



12th June 2020

Message from Mrs Gardiner

It has been lovely to welcome back some of our Year 1 children this week and they have been busy learning with Miss Taylor and Mrs Gravenor. We are opening several more bubbles next week as our key worker and vulnerable children need has grown. If your child is returning, please ensure that you stick to the drop off and collection times. These are in place to ensure social distancing is maintained. Also please remember to send your child in fresh uniform and for this to be washed as soon as they get home. The increase to the numbers does mean that we have put on hold our plans to open to Reception and Year 6. We will continue to monitor and risk assess this situation and inform you of any changes. The safety of our children and staff remains our priority. We are very grateful for the support and understanding of our parents and carers during these ever changing times.

Reception Class



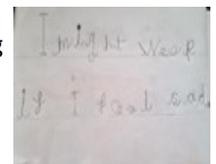
This week Reception have been listening to the story 'The Three Little Pigs'. The children have created their own storyboards, house designs and wanted posters to help capture the Big, Bad Wolf.



Well done to everyone for all of your hard work.

Reception Star of the Week

Reception Star of the Week is Jack for producing some fantastic writing using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. Jack also designed and labelled his own strong house after reading the story, 'The Three Little Pigs'.



Class 1



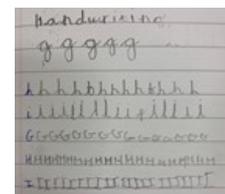
This week Class 1 have been learning about length and height in Maths. They measured objects using cubes and rulers, and they compared the length to find which was longer or shorter.

In RE they have been looking at how they can care for each other. They listened to the story 'Can't You Sleep, Little Bear?' and discussed who and how they can care for each other. Well done Class 1.



Class 1 Star of the Week

The Star of the Week in Year 1 is Kailum for his beautiful pre-cursive writing which is always correctly formed and well sized.



Class 2

Class 2 have worked hard this week to understand what first person means and how to tell events in first person.

Ronnie and Harris have been using fantastic story writing skills; they changed a third person story in a first person recount brilliantly!



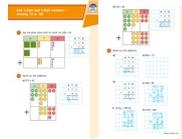
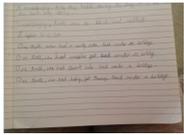
Class 2 Star of the Week

Alfie is this weeks Star of the Week for Class 2 for his amazing African village .



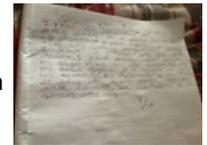
Class 3

Class 3 have had an interesting week this week. They have been turning into troll experts. The children have learnt about different sentence techniques to use in their information texts. In Maths the children have been practising their addition and subtraction work. Another great week Class 3!



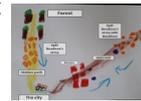
Class 3 Star of the Week

Star of the Week in Class 3 is Leo. He has completed some lovely work this week and it was great to see him reading his writing aloud when he sent in a video.



Class 4

This week Class 4 have had an exciting week discovering about Boudicca and her Rebellion, following a Roman invasion of Britain. They have been creating story boards, battle plans and reflecting on her significance in history. Class 4 have also completed their investigation into different features of newspaper articles in English. They will be ready to use these skills to create their own article next week!



Class 4 Star of the Week

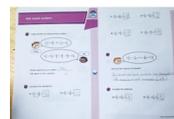
This week's Star of the Week is Adam, for his fantastic story board depicting Boudicca's rebellion.



Class 5

In science Class 5 have been learning that gravity is the pulling force acting between the Earth and a falling object, for example when you drop something. Gravity pulls objects to the ground.

In Maths they have been learning to add and subtract fractions with different denominators, by first converting these fractions to the same denominator before adding or subtracting.



Class 5 Star of the Week

This week's Star of the Week is Finley for working really hard at all activities and cheering up Mrs Acton and Miss Banks with his funny drawings and messages.



Class 6

In Class 6 they have been completing some comprehension exercises for their home learning this week. They have also written a short description of a character, the Elland Headless Horseman, set by Brooksbank School as a transition competition. Their maths work on algebra has continued, as has their computer python coding work. They have also been having fun in the virtual classrooms and they have been watching Mr Baker dancing with the Teletubbies!



Class 6 Star of the Week

Star of the Week in Class 6 is Chloe because she completes all the home learning that is set to a very high standard. Mr Baker enjoys hearing about the books that Chloe reads and she is showing that she has not lost any of her Maths or English skills.



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NSPCC 24 hour free phone service - 0808 800 5000 Police (if not urgent)- 101 Women's refuge – 0845 155 1485
Social Services – 01422 393336

Health and Wellbeing: <http://www.openmindscalderdale.org.uk/>

Safeguarding Children—If you are ever concerned about any child please speak to Mrs Gardiner or Mrs Scott