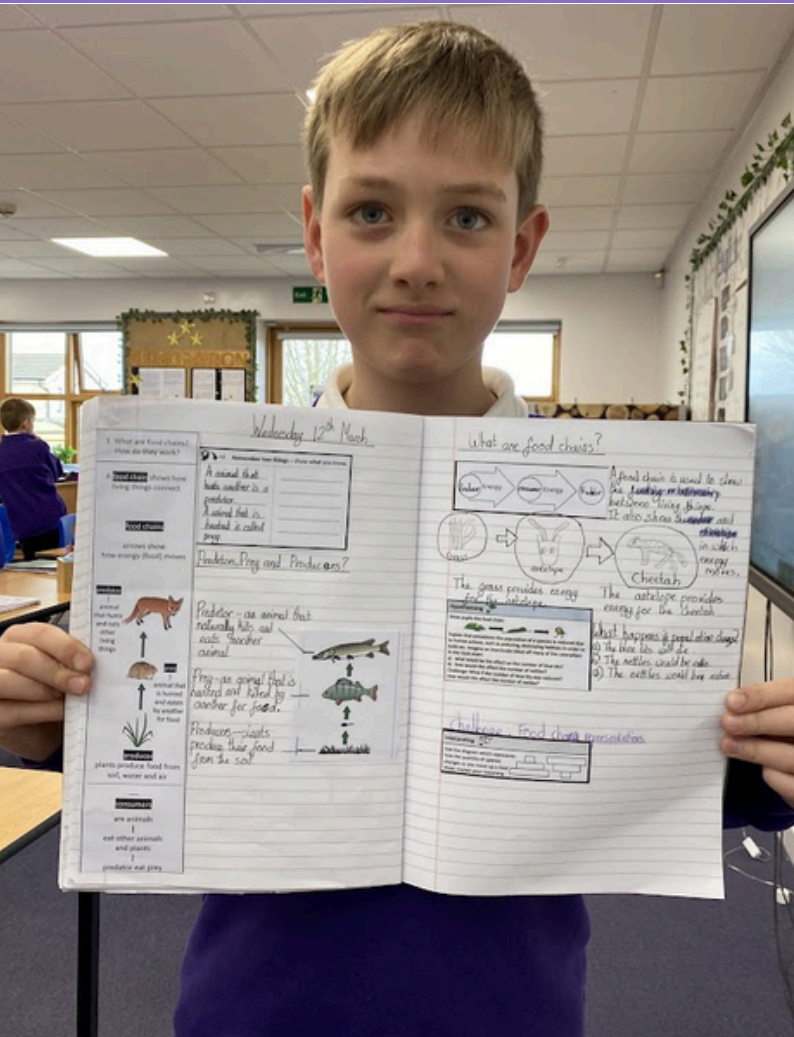




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A message from Mrs Tweed

The children have been working on their discussion guidelines this week. These are actions/expectations they use when any child or adult is talking in their class. Alongside this they have been developing their listening ladder to encourage respectful listening. Our next step is to introduce Talk Tuesday Assembly to classes. Once we have got going with this we will invite you in to experience this.

The children thoroughly enjoyed skateboarding this week. Next week we look forward to a skipping (younger children) and box to be fit (older children) workshop on Wednesday. We then hope to use the techniques and skills we gain in our future Tuesday enrichment. It is always great to be able to provide some new things to expose the children to.

Thank you for all your support and kindness.



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This week our class spotlight is Year Six

In Year 6, we are continuing to push ourselves in our learning and are very proud of our mock SATs results. We are working hard to show all of our learning. In Reading we are enjoying our new book 'Skellig' - the author is slowly revealing to us who Skellig is but we still have lots of questions about this strange character and are keen to read on and find out more. We are applying our Geography knowledge in our Writing lessons to write our explanation texts on the causes and effects of volcanoes, thinking carefully about the features of the text and using technical vocabulary. In Maths we are becoming experts at converting fractions, decimals and percentages. We have been comparing the settlement patterns of London and San Francisco in our Geography lessons, thinking about similarities and differences and reasons for these. We are enjoying our new topic, Light, in Science and have been exploring how shadows are formed, investigating the refraction of light and testing the colour spectrum by making spinning colour wheels. Courage, faith and commitment are our themes in RE and we have studied various inspirational individuals such as Malala Yousafzai, the Dalai Lama and Bear Grylls. In PE we are developing our skills in basketball and tennis. Well done Year 6!



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Attendance

This Week's Group Attendance

Reception - 95% Year 1 - 96.77% Year 2 - 96.05%

Year 3 - 96.13% Year 4 - 92.65%

Year 5 - 95.71% Year 6 - 96.43% Whole School - 95.53%



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House Points

This Week's House Points Winner is :

Palace House - 225
Tattersalls House - 123
Severals House - 151
Hyperion House - 153



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Diary Dates

Week Beginning 17th March - Year 5 Bikeability (Monday-Thursday)

Tuesday 18th March - Year 3 Forest School

Wednesday 19th March - Skipping & Box to be fit Workshop

Friday 21st March - Mother's Day Pop Up Shop

Friday 21st March - Red Nose Day

Tuesday 25th March - Year 4 Forest School

Friday 28th March - School Disco

Tuesday 1st April - Whole School Forest School

Friday 4th April - Break the Rules Day

Friday 4th April - Last day of Term



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PTFA Diary Dates

We are very much looking forward to the school disco on Friday 28th March. The timings are as follows:

EYFS/KS1 - 5.15 pm - 6.15 pm

KS2 - 6.30 pm - 7.45 pm

Tickets are available both in advance from the office, week commencing 17th March or on the door at £5.00 each.. Please ensure if you buy your ticket in advance you supply emergency contact details for your child on the back of their ticket.

The ticket price includes unlimited drinks and a hot dog (or vegan option).

We are in need of help on the night so please do speak to a member of the committee if you are able to lend a hand at either disco.