

# Lillington Nursery and Primary School



## Head Teacher to Home – 4th November What has happened in school this week?

Welcome to the first newsletter of the new half term. It's been an action-packed start with all sorts of exciting events, activities and learning.

BBC CWR have been in throughout the week interviewing children, speaking with teachers and even coming in to sample some of the lessons. It has been an amazing chance to showcase some of the fantastic things that we're doing at Lillington. Hopefully you've heard some of the clips. A personal highlight was hearing the Reception children talking to the reporter about the Halloween costumes they were all wearing.

From a health and fitness perspective, Year 6 have started their swimming sessions this week. It is an important life skill and therefore important that all Year 6 children take part in the swimming sessions whenever possible.

We've also restarted the Empower Squash Foundation sessions at Leamington Tennis and Squash Club and Mr Findlay has been leading after-school sports clubs every afternoon.

Tonight (4<sup>th</sup> November), we've got the Lillington School PTFA Firework Display and we're looking forward to seeing as many people as possible at the event. Gates open at 5:45pm with two firework displays - one at 6:30pm and one at 7:10pm. Adult entry is £7 with U18s free.

Attendance across the school was 93.1% this week. Remember, we're aiming for 95% each week to ensure we're in line with the national expectation for primary schools.

I hope everyone enjoys the weekend and comes back refreshed next week.

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In the two-year-old Nursery this week, we attempted to make spiders for Halloween, although a few of children were happier to taste the sweets.



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Nursery have had a busy week celebrating Halloween and learning how to be safe on bonfire night.



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Bevan Class have had an amazing first week back. They have had lots of Halloween activities and have been doing firework art too.

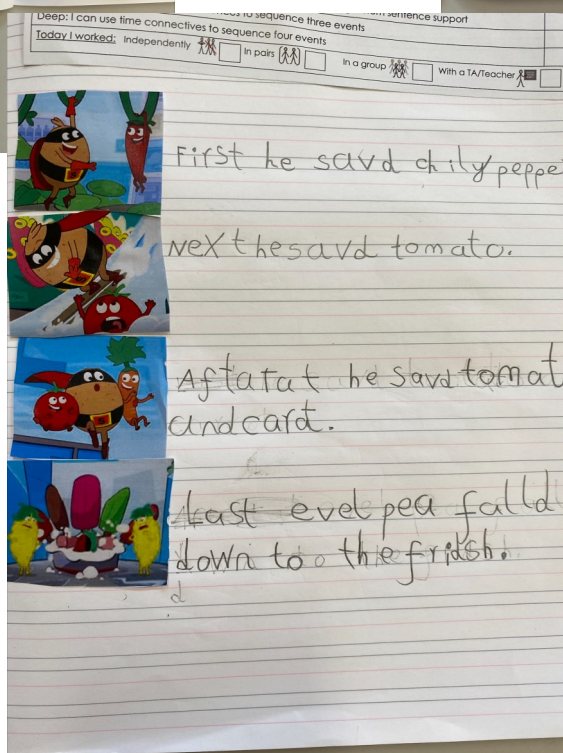
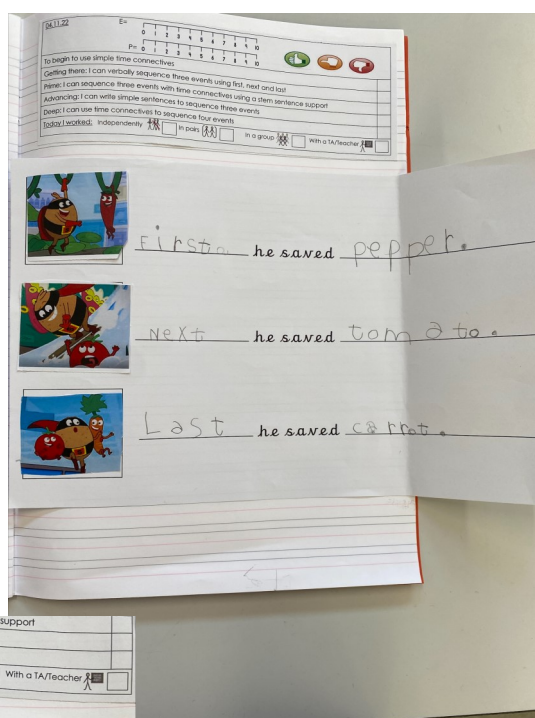
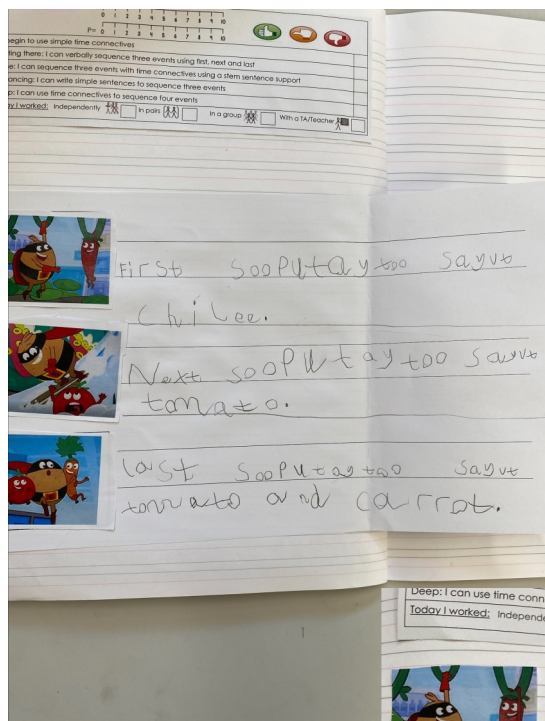


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Darwin have been exploring time connectives as part of our writing unit on re-counts. The children have been able to use first, next and last to re-tell Supertato's saving spree!

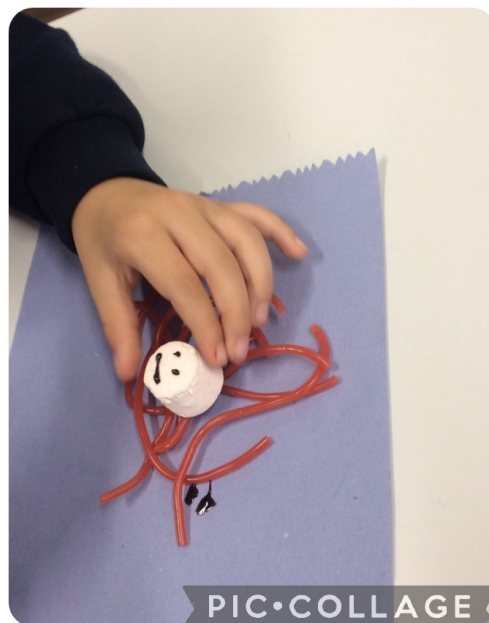
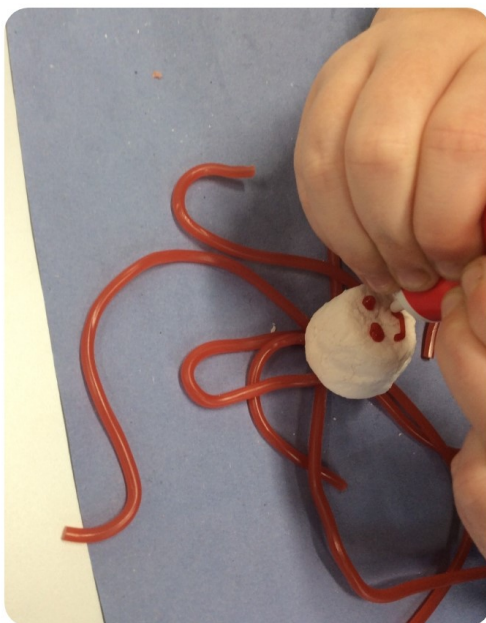
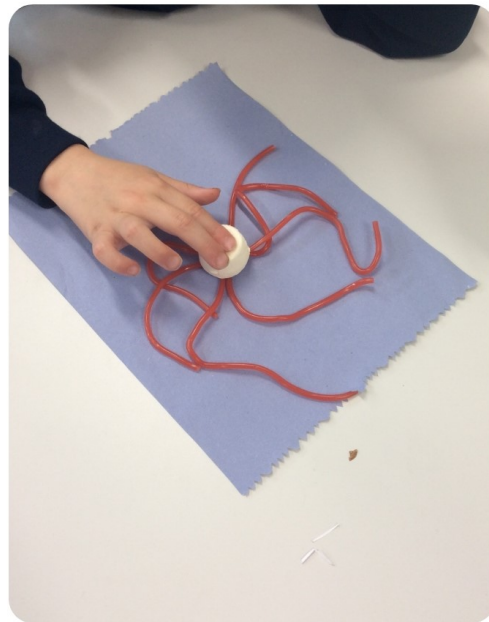
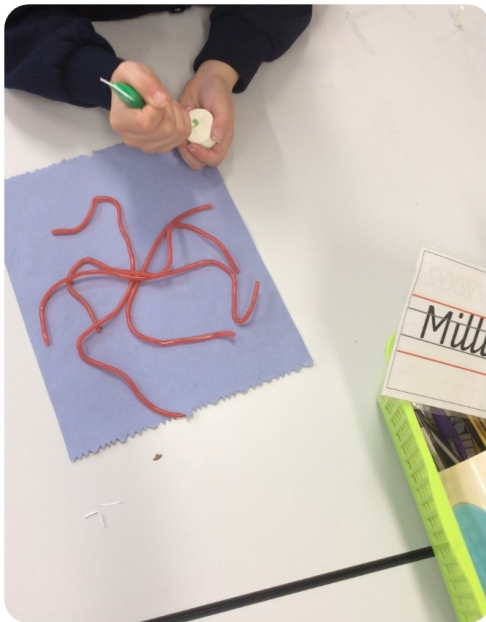


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For a Halloween treat in Peake Class this week, we made spooky spiders from marshmallows and strawberry laces!



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This week, Year 3 started their Gymnastics unit in PE. They tried out lots of different balances before creating a sequence of their favourites.

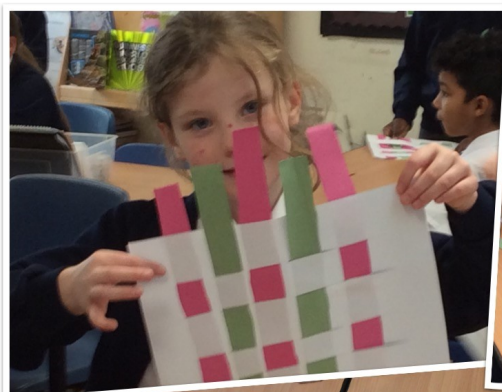


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Year 4 have had fun exploring some simple weaving as we start a new project, Warp and Weft.



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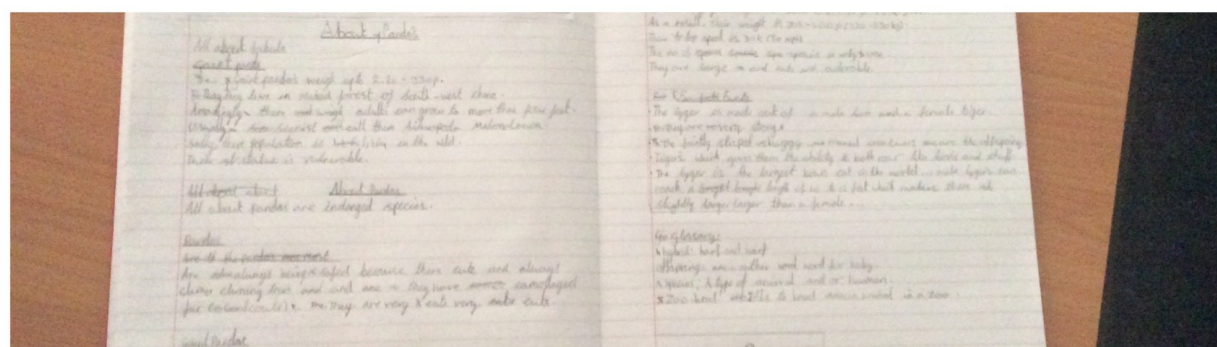
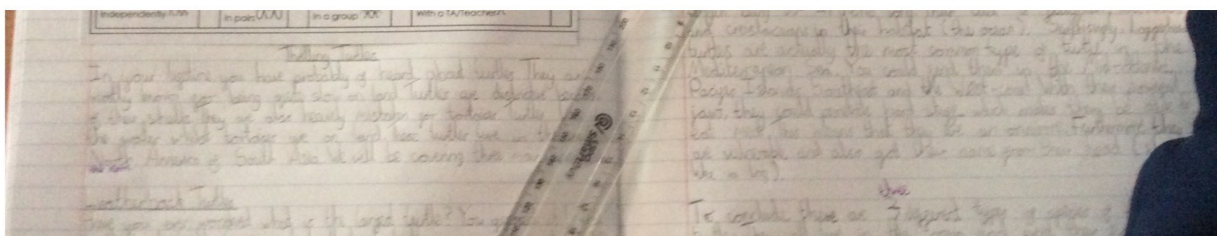


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Pankhurst have been working incredibly hard on their Non chronological reports this week. They are feeling really proud of themselves and pleased to think of themselves as authors.



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This week in Angelou, the children have launched themselves into their new 'fractions' unit in maths. They have found equivalent fractions, simplified fractions, identified common denominators in fractions, ordered fractions, multiplied fractions and even divided fractions. Needless to say, we are now ready for a mini-break from fractions over this weekend and instead are setting our sights firmly on tonight's fireworks night at the school (5:30)!

The collage consists of nine handwritten notes on grid paper:

- Top Left:** Notes on converting fractions, comparing  $\frac{7}{5}$  and  $\frac{7}{6}$ , and listing fractions in descending order:  $\frac{7}{4}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$ .
- Top Middle:** A list of fractions:  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{4}{5}$  with checkmarks. Includes the rule: "Proper: Numerator is lower than the denominator." and "Improper: Numerator is larger than the denominator." Also states: "Denominator always stays the same." and "Unit = 1 is always the numerator."
- Top Right:** A number line from 0 to 2 with increments of  $\frac{1}{5}$ . Shows  $\frac{3}{5} > \frac{2}{5}$  and notes " $\frac{3}{5}$  is  $\frac{1}{5}$  larger."
- Middle Left:** A diagram showing a bar divided into 9 equal parts, with 4 parts shaded. Below it, a number line from 0 to 1 with increments of  $\frac{1}{9}$ .
- Middle Middle:** A number line from 0 to 2 with increments of  $\frac{1}{5}$ . Shows  $\frac{3}{5} > \frac{2}{5}$  and notes " $\frac{3}{5}$  is  $\frac{1}{5}$  larger."
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- Bottom Middle:** A list of fractions:  $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{3}, \frac{6}{3}$  with checkmarks.
- Bottom Right:** A number line from 0 to 2 with increments of  $\frac{1}{8}$ . Shows  $\frac{3}{8} > \frac{2}{8}$  and notes " $\frac{3}{8}$  is  $\frac{1}{8}$  larger."

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King Class travelled to Newbold Comyn Leisure Centre to start their swimming sessions this week. There was a lot of excitement on the journey to the pool as it was the first time many children had been swimming with the school. After each child was assessed by the swimming instructors, they were put into groups for their lessons. We're looking forward to seeing how much the children improve over the next weeks/months.



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<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
<b>FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER</b>	<b>CHILDREN IN NEED—NON UNIFORM</b>
<b>THURSDAY 15TH DECEMBER</b>	<b>CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY CHRISTMAS DINNER</b>

## Information

If your child has sickness or diarrhoea, it is a Public Health requirement that they must stay off school for 48 hours after the last occurrence.

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Well done to the staff in the kitchen for achieving a 5 star hygiene rating again during a recent hygiene inspection!

### Lunch Menu

#### Educaterers Lunch Menu Week 1

Coventry and Warwickshire: 5/9, 26/9, 17/10, 7/11, 28/11, 9/1/23, 30/1.  
Leicestershire: 5/9, 26/9, 7/11, 28/11, 9/1/23, 30/1.  
Oxfordshire: 5/9, 26/9, 17/10, 7/11, 28/11, 19/12, 9/1/23, 30/1, 20/2.

#### Meat Free Monday



(vg) Quorn Dippers G.

or



(v) Broccoli and Sweetcorn Pasta Bake G.D.

or



(v) Cheese/Beans D.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese G.D.

#### Jacket Potatoes Every Day

#### Tuesday



Pork Meatballs G.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese and Potato Pie D.E

#### Wednesday



British Roast Chicken, Stuffing G.

or



(vg) Quorn Roast G.  
Optional Stuffing G.

#### Thursday



Pasta Bolognese G./Cheese D.

or



(v) Veggie Sausage Pattie in a Breakfast Bap D.E.G.

#### Friday



Crispy Salmon Fishcake F.G.

or



(v) Rustic Cheese & Tomato Pizza D.G.



Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.

or



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(v) Cheese D.

or



British Roast Chicken G.

or



British Ham G.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese D.G.

#### Week 1 Dessert Menu

##### Every day we offer:

(v) Yoghurt, (D.) or  
Fresh fruit as alternative dessert options

##### Monday

(v) Chocolate Mousse with Fruit D.  
(vg) Homemade Ginger Biscuit G.

##### Tuesday

(vg) Homemade Lemon Shortbread G.

##### Wednesday

(v) Homemade Chocolate Cherry Sponge G.E.  
with Hot Chocolate Sauce D.  
(v) Ice Cream Tub D.

##### Thursday

(v) Homemade Iced Pineapple Cake G.E.

##### Friday

(v) Ice Cream Tub D.  
(vg) Homemade Crunch Cookie G.

All our meals include a carbohydrate accompaniment, seasonal vegetables and/or salad. We offer a choice of fruit juice cordial, semi skimmed milk or water to drink. Some schools offer a Hydration Station instead, comprising of unlimited chilled water flavoured with fresh fruit.

**Accompaniments may vary to those shown in the photographs.**

**PLEASE NOTE** some schools serve the cold option in a deli bag with vegetable sticks or salad, a dessert and a drink.

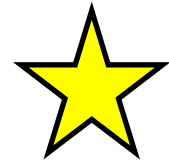
#### Key

Vg = vegan  
V = vegetarian  
D = Dairy  
N = Coconut/Nuts  
S = Sesame  
E = Egg  
G = Gluten/Wheat  
F = Fish  
M = Mustard  
SB = Soya  
SU = Sulphites

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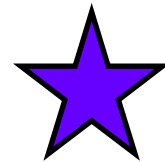
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# CELEBRATION!



Congratulations to Peake class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 1 this week!



Congratulations to Angelou Class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 2 this week!



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[Lillington Connect - October Newsletter \(office.com\)](#)



BRUNSWICK HUB @ CROWN ROUTES



**Tea & Toast**

**Monday**

**9.30am-11.30am**

**Everyone Welcome**



Crown Routes Community Cafe

Acorn Court, Stockton Grove

Lillington, CV32 7NP

Rachel 07874865617

[crownroutes@brunswickhlc.org.uk](mailto:crownroutes@brunswickhlc.org.uk)

**FREE**

Tea & Toast

Board Games

Book Swop

Coloring Books

Children's Games

Papers & Magazines

**WIFI**



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A vibrant poster for a firework display. The background is dark with colorful fireworks exploding. At the top, "LILLINGTON" is written in large, blue, outlined letters, with "SCHOOL P.T.F.A." in smaller blue text below it. Below that, "FIREWORK DISPLAY" is written in large, bold, yellow and red letters. A "BELVOIR! Property is personal" logo is on the left. Text in the center says "2 SHOWS FROM THE AWARD WINNING PYRO 2000". To the right is a QR code with a "SCAN ME" button below it. Below the QR code are three circular photos: a family, a child with a clown, and a child with a balloon. Text on the left says "BOUNCY CASTLE HOT FOOD & DRINK MARSHMALLOWS". At the bottom left, it says "FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY". The date "FRIDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER" is in large blue letters. Below that, "LILLINGTON NURSERY & PRIMARY SCHOOL" and "CUBBINGTON ROAD, LEAMINGTON SPA, CV32 7AG" are in white text on a black background. At the bottom, it says "GATES OPEN 5:45PM FIRST SHOW AT 6:30PM", "ADULTS £7 UNDER 18'S FREE", "MAXIMUM 3 UNDER 18'S PER ADULT FOR SAFETY REASONS", "ENTRANCES: CAR PARKING VIA MAIN SCHOOL GATES PEDESTRIANS VIA GRANGE ROAD & KS2 ALLEY", and "UNDER 18'S WILL NOT BE ADMITTED WITHOUT SUPERVISING ADULT" in red.

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At the gate

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