

Head Teacher to Home – 20th January 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.

Monday was Martin Luther King Day so our Monday assembly was about his life and how he campaigned for racial and economic equality. King Class (one of the year 6 classes) is named after Martin Luther King, so it was a good chance for the children to learn about him.

As well as the usual daily reading, writing and maths lessons, the children have been involved in a broad range of exciting foundation subject activities. Children have been busy doing some amazing artwork, rigorous physical activity, complicated computing and a range of geography and history activities. Hopefully you'll enjoy the photos of everyone in action this week.

The school value that we're focusing on through January is honesty. Staff members will be looking for examples of honesty in lessons as well as at playtime, lunchtime and during any school clubs. We really value honesty because to live and work together, we need to be able to trust each other.

Our assemblies this week have focused on democracy. Next week, we will be talking about the Chinese New Year during our assemblies.

Enjoy your weekend and see you all on Monday.



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This week, Nursery entered The Preschool Poetry competition. We chose key words to add to a template. Fingers crossed we win the £1000 prize and receive a published copy of our poems!





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Reception have had a great time discovering huge pieces of ice in the garden and smashing it up with hammers. They added paint too to see what would happen.





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Darwin put their acting skills to the test by simulating a 'TV interview' with the palace guard from our model text. The children took it in turns to be the TV presenter and the palace guard, asking and answering questions about what they witnessed on Paddington's day out. The children were able to use inference from the model text to come up with answers and questions.



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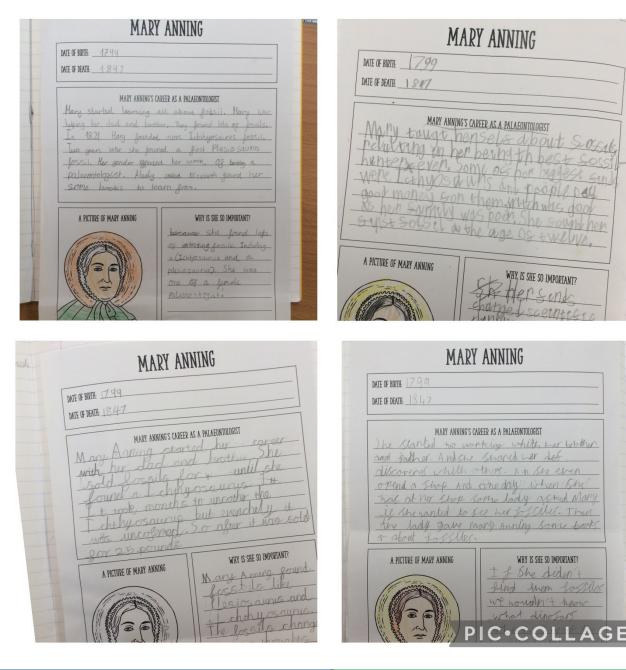
Children in Peake Class have settled into some new reading routines this week. They have been practising how to log in and complete comprehension quizzes and are very proud of their independence!





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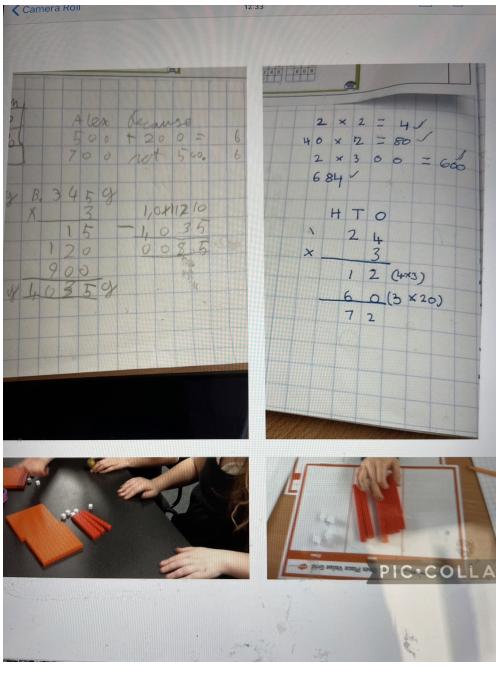
This week, Year 3 learned all about Mary Anning, a famous palaeontologist. After doing some research from secondary sources, they were tasked with writing a fact file about her career and legacy.





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Year 4 have been learning to multiply 2 and 3 digit numbers this week. It has been very tricky but we have worked really hard.





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Pankhurst have loved starting to learn some new dance moves in PE this week. They've learnt a variety of spins and started to learn the hand jive.









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This week, the children in Angelou have been predicting and researching a range of scientific vocabulary relating to the stages and processes within mammalian and, more specifically, human life cycles. After a range of intricate sorting and note-taking activities, they went on to recreate, draw and label the life cycle of a human with superb detail and precision.





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It's been an incredibly busy week in King Class. On Monday, the children were looking at road traffic accident statistics. After being given statistics in a table, the children had to create graphs on the computers so they could see patterns in the data. During their art lessons, the children have been creating tints, shades and tones of pure colours using white, black and grey. Here



are some pictures of them in action.







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School Information

There will be a non uniform day on Friday 10th February for **Children's Mental Health Week** (voluntary donations of £1)



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CELEBRATION!

Overall attendance this week was 92.7%

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





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







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Lunch Menu





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Where	Lillington Library, Valley Road, Lillington, CV32 7SJ		
When	First Saturday of every month from 7 January 2023, at 10.30am		
How long	1 Hour	How Far? 1 mile, depending on ability	
What do I need	Just yourself and some sturdy shoes/waterproof clothing Returning to Lillington Community Centre for tea/coffee		

Royal Learnington Spa LILLINGTON CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Where	Lillington Children's Centre, 3 Mason Avenue, Lillington, CV32 7QE	
When	Every Monday from 9 January 2023, at 9am	
How long	1 Hour How Far? 1 mile, depending on ability	
What do I need	Just yourself and some sturdy shoes/waterproof clothing Returning to Acorn Court Community Café for tea and toast	



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