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Year 6 Bikeability

Year 6 donned their scarves, hats, coats and high-visibility jackets this week as they braved the bitter cold to complete their Level 2 Bikeability. On Monday, the Year 6 children remained close to the school while showing their confidence when riding one handed and playing games to demonstrate their ease of turning. For the rest of the week, the children checked their 'ABC's' before heading out and about in Cambourne to face the real challenges the roads present. ***What the children have said:***

'I really love this week because I know what to do on my bike when I'm older' - Luke.

'I have liked how the instructors teach us bit by bit. They demonstrate it and then we get to try' - Kyle.



Book Fair

Our Christmas Book Fair is here! This is the perfect time to get some of your Christmas shopping done and to fill those stockings. The last day of our Book Fair is on Tuesday, so don't miss out. 100% of the commission will be going towards new books for our school library and for our classrooms.

Healthy eating hints and tips

Drink water

Make water the drink of choice at meal times, and keep juice and sweet drinks as occasional treats.

While juice has valuable nutrients and gives a concentrated energy boost for active, growing bodies, children should go for water first when they are thirsty, not sugar-sweetened drinks.



Staff news

We are pleased to inform you that Mrs Hearn, who currently teaches in Year 6, is expecting her first baby at the end of May. Congratulations Mrs Hearn!

Reception Maths morning

Reception children and their parents had an inspirational maths morning on Wednesday this week as they learnt together with their parents on many number, counting, shape and measurement activities. The children had an opportunity to share the exciting ways in which they learn through play and to share their many successes with their families. From sorting, to ordering, cutting out and sticking, and learning number songs, they were keen to show just how much they had learnt since joining us in September.

Headteacher Roll of Honour

Sophie in Lacerta Class—Sophie is putting 100% effort into all of her maths work. She is really ensuring that practise makes perfect and this is moving her learning on.

Zachary M in Dorado Class—Zachary is really keen to please, which means that he is always striving for the highest of standards in all of his learning. We love the fact that you are relishing the challenges that Mr Yates provides you with!

Sentence Starters

Ask your Reception child to create a picture or word spell fit for a wizard's spell book.

Ask your Year 1 child why they should not share their computer passwords.

Ask your Year 2 child what a simile is and to give an example.

Ask your Year 3 child to summarise the story of 'The Iron Man'.

Ask your Year 4 child to tell you some adjectives to describe how a person who had witnessed a Tsunami might feel.

Ask your Year 5 child to tell you 3 facts about Doctor Barnardo and his work in the Victorian era.

Ask your Year 6 child how their poppy art work links to our PSHE topic.

Forthcoming dates

26th—28th November—Book Fair

11th December at 2pm—Year 3 & 4 carol concert

12th December at 1.30pm—Reception come and share

12th December at 10am—Year 3 & 4 carol concert

13th December at 2pm—Year 1 Nativity

13th December at 6pm—Year 3 & 4 carol concert

14th December at 10am—Year 1 Nativity

18th December—Christmas lunch

18th December—Christmas festive fun afternoon

19th December—Last day of the Autumn term

20th December—2nd January—Christmas holiday

3rd & 4th January—INSET days (school closed to children)

7th January—Children return to school