

Friday 1st April 2022.

Prize winners this week:



Class 1: Katie for super phonics.

Class 2: Luca for independent working

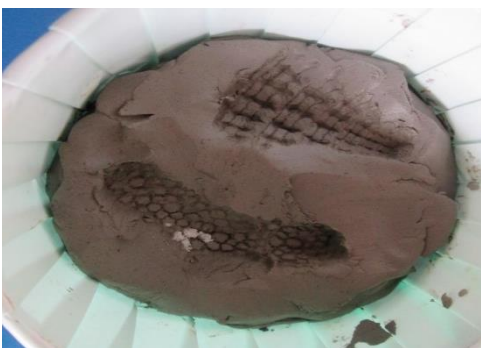
Class 3: Midi for lovely manners and super work and cooper for great focus and motivation.

Class 4: Courtney for working hard.

CLASS 1: This week class one has been working hard with their phonics and reading. Reception and Year 1 have been learning about weight and volume in math's. The children have been using weighing scales to measure the weight of different materials. We have also learned all about the Easter story and the children have also made their own Easter nest cakes using cornflakes and chocolate. Hope everyone has a great Easter half term.

CLASS 2: This week class 2 have been doing lots of capacity work measuring in milliliters and liters. We've also been learning all about the Easter story and the real meaning behind the Easter egg!! Over the half term ask your child about the Easter story. Well done class 2 for a productive week!

CLASS 3: This week Class 3 have been super busy. We have explored what fractions are (part of a whole) and explored equivalent fractions. We have practiced using fraction walls and to equivalents and used other materials to represent fractions. In English we have used reading comprehension and listening skills to pick out key information to write our own synopsis (blurb) of a short story. With our audience in mind and thinking of how to persuade, we used questions to engage our readers, as well as used short snappy sentences. Linking in our Topic and Art, we have focused on Frida Kahlo and her life and work, to then use collage and drawing techniques to create our own Kahlo inspired piece, reflecting our emotions and personality. The children thought about what animals best represents them, the colours of the background and what they show as well as a chose from a variety of Mexican flowers, thinking about how it makes them feel. Class 3 have also used their comprehension skills, not only in reading, but whilst watching a film (Coco). The children listened well and engaged with the film. They thought about the themes and discussed what they thought and felt. In Science, we revisited fossils, recalling our knowledge and understanding to reaffirm the fossilisation process. Using this we then created our own fossil moulds, looking at and selecting a variety of fossil types and discussing what kind of fossils they are to create imprints and use plaster of Paris to complete the fossilisation process



CLASS 4: "This week in class 4, as usual we've been working really hard. This week in science we've been working on how Tesla and Eddison harnessed electricity. To finish off our topic of Mexico we watched the Disney Pixar Coco. On May the 4th it will be "Dress up as a famous person day" so search in your wardrobe and find your costume early." Wrote by Reggie.

General information

DATE AND TIME	EVENTS
Wednesday 30 th March 2022	Whole school trip to Buddhist temple at Carlisle.
Friday 1 st April	Finish for Easter Holidays 3.15pm. Back in to school Wednesday 20 th April 8.50 am
Thursday 21 st April	Junior's (Years 3, 4, 5 + 6) visit to Walby Park Farm. They will be picked up from Lowca school at 8.50am and return from Walby at 2.00pm to be back in time for end of school day. Permission slips will be issued once we have sorted the cost.
SWIMMING	THE NEXT SWIMMING LESSON SESSIONS FOR JUNIORS WILL BE MONDAY 25TH APRIL THROUGH TO FRIDAY 29TH April. The bus will pick them up at 12.30pm to take them for their lesson for 1.00pm-2.00pm from which they will be picked up and brought back to school. Can girls wear one-piece swimsuits and wear hair tied back if it is long. Can boys please wear shorts that are above the knees as if they are long they are restrictive during the lessons. Can all pupils remove any jewellery. Goggles can be worn if needed.
Monday 9 th - Thursday 12 th May	** SATS WEEK **
Friday 27 th May	Finish for half term at 3.15pm, back in Monday 6th June 8.50am
Wednesday 29 th June	Careers day. If you would like to come and talk to a small groups of our children about your job- please come in and see Ms. Lawson and she will take your details.

Permission slips for the Walby trip for class 3 and class 4 have gone out today can you please make sure to fill them in and return to school on the 21st April. Thank you