



Spittal Community First School

Weekly News!

Create **A**chieve **R**espect **E**njoy

News & Events

To celebrate Valentine's Day next week the children have the option to stay at school for a film night. Details and a sign up slip are in their bags today. On Thursday is the re-arranged 'Time to Share' event where you are welcome to come into school at the end of the day to see your child's work so far. We look forward to seeing you there.

Star of the Week

<u>Nursery</u>	Travis
<u>Class 1</u>	Carter S
<u>Class 2</u>	Oscar
<u>Class 3</u>	Alice
<u>Class 4</u>	Morgan
<u>Class 5</u>	Darcey

What have we been learning this week?

Nursery and Reception

We started off the week having another really fun session with Tracy from Boogie Beats. We retold the tale of the 'Three Little Pigs' and used scarves when acting out the story. In literacy we have been talking about what we would wear on a hot day. Reception then wrote some brilliant sentences that started with a capital letter and finished with a full stop. In maths, we have been using scales to weigh toys and objects from our classroom and we have also enjoyed playing on all the outdoor equipment.



Diary Dates

Tuesday 14th February

Valentine film night

Change of date

Thursday 16th February

'Time to Share' 3.20 p.m.

Friday 17th February

School closes for half term 3.20p.m.

Monday 27th February

School re-opens

Thursday 2nd March

World Book Day. Dress as your favourite story character



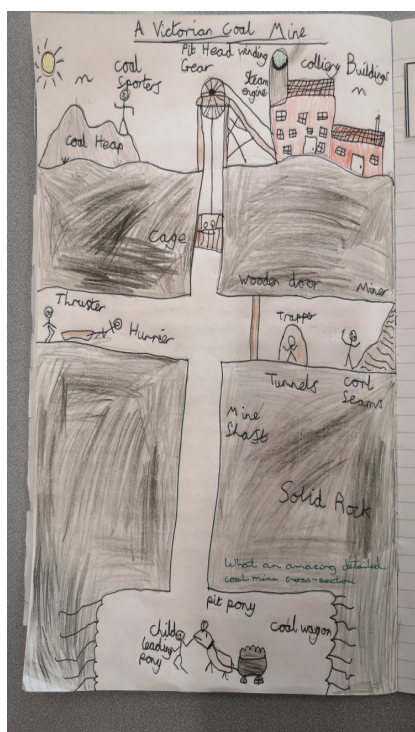
Class 2 and 3

This week Year 1 and 2 have continued to learn about the Polar Regions. In geography, the children learnt about the location of the United Kingdom, the Arctic and Antarctica. They created poems about penguins using adjectives to add detail and made beautiful polar bear collages in art. Another fantastic week. Well done Year 1 and 2.



Class 4 and 5

In literacy this week Year 4 have been creating beetle information pages and looking at imperative verbs. In maths we have been learning how to do simple bus stop division. In history the children have really enjoyed finding out about how Victorian children used to work in the coal mines. On Thursday Becki from The Chain Bridge Project delivered a wonderful botanical art workshop which the children really enjoyed.



This week in numeracy, class 4 have been learning how to create arrays to help with multiplication questions. In literacy we created fact files on beetles after we read more of our book 'The Bluest of Blues'. We made sure to include important facts and detailed illustrations. In R.E we have learnt more about the religion of Islam. We looked at where Muslims pray and how important prayer is to the Islam community. In history and art we have been finding out about William Morris who was an artist during the Victorian Era. We have tried our best to replicate some of his most famous pieces of art.

