

Head Teacher to Home—10th February What has happened in school this week?

Welcome to this week's newsletter. Another week has flown by with everyone working hard and doing loads of exciting learning. This week's photos show the children in action.

As you can see from the photos, there has been a lot of creative learning going on. All of the foundation curriculum projects the children have been doing have art activities and design and technology projects that run alongside them.

Our assemblies have focused on this month's value - kindness - and how if everyone is kind, we'll all be happier in school and the community (adults included). Everyone was reminded in assembly this morning about how kindness can boost feelings of confidence, happiness and optimism.

Own Books (a group of local book lovers) have donated another couple of boxes of books for the children in school. The Key Stage 2 children have all chosen a book from the selection that have been donated and they should be bringing their books home today. Hopefully having more of their own books will encourage children to read even more. Key stage 1 will be choosing their books next week.

The Lillington School P.T.F.A disco returns next week – it will be great to see the children dancing and singing together.

Enjoy your weekend and see you all on Monday.



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The 2-year-olds this week have been using the play dough with loose parts to create birthday cakes. Nursery have been very busy practicing their phonics in provision and writing their names.









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The children in Reception have been working hard in their new office - taking messages, making phone calls and typing away on the computers. They have also all had a turn cutting up fruit to make a huge fruit salad which they then devoured for their morning snack. We had apples, pears, nectarines, kiwi and grapes. Lots of them had not tried some of these before.









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Reception have a new library for children to borrow books. They can choose a book to take home, share it with someone at home and then bring it back and swap it for another one. There are books suitable for younger siblings too.





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Darwin have been learning about Deciduous and Evergreen trees in Science. We went on a hunt around the school grounds to find some and the children were great at identifying them. We brought some souvenirs (twigs!) back to the classroom to compare.





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This week, Drew class have been making model volcanoes to erupt this afternoon. Using Modroc, newspaper and lots of paint, they have had loads of messy fun in the afternoons!



















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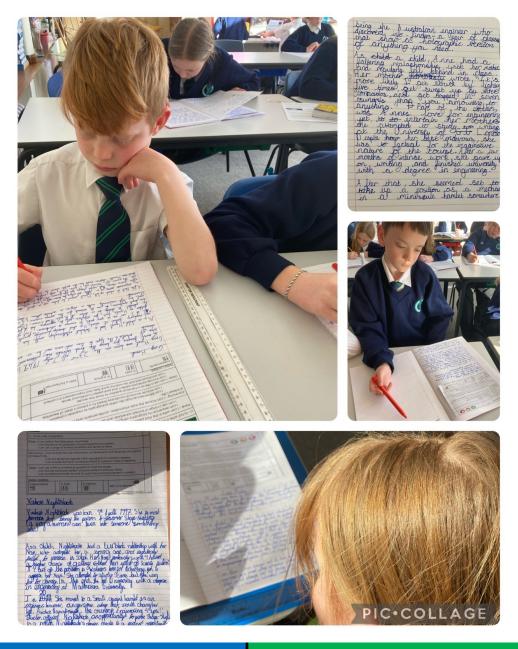
Year 4 have been exploring landscapes in our art topic, Vista. We have also been making mod roc volcanoes and look forward to the eruptions we will recreate with parents.





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This week in Angelou, the children planned and wrote the first half of their fictitious biographies. Their ability to combine previous learning, knowledge from our model text as well as their own vivid ideas have, so far, produced outstandingly engaging and impressive writing. Keep it up, Angelou!





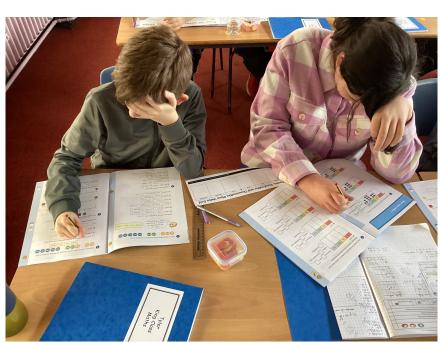
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King Class have been very busy in maths this week. They've completed the algebra learning sessions and nearly everyone made dramatic improvements from the start of unit assessment to the end of unit assessment. Next topic: decimals. All the children have also been able to choose a book to take home and keep. Here are some photos of children working hard and showing off their new books.

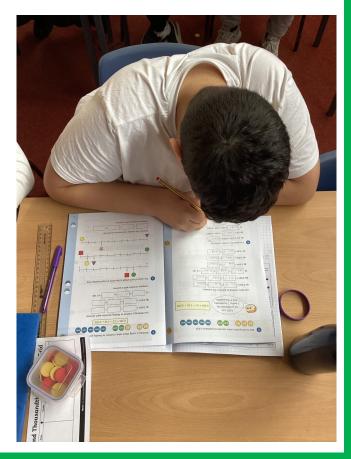




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LILLINGTON SCHOOL



Thursday 16th Feb Oak Hall

Rec & KS1 3.15pm - 4.15pm KS2 4.30pm- 5.30pm

£1 entry

Tuckshop - suggested max amount £2

School discos are back! Could you help out at either KS1 or KS2 or both on Thursday 16th Feb - times in the advert. Please contact Lucy at chairlsptfa@gmail.com or 07514086673 if you can. We need volunteers to help (wo)man the tuck shop, supervise the disco (dancing optional) and assist with pupils arriving and leaving.



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School Information

- *** Thursday 16th February**—PTFA school disco
- **Friday 17th February**—Teacher Training Day

If you would like to hire our halls for parties/events etc please contact Community Lettings:

https://lillington.communitybookings.co.uk/

lillington@communitylettingsuk.co.uk

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CELEBRATION

Overall attendance this week was 92.3%

Congratulations to Darwin 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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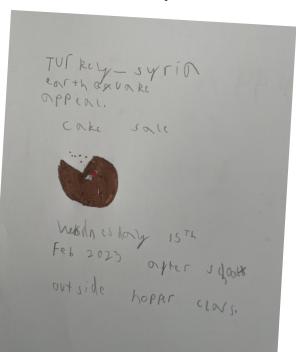


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Cake Sale —Wednesday 15th February 2023. 3:15-3:25 Outside Hopper Class / Main entrance steps Year 4 have chosen to hold a cake sale to raise money for the DEC TURKEY-SYRIA EARTHQUAKE APPEAL. They have planned this all themselves. Cakes will be available for 20p or 50p.

(Please bring exact change where possible) We will also welcome donations of small individual cakes (no nuts). Please give these to your class teacher by 15.2.23

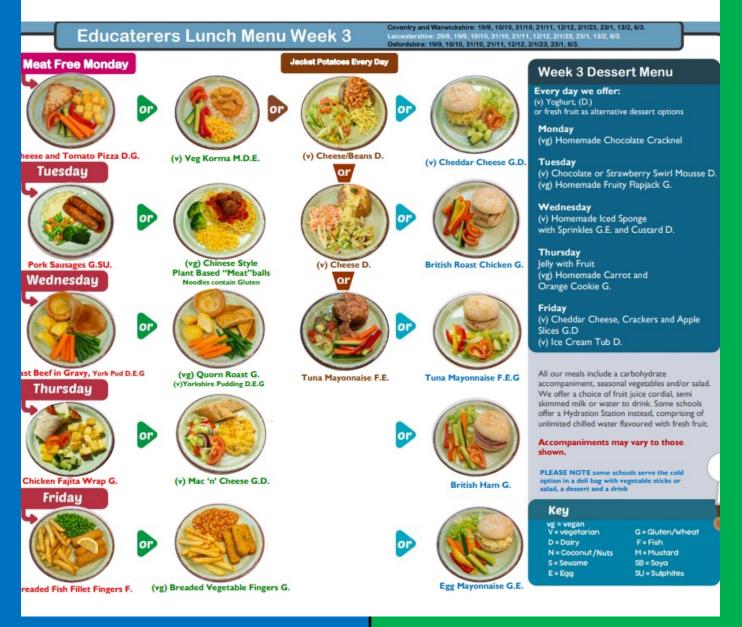






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Lunch Menu







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FABULOUS AFTER SCHOOL BRICKS CLUB Every Tuesday 3.30-4.30 (open to Years 3, 4, 5, & 6) All clubs can take part in our exciting national inter school building competition For more information or to book a place please visit our website www.kidswithbricks.com



