allowed to bring Christmas cards in for their friends this year. The children will be participating in Christmas activities and will be making Christmas cards in school.

Anti-bullying Week!

This week at school in our PSHE lessons we have been focussing on Anti-Bullying and the theme 'United Against Bullying'.

The Anti-Bullying alliance has been working with Kidscape and SafeToNet to develop a tool for parent and carers to help them support their children and bring Anti-Bullying Week to life this year. The following information has been taken from their website:

As parents and carers, we all want our children to be happy and safe and it is natural to worry about bullying - particularly if we have experienced bullying ourselves, or we think our child may be more vulnerable to bullying. The good news is you are not alone! The Anti-Bullying Alliance and its members are here to work with children, families and schools to help keep children safe.

Every November schools throughout the United Kingdom take part in Anti-Bullying Week. This is an opportunity to shine a spotlight on bullying and consider the steps we can take together to stop it. Anti-Bullying Week 2020 is taking place from Monday 16th to Friday 20th November this year and it has the theme 'United Against Bullying'.

As a parent or carer, you are a vital piece of the puzzle in tackling bullying. You have a unique role to play in guiding and supporting your child through their school years and there are lots of positive steps you can take to help keep your child safe from bullying and harm. One of the steps is knowing when to ask for support. At the end of this resource we have included details of organisations like Kidscape who can help.

This tool was written by Kidscape and designed to give you information about bullying, tips about what to do if you're worried about bullying, the tools to help you talk to your children about bullying

If you are worried about bullying and need some advice or support you can contact the Kidscape Parent Advice Line. You can find out more about it at: www.kidscape.org.uk.

Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 23/11/20

(Please note: this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sausage, Mash, Yorkshire Pudding, Green Beans & Gravy OR Jacket Potato with Filling	Steak Pie, New Potatoes & Broccoli OR Baguette & Filling	Home Cooked Ham, Wedges & Beans OR Jacket Potato with Filling	Lasagne, Garlic Bread & Sweetcorn OR Baguette with Filling	Cheesy Pizza, Wedges & Peas OR Wrap with Filling
Shortcake Biscuit & Fruit Juice	Angel Delight	Marble Cake & Custard	Jelly & Fruit	Raspberry & White Chocolate Muffin Milkshake
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

Yours



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