

School Newsletter



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Primary School



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Headteacher's Introduction

What a week! It seems to have flown by and we are at the end of week 5 already! What another exciting week we've had! It's been great to see and hear all about the topics the children are learning. Acorn class had a tour of the village to spot the signs of Autumn. In Willow class, the children are delighted to be able to share their excellent reading skills with their reading buddies and Sycamore are enjoying the prospect of campaigning and voting for the new school House Captains. We can't wait to see how the candidates get on!

Have a great weekend!

Mrs Durham



THINGS TO REMEMBER NEXT WEEK

Don't forget the Year 3/4 Football match at Stockton on the Forest on Friday 11th straight after school

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO FOOTBALL CLUB THAT DAY DUE TO THE MATCH

AND THE WINNERS ARE...

Attendance House Winners
Community

House Point Winners
Community

Reflection Corner

This week we were joined by Tony from YoYo to discuss what friendship means to us and how that helps us to belong in part of a community.

"If either of them falls down, one can help the other up."
Ecclesiastes 4:10

Our attendance this week is: **93.6%**

The National Average is: **95.5%**



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This week Acorn Class have been exploring seasonal changes that take place in Autumn. The children spent time looking at the Autumn colours that are around now. Children then went on a treasure hunt collecting all things, Autumn. They found leaves, conkers, acorns, pine cones, minibeast and even a meerkat up a tree! Yes, you heard correctly. Children were quick to point out that it was not a real one. We still don't know how it got there. We also saw two Rhear birds in the field opposite school who were watching us watching them!

Look what I've found!



Acorn Class



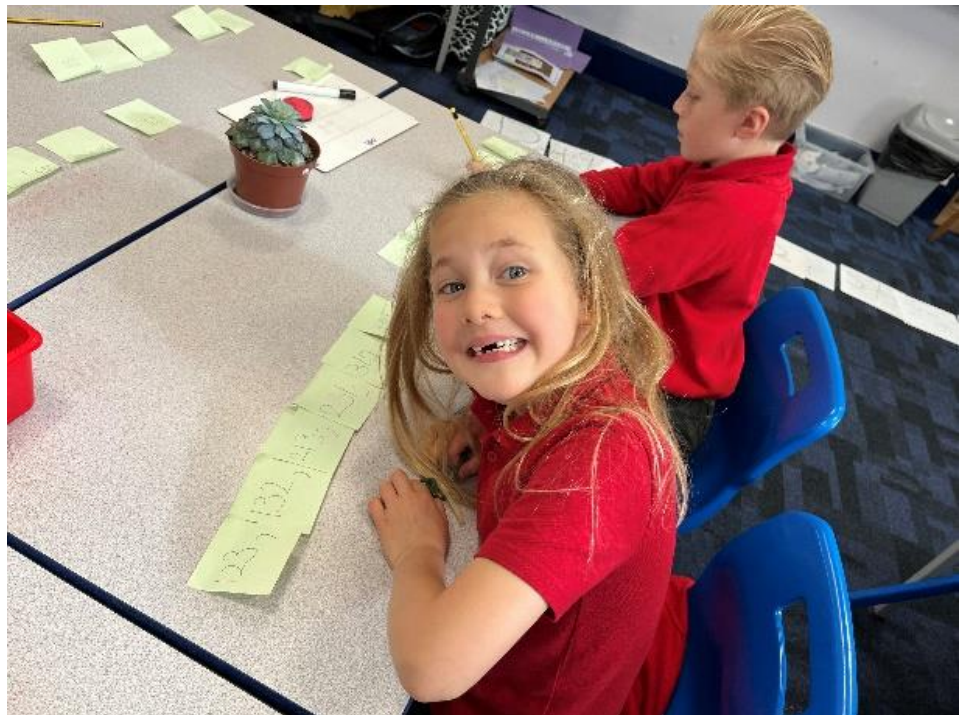
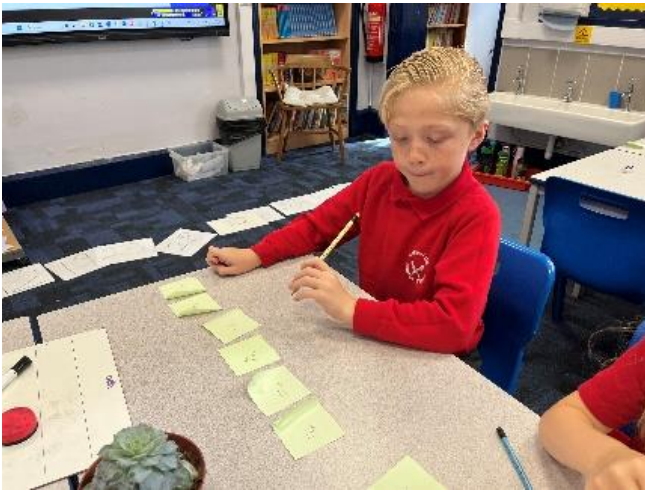
What a busy morning for Year 1. They enjoyed their maths lessons learning how to describe how objects, pictures and shapes have been sorted, they then went onto sorting into groups and learning to solve problems. They were encouraged to use the vocabulary fewer, more, same when answering the STEM sentences, I know ... has ... cubes because... I can tell there are fewer/more cubes because... We were all brilliant!



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Year 2/3

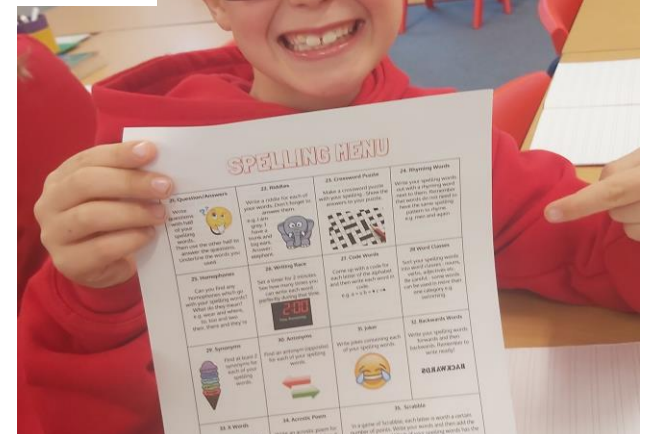
This week in maths, Y2 & 3 have been focussing on place value and comparing and ordering numbers. We have learnt to put numbers up to 1,000 into ascending and descending order. We also had a lovely buddy reading session with KS1 on Thursday. Some of us found a calm and quiet spot in our beautiful, new library. As you can see, the children did a great job of reading with their younger buddies!



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Year 4/5/6

Y456 have done lots of amazing Science learning this week around friction, fair testing, interpreting the results of our investigations and writing clear conclusions. In Maths y45 have mastered subtraction using exchanging whilst y6 have honed their long multiplication skills. In English we have been drawing and describing a particularly unpleasant character from our novel - Lolly - who the children consider to be 'intimidating, ignorant and disrespectful'! We have also worked hard to develop our inference skills, using clues in texts to answer in depth questions about, for example, a character's feelings or intentions. We have designed beautiful Christmas cards and enjoyed another Buddy Reading session with our friends in KS1. Finally - but very importantly - we have discussed the role of House Captain as our election takes place next Tuesday. Please encourage your y456 child to consider applying. If they wish to do so, they need to prepare a short speech this weekend setting out why they want to be a HC and the qualities they would bring to the role. Good luck everyone!



SPELLING MENU			
20. Characterisation Write a character from your favourite story. Describe their appearance, personality and actions.	21. Rhymes Write a rhyming couplet about a character from your favourite story.	22. Cloned Words Write a list of words that rhyme with the words in the box.	23. Rhyming Words Write a list of words that rhyme with the words in the box.
24. Humorous Write a funny story about a character from your favourite story.	25. Writing Race Write a story about a character from your favourite story. Use the words in the box.	26. Word Class Write a list of words that belong to the word class in the box.	27. Spelling Words Write a list of words that belong to the word class in the box.
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