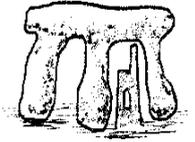


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## What we've been learning and doing this week

Pre-School and Class 1 have taken part in a Muddy Puddle walk for Save the Children Fund. The children walked on the school field on Monday and so far have raised over £175 for Save the Children.

Thank you for your support and well done Pre-School and Class 1!

### Class 1 have started learning about Hinduism in RE.

*'There are different Gods and the people offer the Gods fruit. Hindus have a little place in their houses where they light candles and pray.'* **Charlie, Class 1**

### Class 2 are continuing to learn about Ancient Greeks.

They have learnt a new non-fiction text as part of talk for writing. Today they were writing from memory the text they have learnt. Here is just the start from Grace O' in Class 2

*'Ancient Greeks were religious people who believe that Gods and Goddesses were omnipotent (they controlled everything in the world) therefore they must be revered and appeased. As a sign of respect the Ancient Greeks built huge and beautiful shrines and temples where believers go to worship.'*

**Please can all children have their PE kit in school every day now we have entered Summer term. Bring PE kit in on Monday and take home on Friday then it's in school for whenever the children need it during the week.**

**Thank you in advance for your understanding in this.**

### Year 1 Phonics Test Information

**Your child is bringing home a letter about a Phonics Test that the children will be taking during week beginning 11th June. Children who did not pass in Year 1 will be retaking the test. Please take time to read this and ask Mrs Miles if you have any queries. You can help your children by reading daily and sounding out words.**

## **STAR LEARNER**

**Honey for trying really hard to read some really tricky words in PSHE**

**Grace W for being a grammar whiz, being able to explain and find the different features in our literacy text**

## **RESPECT AWARD**

**Cameron for showing respect by listening to and following instructions**

## **PERSEVERANCE**

**Kian for trying really hard to recall his sounds in phonics**

## **STAR READERS**

**Jack, Emily, Wesley, Morgana, Lilly**

## **READING KARATE**

**Eva - blue band**

## **GOLDEN TOKEN AWARDS**

**Maisie for showing good manners**

**Eva for following instruction with thought and care**

## **Dates for your diary**

Monday 7th May School Closed May Day Bank Holiday

Monday 14th May—Thursday 17th May—Year 6 SATS

Monday 21st May— Year 2 SATs tests this week

Tuesday 22nd May—Class 2 Open day on The Ancient Greeks time to be confirmed

Friday 25th May—School Closed for INSET day

Monday 28th May—Friday 1st June Half term

Monday 4th June and Tuesday 3rd June—School closed for INSET days

Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th June—Mazey Day making with Amanda Lorens

Monday 11th June - Year 1 Phonics Screening this week

Tuesday 12th June—No swimming as RE workshops in school

Monday 9th July—Sports Day (Monday 16th July reserve Sports Day)