School Newsletter: Friday 2nd Feb 2024

In our classes this week…..

EYFS

This week we had a visit from a very special Lollypop Man who explained why this job is so important and how he keeps children safe every day! We had a fabulous time and got to try on his jacket, hat and Lollypop Stick!

Reception children in maths have begun to add, we are using lots of games and concrete objects for independent practice. Nursery children are consolidating numbers to 5 using maths songs and objects to 5.

As it was very windy this week, we made beautiful wind catchers to decorate our yard and helped the birds by making bird feeders out of yoghurt pots and plastic bottles!

Key Stage 1

This week KS1 have enjoyed learning about the different parts of trees and plants. They even identified which type of trees grow fruit.

In maths, year 2 are beginning to learn about money whilst year 1 continue to learn about place value within 20.

We have been perfecting our ability to work within a team in Jigsaw and made some fantastic dream birds.

Key Stage 2 – Lower

This week we have looked at how the Romans conquered Britain and we have looked at churches around the world.

We role played part of our story and recapped the different events.

We finished off the week with some PE.

Key stage 2 – Upper

This week we have been using oil pastels to recreate famous pop art pictures that we can use in a display.

In history we have been finding out how the Ancient Egyptians travelled and traded with other countries.

In computing year 6 were coding a catching game with a score board while year 5 were making an if/then program using the Micro: bit.

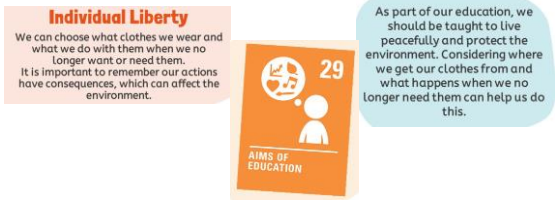
Week commencing 5th Feb

Monday – SATS After School Club – 3.30 till 4pm
Wednesday – Whole School – Dodgeball*
Wednesday – KS2 - Multi Sports After School Club*
Thursday – Y3 + Y4 – Swimming**
Friday – Y5 + Y6 - Dance Festival*

*Please wear PE kit
**Please bring swimming kit

General

This week our assembly linked strongly to our eco committee aims as we talked about a new BBC television programme, Style It Out, which focuses on sustainable fashion and will give promising designers the chance to showcase at London Fashion Week. Our assembly linked to Article 29: Aims of education and the British Value of Individual Liberty.



Dates for your diary:

Friday 16th February 2024 – Break up for half term
Monday 26th February 2024 – Return to school
Wednesday 27th March 2024 – Break up for Easter
Thursday 28th March 2024 – INSET day (School Closed)
Monday 15th April 2024 – Return to school
Monday 6th May 2024 – Bank Holiday (School Closed)
Friday 24th May 2024 – Break up for half term
Monday 3rd June 2024 – Return to school
Friday 19th July 2024 – Break up for Summer holidays
Monday 22nd July 2024 – INSET day (School Closed)
Tuesday 23rd July 2024 – INSET day (School Closed)
Wednesday 4th September 2024 – INSET day (School Closed)
Thursday 5th September 2024 – Return to school

Please check dojo for further dates and details