



News & Events

We are starting to rehearse our Christmas plays which will be performed to a live audience this year. Each class will perform in the morning and afternoon and parents are invited to attend ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY. The hall has a limited capacity and we are keen to reduce the number of people in the hall at any one time. Tickets will be issued in the coming weeks.

Star of the Week

<u>Nursery</u>	Paige
<u>Class 1</u>	Pauls
<u>Class 2</u>	Kanzi
<u>Class 3</u>	Carter
<u>Class 4</u>	Isla
<u>Class 5</u>	Billie-Rose

Diary Dates

Thursday 8th December

School Christmas Fair 2 p.m.

Friday 9th December

Christmas jumper day.
Christmas lunch.
Christmas card deadline

Monday 12th December

Christmas performance Mr Staughan and Mr Hair 9.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.

Wednesday 14th December

Christmas performance Miss McColl and Mrs Mutch 9.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.

Friday 16th December

Christmas performance Miss Richards and Miss Bayly 9.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.

Monday 19th December

Mr Staughan and Mr Hair Christmas party

Tuesday 20th December

Miss McColl and Mrs Mutch Christmas party.

Thursday 22nd December

Miss Richards and Miss Bayly Christmas party

Christmas cards given out
School closes 3.20 p.m.

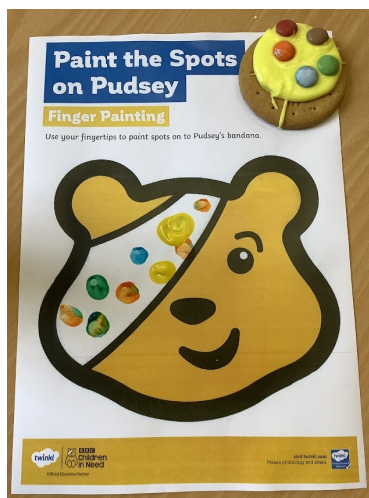
Friday 23rd December

Teacher training day

What have we been learning this week?

Nursery and Reception

We have been taking part in World Nursery Week. We have been singing a new rhyme every day and all of our activities have been based on the songs. On Monday we worked together to build a cardboard pirate ship and also made flags and maps. On Tuesday we sang 1,2,3,4,5 and went fishing in our paper pond. By Wednesday we were pretending to be Speckled Frogs and then Thursday's song was B-I-N-G-O. Today we have had star activities for Twinkle Twinkle and also made spotty biscuits for Children in Need. Another fun and busy week.





Class 2 and 3

This week year 1 and year 2 have been reading 'The Hodgehog' and have enjoyed describing the park that the hedgehogs visit at night to find food. The children have been working on recalling number bonds to 10 and using them to add mentally. The children have started to learn the songs for the Christmas performance and have enjoyed completing activities for Children In Need. Well done!



Class 4

In literacy this week we have looked at the next few pages of our book 'Arthur and the Golden Rope'. We have created a newspaper article highlighting the key points involving Fenrir and Arthur and we have made sure we have used amazing adjectives, expanded noun phrases and openers with commas. In numeracy we have been working on addition word problems. Our confidence with these has soared and we now understand the key information and vocabulary when completing word problems.



Class 5

Year 4 has had a very exciting Viking themed week. In literacy we imagined we were Vikings and wrote a diary about a day in our life. We also translated our Viking kennings into Viking runes. In maths we have started to learn how to do three and four digit column subtraction. The children are making good progress with learning their tables, please continue to encourage them! Two good online apps to help them learn their tables are 'J2blast' which can be accessed through 'School 360' and the topmarks app 'Hit the Button'.

