

Friday 6 December 2019

Year 1

This week the children in year 1 had a drama workshop that took them on a mission to find a special boomerang for the Queen where they had to travel around the world and end up in Australia to collect the boomerang. They learnt how to say 'hello' in lots of different languages, and they collected the boomerang from a crocodile to complete their mission.



Year 2

Year 2 have been reading books by the author, Julia Donaldson. They have read *The Gruffalo* and *The Gruffalo's Child*. The children really enjoy the different characters in these books and have been writing character descriptions about their favourite ones. They all seem very eager to find more of her books to read in their own time.

Year 3



This week, the children in Year 3 have familiarised themselves with their new Geography

topic, which is about Rainforests. The children identified the differences between climates and the weather. They recognised what the daily weather in the rainforest would be like. In small groups, they applied this knowledge by creating a short weather report which they presented to the class.

Year 4

In Year 4, we concluded our Art and DT topic by designing and making fruit faces. We were inspired by Caravaggio and Guiseppe Arcimboldo. We are all looking forward to seeing our own faces on our impending visit to Tate Britain in March.

Year 5

We have been making the most of our regular library slots in Year 5, to explore new and familiar authors alike. We are using our Derwentwater Reading Tube Map to find new genres of books and have some recommendations for children our age - 'The Garbage King', 'A Murder Most Unladylike', 'The Look Outs', 'Gangsta Granny'.



Now we have to decide on a costume for National Book Day on Thursday!

Inclusion

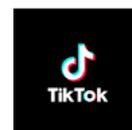
 9th March 2020 (all day event): SEND Advice Event: come for advice with any of the services advertised on one day in one place: Ealing ISAID, Speech & Language Therapy, Benefit Advice, Early Years support and many others.

VENUE: Westside Youth Centre, Churchfield Road, West Ealing. W5 2BY

Online Safety

Tik Tok

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-51561050>



Earlier this month Tik Tok introduced the Family Safety Mode. According to this BBC report it allows parents to link their own Tik Tok account and turn features on and off remotely, including turning off messaging. According to the UK media regulator, Ofcom 13% of all children aged 12-15 use Tik Tok. Read the BBC article for more information.

KS1 Reading

Some children in Year 2 have been busy recommending books to their classmates. They chose a book which they would like their peers to read and wrapped it up like a present with a heart to show their love of reading. 2 Emerald displayed their chosen books in the Lower hall while 2 Jet displayed theirs in our library.



BOOK WEEK Monday 2nd March-Friday 6th March

Just a reminder that next week the children will be celebrating Book Week. World Book Day is on THURSDAY 5th March and the children can come to school dressed up as their favourite book character. They can bring the storybook with them to share with the class if

they want. We look forward to seeing their amazing costumes!

Another reminder: The deadline for the extreme reading photo challenge is now Thursday 5th March 2020.

Here are two entries we'd like to share. Get snapping!



Dates for your diary		
All Day	Monday 9 th - 13 th March	Sports Relief Week
All Week	Monday 2 nd – Friday 6 th March	Book Week
All Day	Thursday 5 th March	Book Week Dress Up Day
All Day	Monday 9 th – 13 th March	Sports Relief and Science Week
All day	Friday 13 th March	Y4 trip - STEVE Mc QUEEN PROJECT - Tate Britain
7:00pm	Friday 13 th March	DSA - Comedy Night It is going to be brilliant! Professional Comedians. Watch this space!
10.00 - 11.00 am	Wednesday 18 th March	Y4 - Shakespeare Touring Production
3:40pm - 5:00pm	Wednesday 18 th March	Parents' Evening
3:40pm - 7:05pm	Thursday 19 th March	Parents' Evening
1:45pm onwards	Friday 20 th March	Mother's Day Assemblies 1:45 pm Reception 2:05 pm Year 1 and 2 2:35 pm Year 3 and 4 2:55 pm Year 5 and 6
9:15 am	Monday 23 rd March	Year 6 Open Classrooms Year 6 parents are welcome to visit their child's class and share in their learning.
9:15 am	Tuesday 24 th March	Year 4 Open Classrooms Year 4 parents are welcome to visit their child's class and share in their learning.
9:15 am	Wednesday 25 th March	Year 1 Open Classrooms Year 1 parents are welcome to visit their child's class and share in their learning.
9:15 am	Thursday 26 th March	Year 5 Open Classrooms Year 5 parents are welcome to visit their child's class and share in their learning.

9:30 am	Friday 27 th March	Whole School Assembly at St Mary's Church. This is not a parent event. Parent volunteers are welcome. Please leave your name at the office so that Mrs Nicholas can
All day	Monday 30th March	Y3 trip - KEW GARDENS

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