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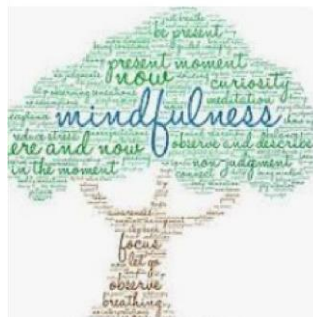
Friday 6th October 2023

Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

World Mental Health Day - Mindfulness Workshops

Today the children have come to school wearing their own clothes to highlight the importance of healthy minds and mental health.

On Tuesday 10th October we will be celebrating World Mental Health Day. On Friday 13th October, the children will be taking part in a Mindfulness Workshop which will provide strategies for mindfulness and a positive mental well-being.



Kitchen Rebuild Reminder

As mentioned in the letter earlier this week our kitchen re-build is due to begin this Monday 9th October. Please refer to this letter for key information. We will continue to update you with key information as the build progresses. Many thanks for your support with this matter.



Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Thank you to everyone who came along to our Macmillan Coffee Afternoon last Friday ... you helped us to raise a fantastic £113.98!

What a brilliant amount of money raised for such a worthy charity ... thank you!



Parents' Evening

A reminder that Parents' Evening will be held on the dates below. A letter communicating appointments will be sent home next week ... watch this space!

Tuesday 17th October 2023 KS2 Parents' Evening (3.00 ~ 6.30 p.m.)

Wednesday 18th October 2023 EYFS & KS1 Parents' Evening (3.00 ~ 6.30 p.m.)

A yellow rectangular sticky note with handwritten text in black ink. The text reads: 'Don't forget parents' evening!'

Don't forget
parents'
evening!

Some of our wonderful work ...

In Nursery, our colour of the week is RED. We have been on a colour hunt around our setting and sorted colours into groups ...



On Wednesday morning, the children in Y1T have been on a nature walk. We have been reflecting on our current book in English - Maya's Walk ...

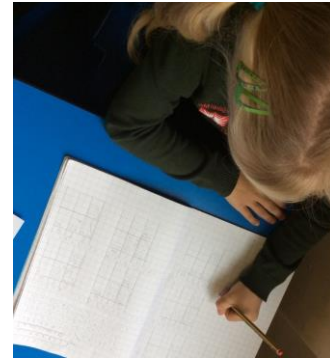
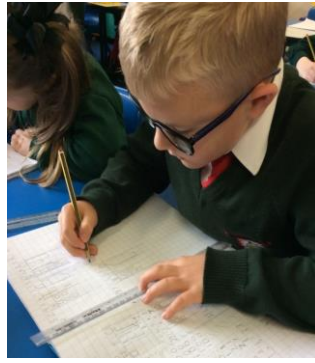


Y2M have been drawing shells and feathers using continuous line drawing. They have experimented with using different media such as pencils, pens and water soluble pens to explore the different effects ...

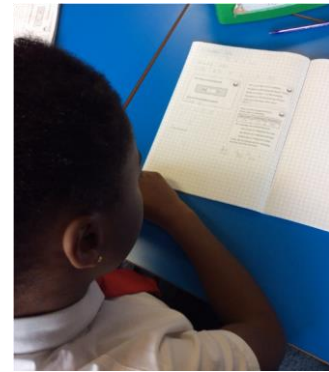
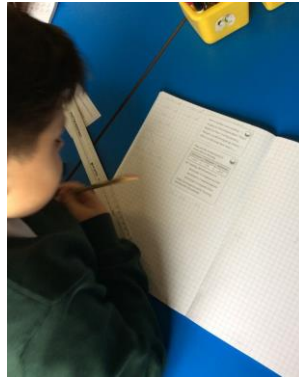
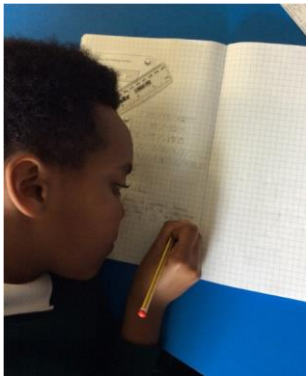


Some of our wonderful work ...

Year 3 have been working hard adding 3 digits and ones ...



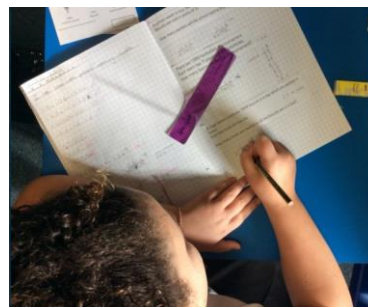
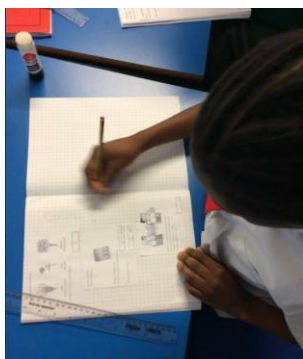
Year 5 have been working with negative numbers ...



6G have been reading the text 'The Great Kapok Tree' in English. We used a drama technique called conscience alley to explore the dilemma faced by the logger - should he cut down the tree or not?



Year 6 have been solving problems using long division ...



Attendance

2M are this week's "Class Attendance Winners" with an excellent **99.3%** attendance closely followed by **NurW** with **99.2%**!

NurW 99.2%	Nur/RecW 94.6%	RecK 96.8%	1T 98.3%	1/2M 96.4%	2M 99.3%
3S 95.4%	3/4D 96.9%	4C 98.1%	5C 96.4%	5J 94.5%	6G 95.9%
6W 92.6%					

When one class wins the "Class Attendance Winners" twice during a half-term they will receive a special reward.

Who will be next week's "Class Attendance Winners" ... see next week's school newsletter!





STARS OF THE WEEK

Rec: Albie	Y1/2M: Cody	Y3-4D: Brooke W	Y5J: Jacob F
Rec: Elissa	Y2M: Emily	Y4C: Bliss	Y6G: Riley
Y1T: Esmæ B	Y3S: Brooke H	Y5C: Tilly	Y6W: Leo



Watch this space for when our next stars will be announced.



Year 3 Sarah Sherriden	Year 4 Jackson	Year 5 Nabiel Aerysa	Year 6 Jesse Celine
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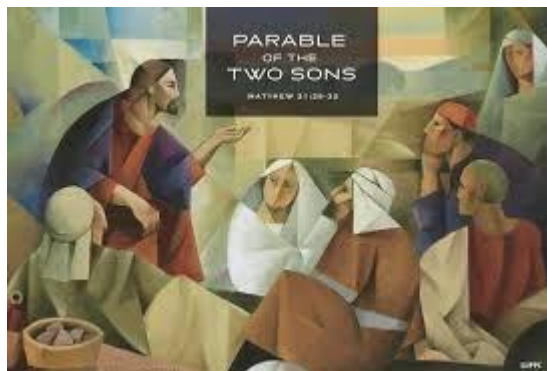


Please note there may be additional dates added to the following:

Tuesday 17th October 2023	KS2 Parents' Evening (3.00 ~ 6.30 p.m.)
Wednesday 18th October 2023	EYFS & KS1 Parents' Evening (3.00 ~ 6.30 p.m.)
Friday 20th October 2023	School closes for half-term
Monday 30th October 2023	School closed ~ Teacher Training Day
Tuesday 31st October 2023	School opens after half-term Deadline for Year 6 Secondary School applications
Wednesday 20th December 2023	School closes for the Christmas holidays
Monday 8th January 2024	School opens after Christmas holidays

Best wishes,
Mr Sutton
Headteacher

'Parable of the Two Sons'



In the Parable of the Two Sons we are reminded of the importance of our actions over words and false promises. We are asked to follow Jesus and his example...

“Love one another, as I have loved you’.