

Newsletter: 13/11/2020

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Behaviour

Children who demonstrate an acceptable standard are awarded weekly reward points. To be awarded a point the children would have to be in the right place, at the right time and doing the right thing.

This week 222 children have had good behaviour all week.

| Nursery | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| 25/25 | 30/30 | 30/30 | 30 /30 | 28/28 | 25/28 | 30/31 | 24/28 |

Attendance and Lates

Our attendance target for the year 97%

Attendance this week: 95.5%

Lates this week: 9

Attendance Year to date: 95.4%

Up and Coming Key Dates

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| 08/12/20 | Flu immunisations Reception – Year 6 |
| 09/12/20 | Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day |
| 18/12/20 | Break up for Christmas |

Student of the week

Nursery: Kylo

Reception: Freddie S

Year 1: Willow

Year 2: Rhian

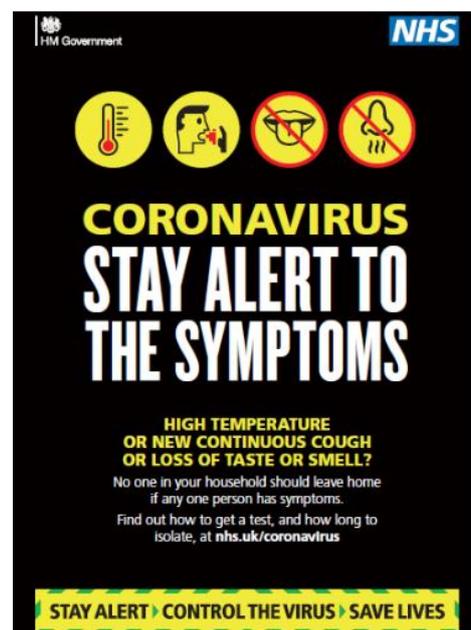
Year 3: Ellie-Rose

Year 4: Freya

Year 5: Angel

Year 6: Fidel

Well done!



Giraffe Class

Giraffe class have had a brilliant week! In writing, the children have worked really hard exploring vocabulary, empty words and how to create suspense. We have 'boxed up' our story - Adventure at Sandy Cove- thinking carefully about the purpose of each paragraph. I cannot wait to see the children use all of this knowledge when they write their own innovation of the story next week! We have loved exploring Pablo Picasso in our Art focus and the children have produced some fabulous pieces of art work- painting an abstract portrait in the cubist style!

Rhino Class

This week in Rhino class, we have been acting out our story for T4W. They have worked so hard to incorporate speech and write this using the correct punctuation. In Maths, we looked at dividing numbers using factors, which helped us to divide with larger numbers. In the afternoons, we have continued to study Salvador Dali and created masterpieces based on his work! They look amazing – you must check them out when they go online.

Bobcat

This week, we have enjoyed being artists in Bobcat class as we have been creating Paul Klee inspired abstract masterpieces! The children used vibrant colours, shapes and different brush techniques to create their own unique landscapes. In writing, we have been learning about how to structure our writing to keep the reader captivated. The children were really interested to learn all about WW1 in a virtual Remembrance Day experience on Wednesday.

Koala Class

This week Koala class have had great fun being artists. We looked closely at the work of Piet Mondrian to invent our own abstract art. They took great care and have created some lovely paintings!

Lemur Class

This week Lemur class have been working very hard! The children enjoyed a special WW1 live webinar on Wednesday and learnt some interesting facts about the war. We have also continued our work on Wassily Kandinsky and Year 2 have completed their final Art piece! The children have designed their abstract piece from start to finish by using different shapes, sketching the plan and painting it. Keep up the great work Lemurs.

Elephant Class

This week, Elephant class have had a busy week. On Wednesday, they followed the Classroom Kitchen video to make delicious fishcakes. I was really impressed with their safe peeling and cutting skills. We have also been painting using David Hockney's style to create some vibrant landscape pictures. In maths, we used rounding to check the accuracy of addition and subtraction questions.

Monkey Class

This week we have carried on our learning about Three Billy Goats Gruff where we learnt our story map to retell the story. We've also learnt about size ordering where we did a good job of putting the goats in the correct size order. We've finished our week with spotty biscuit decorating and doing a Joe Wicks workout for Children in Need. Wow what a busy week!

Zebra Class

This week, we sequenced and ordered numbers to 5 and used our sequences to find one more and one less than a given number. In Literacy, we made story maps of the Three Billy Goats Gruff and retold them to our friends. We also used puppets and masks to retell the story as different characters.

Zebra Class also learnt about a special celebration called Diwali. We made Diya lamps and Rangoli Patterns and talked about different traditions used to celebrate Diwali. We also took time to remember those who have fought for our country and those who continue to do so. We made poppies and medals and took part in a 2 minutes silence.

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<http://www.netsmartz.org/Safety/SafetyTips>
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/topics/stay-safe>