



TEAGUES BRIDGE PRIMARY

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Friday's Newsletter

26th April 2024



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Dear Parents and Carers,

2nd May (Thursday)

School will be closed on the 2nd May 2024, the school is used as a polling station. Teachers will set work for the children to complete during the day. I apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

6th May 2024 is a bank holiday.

REMINDERS:

PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON THE STAFF CARPARK. The carpark is very small and there are deliveries throughout the day and staff needed to come in and out. It is for health and safety reasons. Please can you all adhere to this and park on the Crescent. Gates will be locked at 8.45am and 3.00pm. We do not want any accidents.

If you need access due to medical reasons you must seek permission from the headteacher and a cover letter will be given to you to allow you access.

The sponsored walk took place on Wednesday. Members of the community commented on how sensible and well behaved EYFS and KS1 children were. Thank-you to all those children who took part. I know lots of children have been busy collecting their sponsor money, thank-you for all your efforts in helping us raise money for the bike pod. I will let you know when we have all the money in, how much we raised.

BASE 3:

I would like to say a huge well done to the base 3 children who took part in the multi-skills competition with Mrs Mackenzie. Their behaviour, manners and attitude were outstanding.

Have a lovely weekend, fingers crossed for the sunshine!

Mrs S. Abdulla



Seahorses - Multi-skills

Last Tuesday, 10 of our Base 3 children took part in a multi-skills sports festival, where they learnt all kinds of different ball and movement skills. All children took up the challenge and represented the school with enthusiasm and energy. Here are some pictures showing us in action!



This week in Turtles Class.....

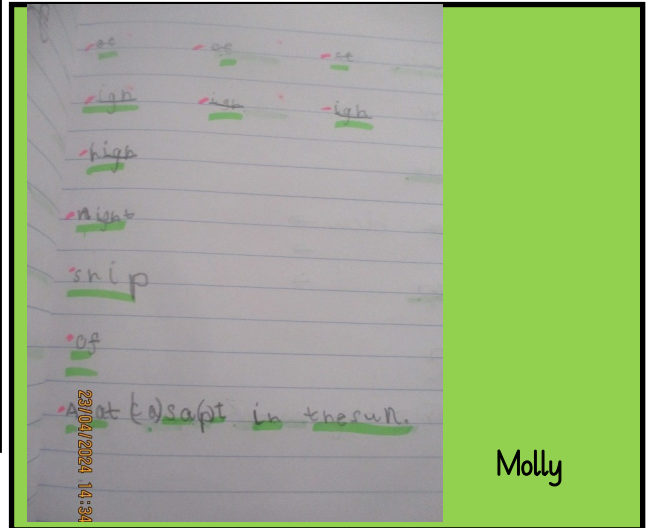
In Turtles this week we have been exploring our new topic called 'Under the Sea' and have been listening to a new story called 'The Rainbow Fish'. We have learnt what it means to be a good friend and how we can make each other happy. Also we thoroughly enjoyed our open afternoon where we made some of our own jellyfish.

In Read Write Inc this week we have been learning our new sounds from set 1, 2 and 3.



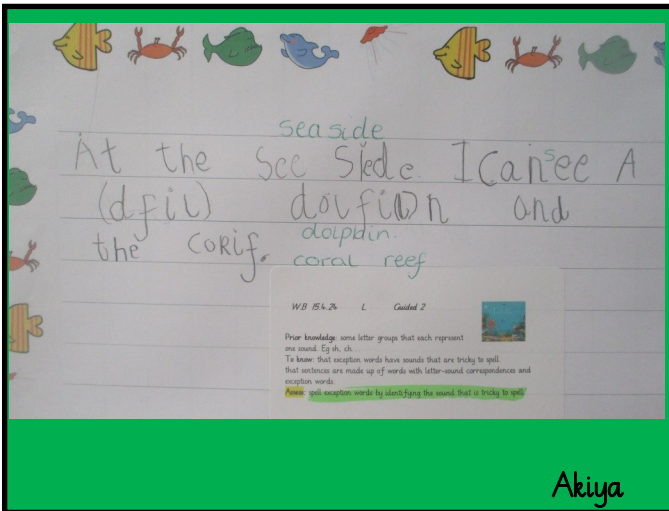
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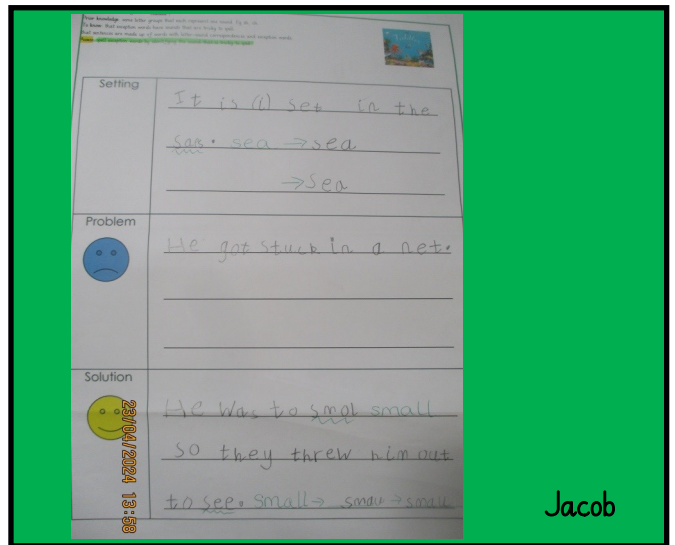


Molly

In Literacy we have been practicing our writing thinking about capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. We wrote the setting, the problem and the solution to the 'Tiddler' story and we wrote about what we find at the sea.



Akiya



Jacob

In maths we have been exploring ten town to understand, recap and form correctly our numbers 1-15. We have been exploring our number bonds to 10 using numicon and have explored addition in number sentences.



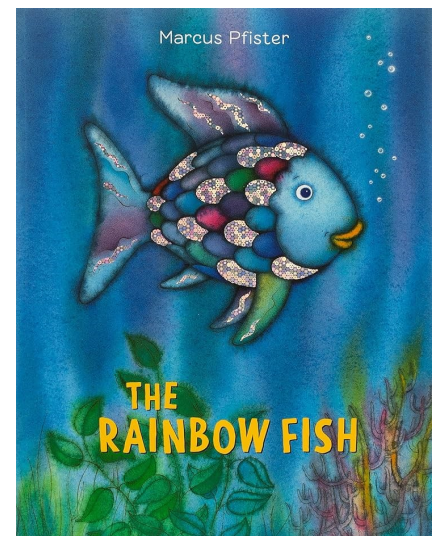
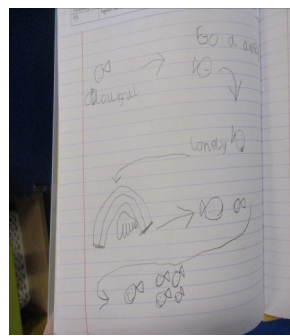
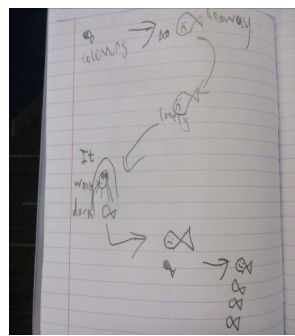
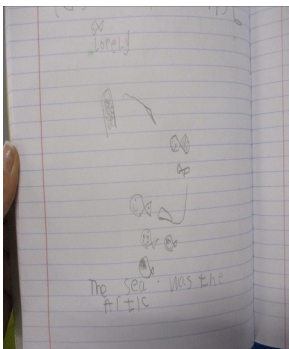
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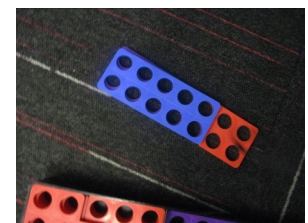
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This week in Starfish..

In literacy, we have been reading 'The Rainbow Fish'. We have become really familiar with this story by using role play, drawing a story map and ordering parts of the story. We have really been focusing on adjectives, reading and thinking of our own adjectives to describe the Rainbow Fish at different parts of the story.



In maths, we have been consolidating our addition and subtraction. We used practical resources to add two numbers together. We also talked about how we can use our number bonds knowledge and place value to help us add larger numbers. For example $13 + 17$. We know 3 and 7 makes 10. Then we have 20 already.



In science we have learnt about different animal groups. This is because our topic is 'Under the Sea' and there are animals that we should look after that live under the sea. We learnt some fancy new words such as amphibians and reptiles!

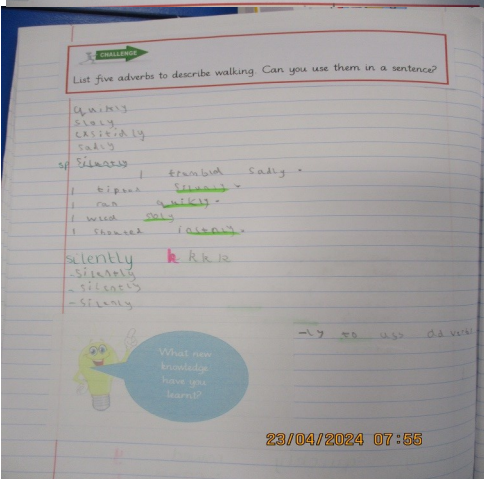
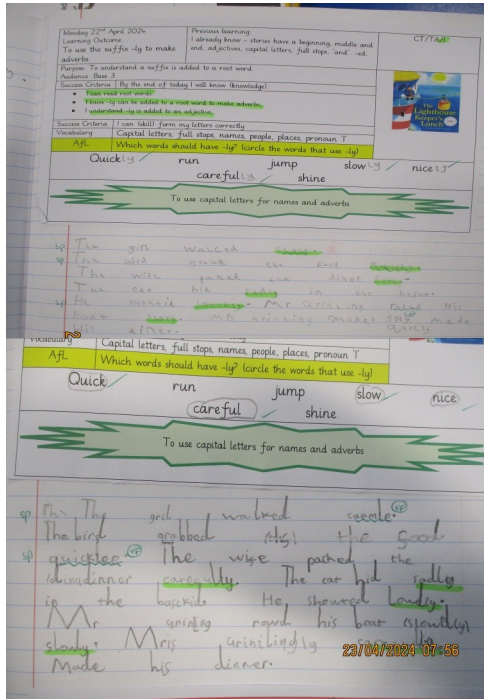
This week in Seahorses..

Literacy

This week in Literacy pupils are continuing the story of the Lighthouse Keepers Lunch. This week pupils have learnt how to use the suffix -ly to create adverbs to enhance their writing. They have then planned a class story where they have changed the pesky seagulls to naughty crabs who are able to get to the food when the basket is lowered.

Maths:

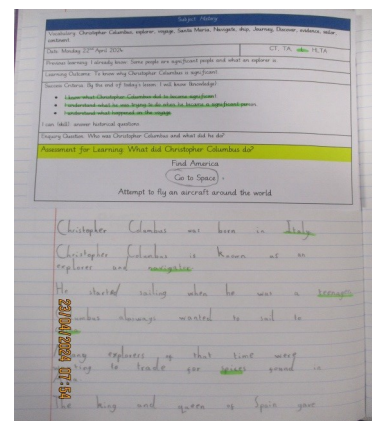
In maths, pupils are revisiting currently looking at their 2, 5 and 10 times table. They are applying their ability to count in multiples to answering multiplication questions using the multi-



History

This week in History, pupils have started to learn about who Christopher Columbus is and what he did to become a significant person. They learnt about Christopher Columbus' voyage and him discovering America.

Pupils learnt about the names of his boats and that he actually discovered America by accident. He was in fact trying to get to China!



This week in Dolphin Class...

The children were so excited to go on our sponsored walk this week! It was great to get outdoors and walk through the community. The children behaved superbly and it was lovely to hear comments from passers by about how lovely our class was.

It has been a great pleasure working with Base 4 this term and I have been very impressed by how hard they have been working in class.



In computing we have been learning about coding. Setting a string of simple instructions for the computer to follow. To do this we have used a Minecraft coding system found on hourofcode.org. It has been great to the children inspired by this different style of coding.

Our theme for this term is Pioneers and we have been finding out about a variety of significant people. Ask your child who we have been learning about and what they remember about that person.



Homework of the week award

We have introduced a new award for Friday's award assembly.

This is in recognition of the fabulous homework most of our children produce. It is also to show the importance of doing homework.

We need to ensure that children are equipped to be able to complete homework, as a school we are looking at our homework offer and adapting it to meet the needs of the children.

The most important homework your child can complete is reading, this opens the doors to all other learning in school and in life.

Each Base has nominated two children for this week's homework of the week award

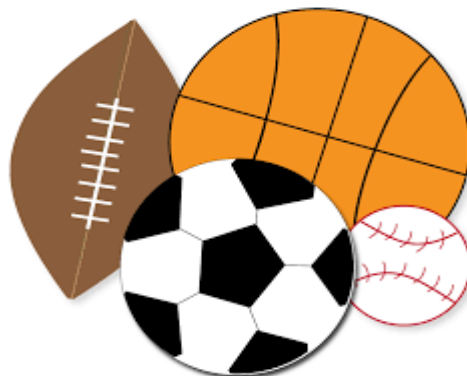
Turtles	Tommie	Noah
Starfish	Jaipreet	Simran
Seahorses	Tymo	Maya
Dolphins	Leon	Nicholas
Seals	Dara	Mathias
Swordfish	Lilly	Leo
Beluga's	Audrey	Dylanjot
Octopi	Lewis	Annie
Sharks	Emilia	Seth



Star Player of the week award

On Monday, Thursday and Friday, all children have PE. This is delivered by the Crossbar coach. The coaches have recently introduced star player of the week from each base. This is because of the effort they make and the sportsmanship they show. Please see the children chosen for 'Star Player of the week' award this week.

Turtles	Nathan
Starfish	Jacob
Seahorses	Aria
Dolphins	Tymon
Seals	Amelia
Swordfish	Lilly
Beluga's	Luke
Octopi	Cyrus
Sharks	Cody



Friday Awards

Our Awards Assembly takes place on a Friday via Microsoft Teams. Children were awarded with their certificates in class. Please see below a list of the children who have received awards this week.

Base	Star of the week	Worker of the week	Whale Rules Champion	Respectful Rangers	Handwriting Heroes	Punctual Panda	Best attendance
1	Maria	Winter Roman	Greyson Mathias	Ava Aikya	Molly	Willow	Logan
2	Armish	Jacob George	Tyler Holly	Sienna Oscar	Eric	Ashton	Leyla
3	Sophie	Chloe Michelle	Jenaya Ibrahim	Nathan Archie	Jasmine	Toby	Maya
4	Teddie	Harrison Indie	Jared Erin	Elizabeth Retal	Koray	Alan	Matilda
5	Riley	Ivy Ismail	Daniel Prisha	Corbyn Maya	Jack	Emma	Samavia
6	Lilly	Leon Auriella	Harry Leo	Iris Logan	Jess	Luna	Harrison
7	Luke	Louie Luke	Darwin Michal	Ellysia Grace	Jakub	Jayden	Kendall
8	Phoebe	Lacey Jayden	Callum Oceane	Esmé Evelyn	Betul	Britney	Sufyan
9	Ashrouf	Weronika Amelia	Aimee Emelia	Chase Lillijana	Charlotte	Udham	Lacey

Best class attendance this week:

KSI - Seahorses - 98% - FANTASTIC

KS2 - Belugas - 95% - SUPER



Picture News

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How can shops make sure everyone feels represented?

In the news this week

Stef Reid MBE, a former Paralympian medal-winner who represented Canada and Great Britain, is asking Nike and other sportswear companies to start selling individual trainers to single-leg amputees. The request comes after noticing the company using mannequins with running blades to promote its products in shops. Stef has said that by refusing to sell single shoes, Nike is not living up to its values of diversity and inclusion. In a video viewed over 3 million times, Reid said she was thrilled to be shown photos of mannequins in Nike stores with running blades wearing a single shoe.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Do you believe all sportswear companies should sell single shoes to single-leg amputees? Ask others at home to share their thoughts.
- Can you think of any shops or businesses that take action to celebrate diversity?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others

www.picture-news.co.uk/discuss



Dates for the Diary ~ Summer term 2024

Dates	Event	Who
APRIL		
8.4	Return to school	Everyone
10.4	Value of the Season - COURAGE	Everyone
11.4	National Pet day	/
15.4	Maths problem solving morning	Everyone
15.4	Parents appointments 3.30-7.00 via TEAMS	Everyone
16.4	Parents appointments 3.30-5.00 via TEAMS	Everyone
17.4	Severn Trent Water Assembly	Everyone
19.4	Open afternoon - Base 1 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
22.4	Sponsored walk	Everyone
23.4	Multi-Skills competition 10-12.00	Year 2 (10 children only)
25.4	Open afternoon - Base 2 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
26.4	Open afternoon - Base 3 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
MAY		
2.5	School closed - Polling station	Everyone
3.5	Open afternoon - Base 4 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
10.5	Open afternoon - Base 5 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
13.5	SATS (Mon-Thurs)	Year 6
17.5	Open afternoon - Base 6 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
22.5	Golfway - tournament	Base 6 (5 children only) Base 9 (5 children only)
24.5	Break-up	Everyone
JUNE		
3.6	Phonics Screening	Year 1
3.6	Multiplication Check	Year 4
4.6	Value of the season - TOLERANCE	Everyone
5.6	SAS Crew workshop - PANTS (NSPCC)	EYFS/KS1
6.6	SAS Crew workshops - Child-on-Child abuse workshops	KS2
7.6	Open afternoon - Base 7 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
8.6	World Oceans Day	Everyone
10.6	Music Workshops linked to Science Living and Growing	KS1/EYFS am. KS2 pm
11.6	Whole class photographs	Everyone
17.6	Sports day	EYFS/KS1 - 9.30-10.30 KS2 - 10.45-11.45
18.6	British values day - Rule of the Law	Everyone
18.6	Visit Police Station	Base 5 and 6
18.6	Visit Shrewsbury Prison	Base 7, 8 and 9
20.6	World Refugee Day	Everyone
21.6	Open afternoon - base 8 - 2.30-3.00	Parents
24.6	Assessment Week	Everyone
JULY		
16.7	Leavers assembly dress rehearsal	Children
17.7	International Criminal Justice Day	KS2
17.7	Year 6 leavers assembly - 9.30-10.30	Parents of year 6
18.7	Reports to go home	Everyone
18.7	Year 6 v Staff Rounders tournament	Year 6/Staff
18.7	Leavers Trip	Year 6
19.7	Break-up	Everyone