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Star of the Week

Leo - Nursery

Reception - Reception

Amarii - Year 1

Joe -Year 2

Myla - Year 3

Olivia - Year 4

Maddison - Year 5

Elena - Year 6

For Your Diary - Holidays and PD Days 2022/23

3-14 April

Easter Holidays

29 May- 2 June

Half term

Summer holidays begin 21st July.

There is still 1 PD day to be announced.

Year 6 MIMA

Year 6 enjoyed a superb trip to MIMA this week. We used a variety of methods to create art: Scissor Art, Sound Art, Collaborative Art, Self-Portraits and Chance Art. The children loved it and were able to express their ideas and thoughts freely and give their opinions on how art made them feel.

We were complimented at how polite, well-mannered and well-behaved we were.



Reception

Reception have been working hard this week in maths. We are up to number 10 and we have been exploring lots of practical, hands on activities to find numbers that make 10.



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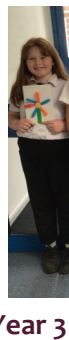


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Year 2

On Thursday afternoon, Year 2 were lucky enough to have a very special visit from a dream car. The children were thrilled to have the chance to explore and discover the brand new Aston Martin DBS.



Year 3

Year 3 made these beautiful Mother's Day cards this week. We can't wait to celebrate our lovely Mum's this weekend. We all hope you have a lovely day!

Year 5

It was lovely to welcome parents and carers into school to take part in a maths lesson this week. We started off by looking at how maths is taught and what a maths lesson looks like. We then used our brilliant orienteering equipment, linking our place value knowledge with our map reading skills, to solve different problems.

'It was nice to invite parents in because we don't get to do it that often.' Noah

'It was good to show parents what we are learning about.' Francesca

'It was nice to work with other parents.' Beaux



Year 5

Year 5 worked collaboratively to test different types of paper to see which type was the best at filtering liquid. A mesh tea bag was the best. Surprisingly, the coffee filter paper just did not allow liquid to pass through. However, after a class discussion we decided that we might test this again with different temperatures of water.
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Year 1

In Year 1, we have been making memory boxes. We shared our history with the year two children. It was



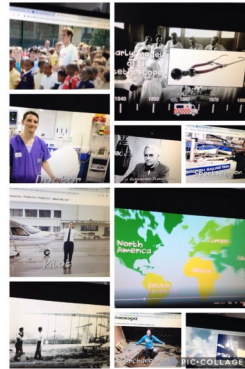
wonderful to hear everyone talking so confidently about their past.

Year 1 have been investigating how we hear sounds. We found out that the younger you are the higher the pitch of sound you can hear. We could hear sounds up to 18,000hz, a child from nursery could hear up to 20,000hz but Mrs Nixon could only hear up to 15,000hz.



Year 1 and Year 2

Year 1 and Year 2 explored different careers during assembly. We then shared what we hope and dream to be when we are older. We were shocked to find out that when our teachers were younger a 'YouTuber' job hadn't even been invented! We then wondered and explored ideas of jobs we might be doing in the future.



EASTER COMPETITION

Children are invited to join in our Easter competition by creating an Egg or Easter bonnet creation. We can't wait to see the entries and winners will be drawn **Wednesday 29th March.**

Year 4

This week, Year 4 visited Beamish to take part in a suffragettes workshop. The children took part in a protest on the high street to fight for or against women's rights. The children then took part in a debate in the town hall! Well done, Year 4 you have represented the school fantastically!



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Nursery Science Week

Starting off Science week with exploring magnets. Nursery have been learning about materials that are magnetic and non magnetic. 'The spoon is magnetic because it's metal'.

Nursery carried out a 'Magic milk experiment' this afternoon. We were fascinated by how the colours mixed in the milk.

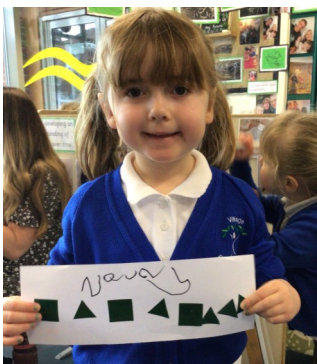
We have been making jelly. The children have been learning about turning solids into liquids. Qasid said 'it's like a proper liquid now'.



Nursery have been learning how to create repeating patterns.

We had to work out how to free our toys from the ice. Nursery had so many good ideas 'let's use warm water to free the dinosaur' Lennon.

Nursery loved the skittle experiment this morning. They made predictions about what they thought might happen. 'It's going to make rainbow water' Nancy.



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