

Right start: Bright Future Friday 7th June 2024

## **Headteacher Weekly Message**

We hope you enjoy reading the class newsletters this week. We have been making films using a green screen with life size dinosaurs. We have been exploring the Thames with the Thames Explorer Trust and we have hatched 20 chicks!

Our Junior Cricket team came 2nd in Quick Cricket playing against other Hounslow schools, which was brilliant! Thank you to Mrs. Flora and Mrs. Syed who arranged that competition.

Year 2 enjoyed their RNLI talks which will help them keep safe on their trip to Worthing beach soon.

Sports Days are coming up and we hope the weather holds out for them. The dates are on the google calendar EYFS is on 24.06.24, KS1 is 19.06.24 and KS2 is 21.06.24.

The junior children have their WelliFest (summer outdoor event) next Thursday and can come to school in party clothes and a decorate a special hat for the event. Tickets are £5 and available through ParentMail.

We look forward to seeing all our dads of the Reception children on Thursday 13th June at 2:30pm for a Father's Day celebration!

## **Important Dates**

**13.06.24 KS2 WELLIFEST** 

13.06.24 Reception Fathers Day 2:30pm

14.06.24 PGL Meeting for YR6 Parents

19.06.24 KS1 Sports Morning 9:15am

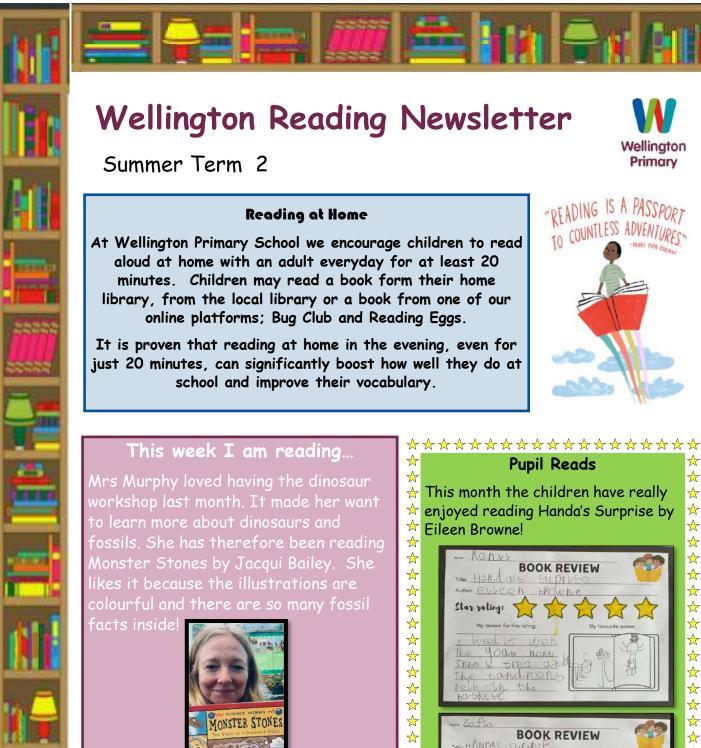
20.06.24 Summer Fair

# Skye Cam



# **Gold Merit Awards**

Congratulations to Sian (YR3), Marwo, Yasmin and Ingela (YR4) who were all awarded their badges today. Ridhi P (YR6) was awarded her second gold badge too!





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are 5 (schoolreadinglist.co.uk)

EYFS Reading Book Lists



## Home Learning Links

https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/ shows/alphablocks

https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/



# **Nursery Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

Its been a really exciting week in Nursery as we have had 10 fluffy, chicks in the class. The children have been so eager to learn all about them and have been patiently watching the incubator waiting for the first chick to hatch. They have also been really kind, gentle and considerate when holding the chicks and we are so proud of how well they have cared for and held them.

The children have enjoyed listening to the story 'How does an egg hatch' and we have been sequencing the life cycle of a chicken. The children have been excellent at using the correct vocabulary such as hatch, incubator and grow when talking about them.

As the sun has come out again the children have had lots of opportunities to spend time outdoors where we have been having lots of fun. The strawberries the children planted have come to flourish as have some of the vegetable. The children have been remembering to water the plants everyday.

Finally, the children have also been busy in the Art area painting and creating their own, fluffy chicks!

## Merits this week

Etta for fantastic counting of the chicks using the five frame.

Viviaan for making an amazing car with construction.

Mithusha for talking with confidence in the class.

Likhitheswar for being so polite and kind to everyone in the Nursery .

Raghvi and Gurbani for reading a bedtime story to the chicks.

Ayaan for super tidying and organising.

Jaisriram for drawing a cool, blue 'Lamborghini' and Afif for drawing a red 'Toyota' and using their phonics to label them.

Imaan for sharing her news about her new pet kitten with the class.

Ayesha for super confident talking about chicks.

Ahana for drawing and labelling a cob web.

Maria and Alayna for wonderful chalk painting.





















## Reminders

Summer has arrived! Please remember water bottles and caps/sun hats every day and apply sun cream before the start of the session on days where the sun is particularly strong.



## **Reception Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

Welcome back to the final half term of the academic year! We hope that you all had a wonderful break. This week, we have commenced our new topic called Animal Safari. Thank you so much for bringing in your wonderful home learning projects; there are some brilliant, creative animal designs. This project teaches children about the animals that live around the world, how to look after animals and the importance of caring for our local and global environments.

In Literacy and Phonics, we have been reading the story called Handa's Surprise; learning about exotic fruit, safari animals and the country Kenya. The naughty animals from the story stole our snack time fruit and the children did a brilliant job creating wanted posters to catch the thieves. We are practicing using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops in our writing.

In Maths, we have been learning to create repeating patterns. The children have been exploring patterns of colours, shape and size. They have identified the theme, continued patterns and created their own sequences.

## **Merits**

### **Oak Class**

Lavia for showing enthusiasm towards writing and choosing to access the message center independently.

Mina for improved communication and engagement with her peers and adults.

Riyansh for his brilliant behavior for learning and patience.

Yassin and Teela for independently writing recognisable phrases about Handa's Surprise using their phonic knowledge.

Wali for creating, identifying and continuing repeating patterns.

### **Birch Class**

Artem for saying his numbers in English from 1 to 10.

Geovanna for super singing and presence on the stage.

Mayuhki and Adria for incredible independent writing.

Rezwan for creating his own 3 step patterns.

Renil for creating fabulous posters about the animals in Handa's Surprise.

### **Elm Class**

Aarav has shown wonderful growth in confidence is now using clear sentences when speaking to adults. Keep up the great work.

Amani did a fantastic job answering questions about 'Handa's Surprise'. Well done, Amani.

Ava has been a wonderful friend by sharing at the juice station. Well done, Ava.

Avelyn for her excellent focus and listening on the carpet. Great job, Avelyn.

Saffiya for sharing books and reading with her friends in the book corner. Well done, Saffiya.













# **Reminders**

**Fathers Day Celebration** – You should have received a ParentMail about our celebration for our fathers and grandfathers on Thursday 13th June. The Reception gate will be open at 2.40pm. Please do not arrive after 2.45pm as the gate will be locked at this time. We can't wait to celebrate with you!

**Sports Day** – Our Reception sports day is provisionally taking place on Monday 24th June at 9.10am (this is weather dependent). Please check ParentMail for information on what the children should wear.



## **Year 1 Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

In English, we have started reading our new book 'The Leaf Thief', where we have made predictions and answered comprehension questions about the book.

In Maths, children have been learning about how to partition numbers into tens and ones.

In Science, children have been learning about sorting animals based on their physical appearance.

Children have learnt how to group them into a Carrol Diagram.

In Topic, the children have been comparing the city of London to Kuala Lumpur.

In RE, children have started learning about the religion Sikhism and what some of the beliefs are.

### **Merits**

### **Beech Class**

Dilpreet and Emily— for their sentence structure when writing sentences using adjectives about the squirrel from the book 'The Leaf Thief'.

Aiden—for his contribution during music and for following the beat.

Dylon and Leo— for understanding the similarities and differences of London and Kuala Lumpur.

Bryson— for his participation in class and always doing the right thing and helping others.

#### **Maple Class**

Taran for his super answer saying 30+23 makes 53 during Maths lesson about part whole model.

Ayansh and Ayaansh for sharing their super knowledge of partitioning numbers into tens and ones.

Erilk and Taran for his super sentences in Phonics using connectives.

Chloe for working really hard on her spellings.

#### **Willow Class**

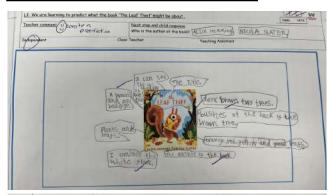
Urvaan and Deepinder– for their amazing contributions of what they already know about the religion Sikhism.

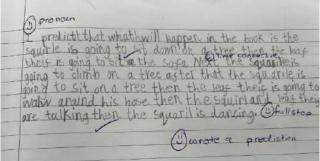
Aarav and Adwiti- for their super predictions of our new book in English 'The Leaf Thief'.

Naksatra— for her super effort in partitioning numbers into tens and ones.

Iqra— for her great understanding of how to group animals based on their physical appearance in Science.



















## Class Dojo

Beech— 645 Maple – 746 Willow–645

### **Reminders**

Year 1 trip on 28th June—please make sure this is paid by 14th June 3pm.

Please bring in book bags everyday.

Reading Task homework given on Monday and marked the following Monday.

Please support the pupils in their reading and phonics.



## **Year 2 Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

This week we have been collecting data in Maths and using the computers to create graphs. Also we had a visit from the RNLI to discuss safety at the seaside and to explain the role of coastguards and lifeguards. In English we started our new book Claude on holiday about an adventurous dog who goes to the seaside. Thank you for completing the half term seaside project they are all amazing!

## **Merits**

### **Aspen**

Ivana for solving riddles as a morning activity.

Lukas, Miya and Amani for their outstanding coastline projects.

Rithvik for his outstanding noun phrases used to describe Claude from our class book Claude on holiday.

Aniruddh for his topic work explaining the effects of erosion to a coastline and how this can be stopped by using lines of rocks called rip-rap.

### **Chestnut**

Alisha- For explaining how erosion effects a coastline in Geography.

Laiba- For describing people we trust in PSHE.

Navraj- For putting data into block and tally charts in Maths.

Aarav- For using expanded noun phrases to describe Claude in English.

Mehardeep- For sharing values of Sikhism with the class is RE.

Laira – For using her voice to sing clearly in Music.

#### Pine

Declan and Dominik for their excellent understanding of using their 2, 5 and 10 tables facts to solve word problems.

Samvir for trying very hard with his reading aloud in our reading sessions and becoming fluent.

Aarav and Shunyata for trying very hard to use noun phrases in their writing to describe Claude.

#### **Sycamore**

Harman and Vidhi for their super efforts in Maths, solving problems including remainders.

Ella for her great work identifying data from pictograms and bar charts.

Maitrin for her work in PSHE, involving safe adults we can trust.

Alina for her fantastic English work describing Claude using noun phrases and similes.

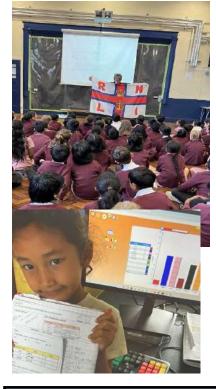
Anika for her great observations during our Science experiment.













# **Chick update!**



### Class Dojo

Aspen-496

Pine- 506

Chestnut- 444

Sycamore— 487

# Reminders

Beech trip—please give consent and make payment via ParentMail.

Please remember to bring in book bags everyday.

Wednesday 19th June—Sports Day



# **Year 3 Weekly News**

## Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

This week, Year 3 enjoyed an interactive dinosaur workshop and had lots of fun making their own movies with a scary dinosaur in the background!

In Maths, we have been learning to identify right angles, acute angles and obtuse angles!

This week in English, we started reading our new class text 'The Thieves of Ostia', we have predicted what we thought the story would be about looking at the front cover and blurb!

Also, we have described the main character's appearance and personality!

## **Merits**

## **Turquoise Class**

Shourya and Minahil—for good concentration, engagement and interaction during the dinosaur workshop.

Vian and Ali - for an emotive thought bubble in role as Flavia using key and engaging techniques.

Musa and Akshith - for working collectively and collaboratively in PE during fielding drills.

#### **Topaz Class**

Alan T and Reve - for working hard in Maths when identifying turns and angles!

Lionel and Anvi - for writing a detailed prediction about our new text in English!

Aisha - for trying her best to learn her 4 timetables!

Sophia - for great batting and fielding skills in PE!

#### **Lapis Class**

Muaaz and Amira - for listening and engaging during the dinosaur workshop.

Keon and Eva—for a brilliant role on the wall using expanded noun phrases and similes!

Zayyan and Shaan—for their amazing understanding about Vindolanda tablets.

### **Sapphire Class**

Syna and Karthik– for taking initiative to keep the book area tidy and organised.

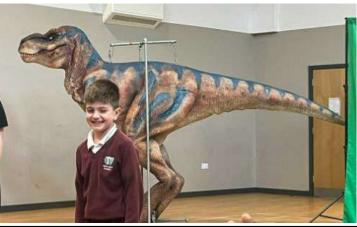
Purity and Myres—for showing perseverance in Maths when identifying angles.

Elma and Rajveer– for an emotive thought bubble in the role as a character from our new class text.



We created excited expanded noun phrases to describe the terrifying, vicious dinosaur!







We had fun using our great acting skills with a green screen to run away from a dinosaur!



**Lapis**— 745

Topaz—763

Turquoise – 726

Sapphire — 715



# Reminders

Please ensure children are logging on to TTRS and staying in the green zone on all Doodle platforms every day.

Homework is handed out on a Thursday and is due back on a Monday.



## **Year 4 Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

This week in English, we focused on writing a poem about the River Thames and practiced making predictions. We analysed the front cover and blurb of "The River Singers" to infer details and make educated guesses about the story.

In Maths, we learned to understand and recap the relationships between a year, month, week and day. Additionally, we focused on converting seconds, minutes, and hours using multiplicative reasoning, enhancing our ability to work with different units of time efficiently. In Science, we identified and classified living things using a classification key, practiced using scientific vocabulary, and discussed and justified our findings through group activities.

### **Merits**

### **Moonstone class**

Erika, Haniya and Reazel - for consistently demonstrating an outstanding attitude in all aspects of their learning.

Azmat, Injela, Mark and Amelia C— for fantastic work in Science this week, demonstrating their understanding of classification in front of the visitors.

#### **Obsidian class**

Amelia and Evelina—for showing good manners when representing Wellington on the school trip.

Aaran—for his excellent progression in swimming, taking on board techniques taught by the coach.

Pavneet and Zahra - for writing a great cold task on poetry using their prior learning. Aaron D and Rina - for their determined attitude towards practising TTRS daily.

### **Amber class**

Louie and Daniel—for working like real mountaineers when locating mountains on a map and learning all about contour lines in Topic. Well done!

Yaqub—for his excellent concentration and enthusiasm during the dinosaur workshop. Well done!

Shanzay— for working really hard on her cold task when creating an acrostic poem using figurative language. Excellent!

Gunisha— for her focus in Maths learning all about time. Keep it up!

#### **Amethyst class**

Jaypal, Nova and Anaya - for their exceptional determination when learning about contour lines during this week's Topic lesson.

Yasmin and Kavin - for their excellent participation in the dinosaur workshop.

Kunwar—for reflecting on his achievements and enhancements in his batik art piece.



We had so much fun in an amazing Science dinosaurs workshop!



We were locating mountains and hills using contour lines on a map.

## **Class Dojos**

Obsidian - 1783

Amber— 1423

Amethyst-1300

Moonstone-1790

# Reminders

Homework is uploaded on to Google Classroom on a Thursday and is due back on a Monday.

The official times table test is around the corner—please ensure your child is logging onto TTRS every day!

Please send in a packet of biscuits for our DT unit this term which we will start on the 24th of June (further details on types of biscuits are on Google Classroom).



## **Year 5 Weekly News**

# Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

Year 5 have had a very busy first week back in school! In English, we have worked hard to finish writing our hot task Greek myths and have now started our new book, Coraline. We used clues on the front cover of the book to make predictions and inferences about the book. In Maths, we have started our new topic of negative numbers and have been learning to count through zero in multiples. In our Science lesson, we used our investigative and research skills to create a detailed fact file about one of the planets, to help us evaluate their habitability. In Topic, we explored the Minoan civilisation. For PE, we are developing our technique of throwing overarm and underarm effectively for Rounders. The countdown to summer holidays begin! 6 weeks to go!

### **Merits**

#### Jade Class

Nihal, Jugaad and Yashvi - for creating an excellent fact file on one of the planets in our solar system. Ameen and Artiom - for developing throwing and catching under pressure and applying these to a striking and fielding game.

Snigdha and Shoubhit—for writing a great Greek mythical narrative.

#### **Pearl Class**

Edgar and Maheen—for their great team work skills in Science when researching whether their chosen planet is habitable or inhabitable.

Otis—for his fantastic work in Science, using subheadings, he created a detailed fact file of Saturn. Vicken - for being positive and kind when sharing affirmations in PSHE.

Diya and Anish—for their great comprehensive skills such as skimming and scanning to answer questions in Topic.

## **Diamond Class:**

Aiza B—for coming back with a positive attitude and putting her determination into all her work.

Lezara and Saimon—for working hard during our new Maths topic of negative numbers and using good reasoning to explain their answers.

Aysha, Nyay and Kevin—for their brilliant effort and participation during our topic lesson about the Minoan civilisation.

#### **Emerald Class**

Nishma and Vienn—for their detailed inferences and predictions based on the front cover of the book, Coraline.

Sophie and Sergio - for their fantastic effort during Science when creating a detailed fact file about the planets.

Atharva and Divit—for their brilliant engagement and contribution during Topic when examining the geography of Greece.





## **Reminders**

Homework is handed out on a Thursday and is due back on a Monday.

Pearl and Diamond PE days: Monday and Wednesday

Jade and Emerald PE days: Tuesday and Wednesday

Sports Day: Friday 21st June 2024



# Year 6 Weekly News Friday 7th June 2024

## What have we been up to this week?

This week we have enjoyed taking part in a dinosaur workshop and meeting a T-Rex! In English this week, we have been looking closely at emotions of characters and identifying how they change throughout parts of the story. In Science this week, we have been learning about the function of blood and blood vessels. In addition we have investigated how exercise can change our heart rate. In Topic this week, we have been reflecting on what we already know about Maafa and what we would like to find out.

### **Merits**

### Jet class

Maelie, Tyreek and Fay—for superb work in English, making inferences from the text and supporting it with evidence.

Bhavin and Siraya—for outstanding work in their books, which was presented to visitors at Wellington this week.

Yuhayb and Marius—for proudly representing Year 6 during pupil voice with visitors at Wellington.

#### Ruby class

Saged—for participating with great confidence in our science investigation this week.

Agampreet—for defining and up-levelling vocabulary to describe a character's feelings.

Angel—for being able to engage in an in-depth study about ancient civilisations.

Kiaan and Raminhal—for fantastic effort when representing the school in a cricket tournament.

Rustam—for supporting and modeling exercises in Science this week when making investigations.

### **Opal class**

Nimansh, Imaan, Medeina and Krisha— for their super final draft of their narrative using the DASH technique, creating tension, suspense and atmosphere.

Rhea and Akira— for their great application in Maths to derive the nth term formula to solve sequences and calculate the nth term.

## **Coral class**

Shaurya— for his excellent understanding of the vocabulary in the text 'Wolf Wilder'.

Alexander, Razan and Jayan—for their excellent narratives using the DASH structure to build atmosphere and tension.

Simran and Marko—for their super science work on the components of blood and the functions of blood vessels.



We enjoyed meeting a T-REX! We learned all about their hearing, sense of smell and how they hunt their pray!







We created our own movies using green screen!



We learned all about the function of blood and blood vessels. We investigated the effect exercise has on the heart rate.

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We loved Big Camp!





## **Class Dojos**

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## Reminders

Junior Sports Day—21st June 2024. Make sure you are aware which team you are in.

Homework has been set on paper and is due on Monday.