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Friday 30TH September 2022

STAR OF THE WEEK

Class 1 Dexter for super mixing and blending in phonics.

Class2 Ziggy for your poem, focus and perseverance with spellings!

Class 3 Erin for your super attitude to learning

Class 4 Frankie for hard work and determination with some tricky maths problems, and for supporting his friends too. Great team work!

CLASS 1 This week Class 1 have been working super hard. We have continued to practice our phonics skills by mixing and blending our new sounds and recalling our previous graphemes. We have been practicing our pencil grip as we practice our letter formations. In Maths we have been comparing different amounts of objects and using our counting skills to check our reasoning. We have used mathematical language like more, less, larger, smaller, equal, the same as. In our outdoor Science we explored the garden to find materials to create our own leaf people, we looked at the different parts of the body and selected what leaf would fit best, used grass for texture and hair, as well as used cutting skills to adapt the materials.

Well done Class 1!

CLASS 2 In class 2 this week we have been busy being very enthusiastic poets! We have written our own poems all about how much we love leaves. We've been using ambitious, interesting vocabulary and the results are wonderful. In maths we have been using the language more than, less than, fewer and greater so any opportunity to use these words at home would help!

CLASS 3 A reminder, please could you check clothing and items that your child brought back from Hawes End. We are still missing a grey blue hoodie, pyjama bottoms and a torch. Thank you. In maths we are working with place values and comparing number then working out where the number would be on a number line. In English we have drafted our stories, written up the corrected version then using Word, typed them up. We had a visit to Lakes College and watched a science show on forces. It was very enjoyable and entertaining.

CLASS 4 This week, in class 4, the children have been working on a Stone Age research project. Everyone has been busy preparing their interview scripts ready to perform in front of the green screen. On Wednesday afternoon all of the juniors went to see the REACT Science show at Lake College. It was great fun and everyone had a really good time.

P.E next week will be on Monday.

Please can all children bring their outdoor kits, including a hat and thick jumper, as it is starting to get chilly.

General information:

This term we are offering 2 after school clubs, on Wednesdays until 4pm it will be Construction Club and on Thursdays until 4pm it will be Puzzle Club .(All welcome, at a cost of £1.00 per child per club)

Please can parents remember to read with their children every night and make a little note in their reading journal, it is very important to do this regularly so as to improve your child's reading skills.



We have set up our communication app, Teacher2Parent

Your children will be sent home with the information, please check their bags for an information leaflet.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

DATE AND TIME	EVENTS
5 th October	Class 1 will be going for a walk around the village, looking at their local environment and observing different buildings.
6 th October	School Nasal Flu vaccination in morning
21 st October	Finish for half term at 3.15pm, back in school Monday 31 st October, classes start 8.50am
21 st -25 th November	All KS2 will be swimming 10.30-11.30 please bring swimming costumes and a towel. (A lesson every day for the whole week, as previously).
6 th December	Jack and The Beanstalk pantomime, whole school attending , £10.00 per child. (At the Carnegie Theatre).
20 th December	Finish for the Holidays at 3.15pm – Back in 8.45am on the 4 th January 2023