

Lillington Nursery and Primary School



Head Teacher to Home – 2th December What has happened in school this week?

Welcome to this week's newsletter, we have had another week of children working hard, having fun and learning.

As it is December, classes have started putting up their Christmas decorations – some teachers would have had them up in early November if allowed. Throughout December we've got the Christmas Fair (Dec 9th), EYFS/KS1 Christmas Play (12th/13th Dec) and the Christmas Dinner/Christmas Jumper Day (15th Dec).

The school value that we're focusing on through December is teamwork. Staff members will be looking for examples of good teamwork in lessons as well as at playtime, lunch time and during any school clubs. We really value teamwork because it helps develop many social skills such as patience, communication, working together, respect and empathy.

Our assemblies this week have focused on Advent. Next week, we will be talking about mindset and how important it is to have a positive, growth mindset.

Attendance across the school was 92% this week which is a bit of a drop from last week. Remember we're aiming for 95% each week to ensure we are in line with the national expectation for primary schools.

Enjoy your weekend and see you all on Monday.

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This week in the two-year-old Nursery, we have been exploring the story 'Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Do You Hear'. We have had fun in our sensory tuff tray.



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Nursery have been getting ready for
Christmas this week!

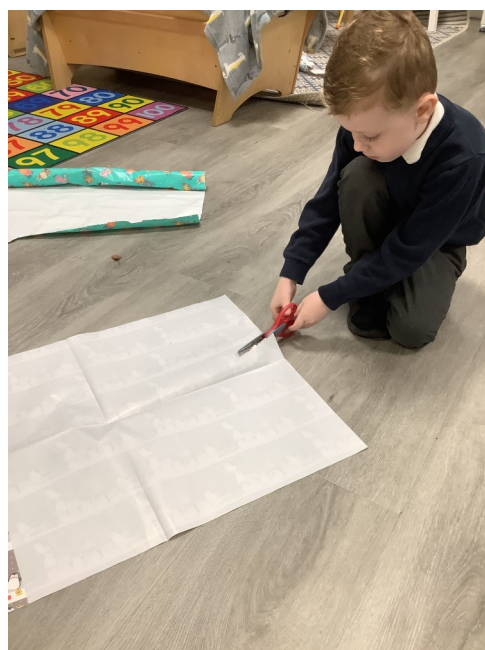


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Reception have been visited by the Christmas elves this week. They have had great fun practising their skills at the wrapping station, writing letters to Santa, cards to their friends and then buying stamps at the Post Office and posting them in the post box. They have also practised their creative skills to decorate trees.



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Darwin started their new unit in Maths this week- shape! The children enjoyed re-capping 2D shapes to start us off. We sang the shape song, played a guessing game and then put our knowledge to the test by challenging our partner to make particular shapes with lollisticks.

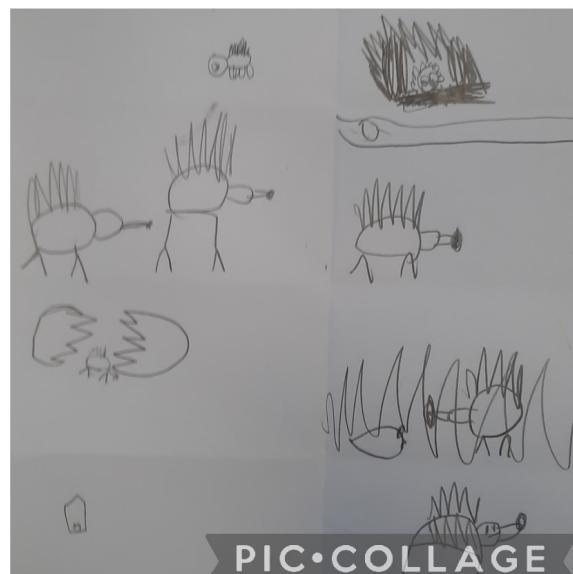
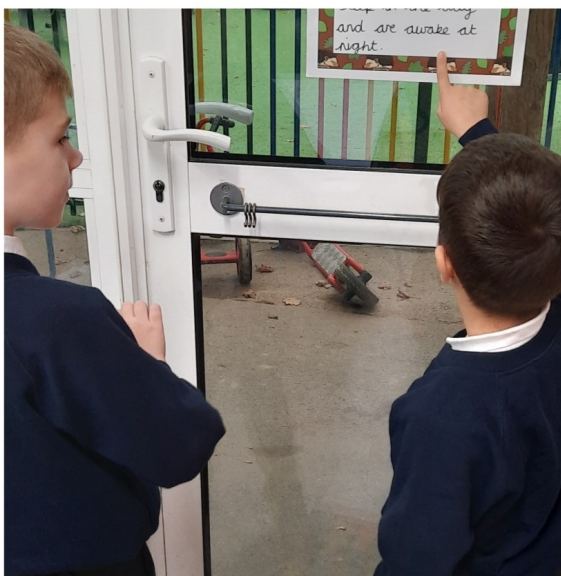
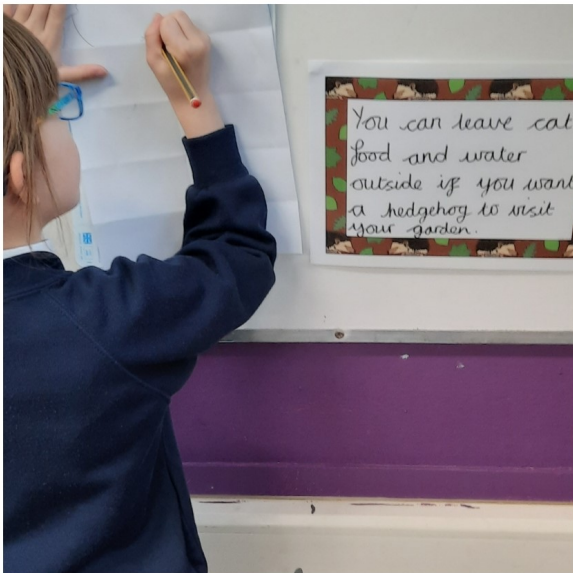


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Children in Peake Class have been learning all about non-chronological reports in English this week. We started our week off by going on a hunt for hedgehog facts and turning them into illustrations to help us remember them.

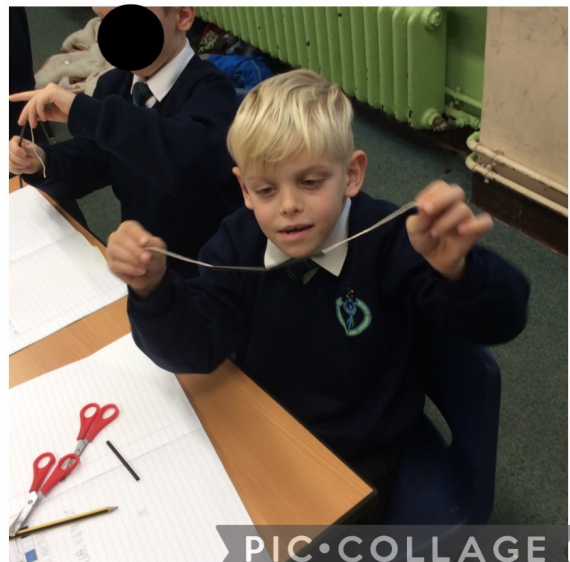
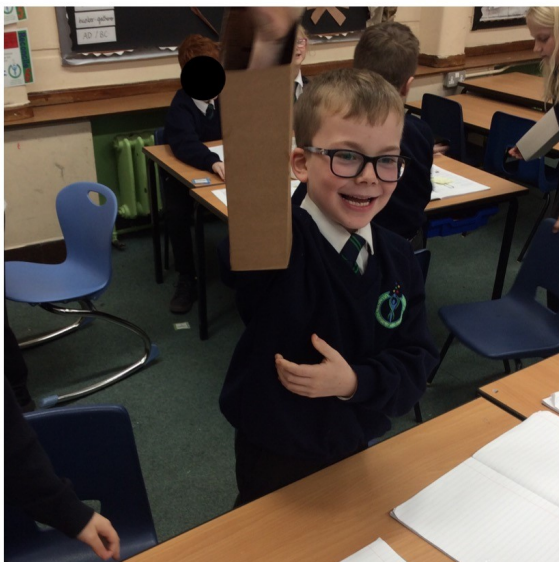


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In Science this week, Year 3 were learning all about how important joints are for our ability to move. Using a cardboard arm to restrict the movement of their joints, they realised just how difficult everyday tasks could be! They also had a go at creating a model out of straws and string to compare the difference in mobility between one long bone and several smaller bones.



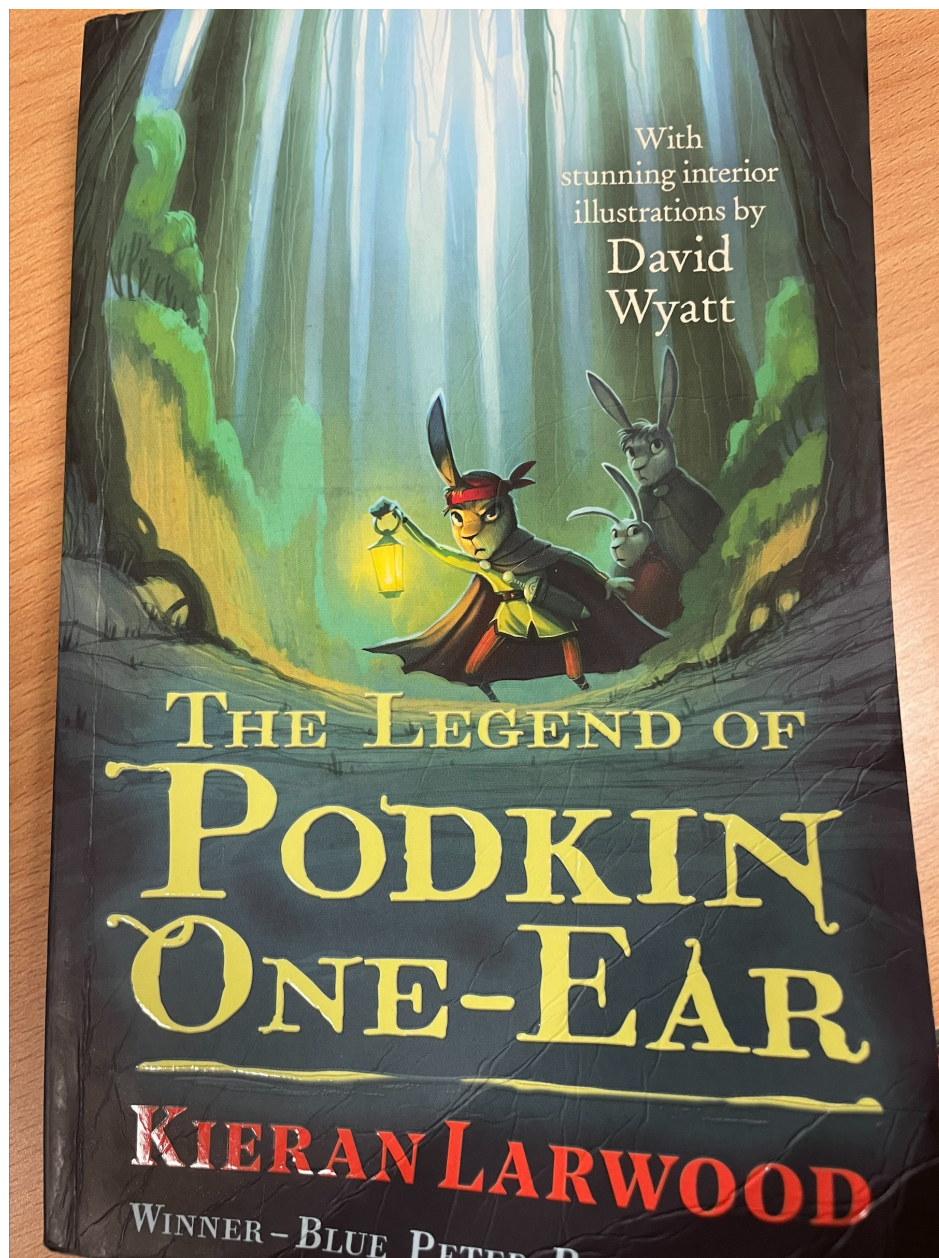
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Year 4 were holding on to EVERY word of our class novel this week as we came to it's exciting conclusion! The end of chapters were met with groans, gasps and pleading to read more and more!



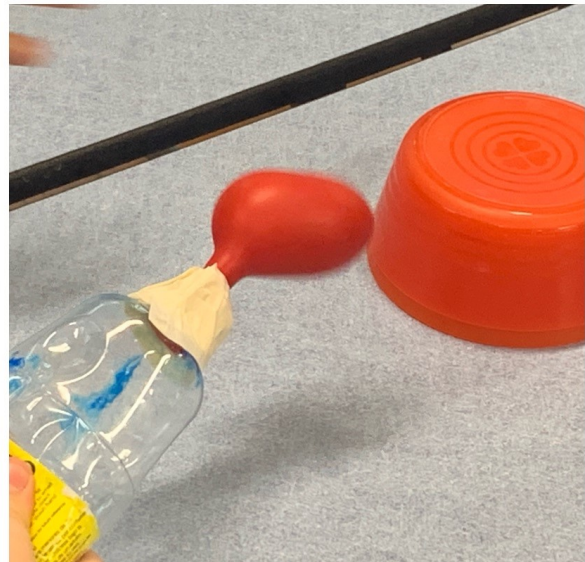
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Pankhurst have learnt about the different states of matter and how air is used in pneumatics.

If you have a small box with a hinged lid, I'd be grateful if you could send one in as the children will be creating their own 'talking box'.



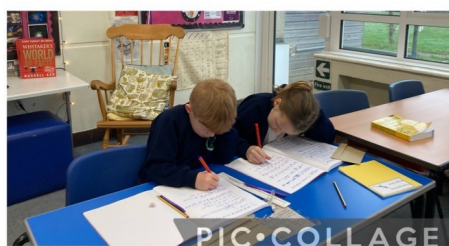
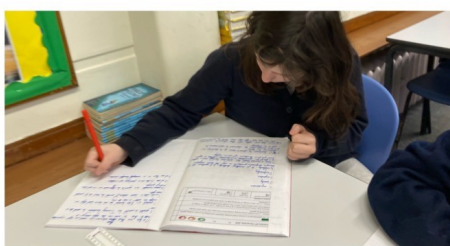
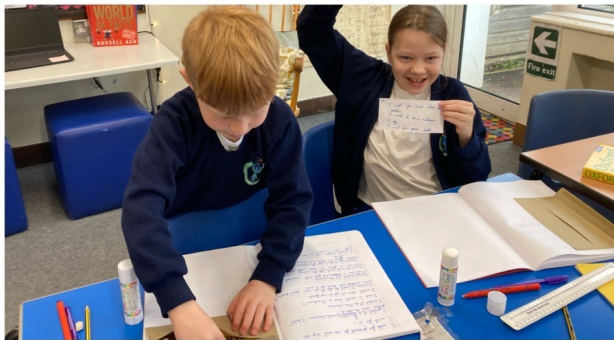
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This week in Angelou, the children have been developing their sketching skills of slave ships used in the transatlantic slave trade (triangular trade). They have almost finished their initial drafts and will have time this afternoon to explore further adaptations and effects before adding watercolours to bring the pieces to life!



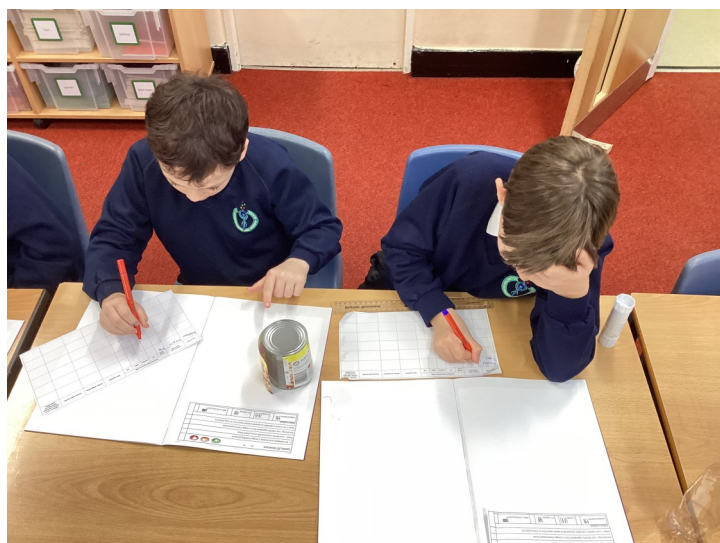
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King Class have started their DT project this week. Their first task was to look at the packaging of different processed foods to find out the key information that is shared on the packaging. They had to look for the best before/use by date, main ingredients, nutritional information and any claimed health benefits of the foods.



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<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER	PTFA CHRISTMAS FAIR
MONDAY 12TH DECEMBER TUESDAY 13TH DECEMBER	EYFS/KS1 CHRISTMAS PLAY
THURSDAY 15TH DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY CHRISTMAS DINNER
FRIDAY 16TH DECEMBER	LAST DAY OF TERM

Information

Please visit the link below for information on swimming lessons available at Newbold Comyn

[Newbold Comyn Leisure Centre | Gym & Swim | Everyone Active](#)

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Lunch Menu

Educaterers Lunch Menu Week 2

Coventry and Warwickshire: 12/9, 3/10, 14/11, 5/12, 16/1, 6/2, 27/2.
Leicestershire: 12/9, 3/10, 24/10, 14/11, 5/12, 16/1, 6/2, 27/2.
Oxfordshire: 12/9, 3/10, 14/11, 5/12, 16/1, 6/2, 27/2.

Meat Free Monday



(h) Tuna Pasta Bake (F.G.D.)

or



(v) Veggie Toad in the Hole D.E.G.

or



(v) Cheese/Beans D.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese G.D.

Tuesday



Beef Grill G. in a Bun G.

or



(vg) Plant Power Burger in a Bun G.

or



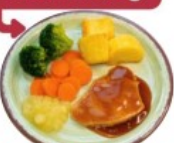
(v) Cheese D.

or



British Roast Chicken G.

Wednesday



Roast Pork, Apple Sauce

or



(vg) Quorn Roast G. Apple Sauce

or



Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.

or



Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.G.

Thursday



Chicken Pie G.D

or



(v) Cheese and Onion Pasty D.G.M.

or



British Ham G.

Friday



Breaded Fish Fillet F.

or



(v) Roasted Vegetable Frittata D.E

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese G.D.

Week 2 Dessert Menu

Every day we offer:

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

Monday

(vg) Homemade Flapjack with Fruit Wedges G.

Tuesday

(v) Ice Cream Tub D.
(vg) Homemade Chocolate Oatcake G.

Wednesday

(v) Homemade Oaty Apple Crumble G. with Custard D.

Thursday

(vg) Homemade Crispy Cornflake Cookie G.E.

Friday

(v) Dinky Doughnuts with Chocolate Sauce D.G.SB.E.
(v) Ice Cream Tub D.

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.

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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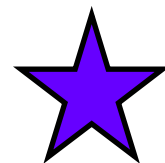
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CELEBRATION!



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



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



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A huge **THANK YOU** to everyone who has donated items for the tombola at next Friday's Christmas fair!

We still need folk to help out on stalls and refreshments, setting up and tidying up at the end - if you can help at all, please sign up here on our volunteer sheet

<https://volunteersignup.org/PJAD8>

or contact Lucy on 07514 086673 or

chairlsptfa@gmail.com

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After School Carols!
Tuesday 13th December 4pm

St Mary Magdalene's
Church, Lillington

Come and enjoy singing carols together
and explore our Christmas Trail

Hot chocolate to keep us warm!

Find us on Facebook: Lillington Parish Church



Come and explore the
Christmas Trail at St Mary
Magdalene's, Lillington.

**Sunday 4th December
onwards**

Follow the trail around the
churchyard as the Christmas story
unfolds in pictures, words and
plenty of fairy lights!

Find us on Facebook: Lillington Parish Church

Come and celebrate Christmas
with us at St Mary Magdalene's
Church, Lillington

Sunday 4th December onwards

Come and visit our Christmas Trail.
Follow the trail through the churchyard to discover
the Christmas story!

Tuesday 13th December

4pm Family carols around the Christmas Tree

Sunday 18th December

11:15am Nativity Service for all ages
6pm Carols by Candlelight (traditional nine lessons
and carols)

Christmas Eve

Christingle Services for all the family.
2.00pm in church - no booking required
3:30pm in church - please book online via
Eventbrite (search Lillington Christingle)
5.00pm OUTSIDE - no booking required
6:30pm in church - no booking required

Midnight Mass

11:30pm Holy Communion

Christmas Day

10:00am All Age Service

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BRUNSWICK HUB'S TURKEY BATCH DAY

TUESDAY 20TH DECEMBER

 11AM–3PM

(TURKEY BATCHES AVAILABLE 12–2PM)

Come join us at the Hub for our annual Christmas celebrations—Festive fun for the family!

Free Turkey
Batches
(with all the trimmings)

Kids Craft
& Activities

Table-top Sale
of pre-loved toys
& gifts

Tombola
& Raffle

Free Kids'
Hot Chocolate

And more...

**On the day, we will be raising money for
Brunswick Hub's Hardship fund.**



98-100 Shrubland Street, Leamington Spa

Turkey Batches will be first come, first serve—
If you want to reserve yours to avoid missing out,
call 01926 422123.