



News from us

Week ending 18th January 2019



From Mrs Barber

Welcome back to another exciting term. All curriculum letters sent out last week will give you the details of the areas of learning the children are tackling this half term. Please share this with your child and if you can help in anyway please let us know.



Year R 1 News

A super effort in spellings this week and well done to those who won a raffle ticket, I'll have to buy a new book! We have had a great two weeks in R/1 as we came to school and noticed the role play had changed into a woodland but we couldn't get upstairs. The first week we read, acted and danced to Goldilocks and the three bears. Then this week we noticed a bag of magic beans had been dropped in the woods only to see it had grown into a huge beanstalk and now we can climb up into the clouds to get into the castle in the sky. How magical our classroom is!

Year 2 News

Year two have had a busy couple of weeks with their new topic and our new class story. We have discovered that we have some budding actors in the class when we role played the story of 'The Gingerbread Man' (especially our sneaky old fox and the cute older couple). We have been planting beans as part of our experiment to see what conditions our seed prefers to germinate and grow in and our recorder practice got off to a flying start last week too when we learned how to play a rhythm using the 'b' note! Thanks for all of your patience to those of you who allowed recorder practice at home!

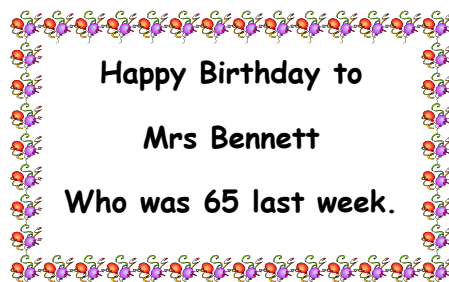
Year 3 / 4 News

It has only been two weeks but we have been extremely busy! In the first few days, we reflected on our learning skills and which were our strongest. We then created our own target to show which one we wanted to get better at. As part of this, we have created a question wall in the classroom. Here the children can pose a question and then the other children in the classroom can see if they can answer it. In addition we have started our new topic and we have taken a chocolate quiz, compared what life was like in 900AD in our country and where the Mayans came from and written some "treat" shape poems using a range of figurative language. Also, well done to all of the fantastic reading over the holidays; it has been a pleasure seeing this evidenced in a lot of the reading records.

Keep the Date

Maths Fun -Thursday 31st January 9.00-10.00 am

Come along and find out how you can practice those key basic skills in maths with your child at home in a fun way. We will have a short presentation on how the skills help written calculations further up the school followed by games time in the classrooms. Flyers to follow next week.



Happy Birthday to

Mrs Bennett

Who was 65 last week.

Abacus maths games and BUG CLUB Reading

All the children have a log in for active learning in their reading diary. The teachers have allocated maths games, reading books for them to access at home. They are all fun but link to their current learning. Please log on with them to see what they have to help them and have a play.

Mad Science Club

Booking forms in book bags.
Please book online with Mad Science.
Club starts next Wednesday and runs for 6 weeks.