



OUR WEEKLY NEWS

Issue No. 25 | 20th May 2022

What's happened this week?

Year 1 at Windsor Castle

Our Year 1 classes went to Windsor Castle on Thursday. The children behaved wonderfully, especially as there was a lot of walking!

Each class saw slightly different things during the trip. 1AP were lucky enough to see the changing of the guard! 1KM were amazed with Queen Mary's doll house; the detailed furniture and gardens. All the classes had a very interesting talk on castles where some of the children had the chance to be archers and soldiers defending a miniature castle with a battering ram. Ask the children if they can remember what was thrown down the murder holes?

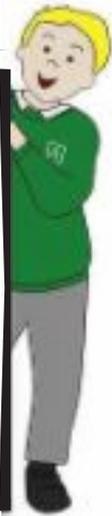
They also all loved looking at the armour, paintings and rooms in the castle. The children lost count of how many different things they saw connected to the story of George and the Dragon.



The Alwyn Aims

These are the rules we all try to follow:

- Keep your hands and feet to yourself
- Look and listen
- Be careful and kind
- Always do your best



Our Pyjamarama Day raised £213.20 for the Book Trust. Well done us!



PTA Teddy Bear and Cakes

Thank you to our fabulous PTA for arranging the sale today and a fun teddy bear competition. There were lots of yummy cakes on offer so I also have to thank all of our parents who baked, bought and donated.



Congratulations to Jacob and Arthur who won the name the ted competition.

Well done to everyone who took part in the colouring competition. The PTA were astonished by the beautiful colouring and the number of entries. The winners all won a mini bear. Look at the wonderful winning art work.



Cheeky Request

Our reception classes would like to set up 'baby clinic' areas in their classrooms as part of their learning experiences. Do you have any small nappies, feeding bottles, tiny baby (premature) baby clothes, dolls etc. that you could donate?



Please drop off any donations directly to Little Alwyn (the reception class building).

Thank you.



Messages from the Year Groups

KEY DATES!

RECEPTION LEARNING THIS WEEK

Ask me to tell you a word with 'ow' (as in 'owl') in it.

Ask me to write 'A brown owl'.

Ask me to tell you a word with 'ur' (as in 'purse') in it.

Ask me to write 'I hurt my hand'.

Ask me to tell you the story of Owl Babies.

Ask me to tell you things I can do to make myself feel calm.

YEAR 1 LEARNING THIS WEEK

In maths we have started to think about sharing and halving.

Ask me to share 12 sweets between 2 people (you and me).

Ask me to find half of an apple, pizza etc (whatever food is around).

Both parts must be the same size!

Ask me to find half of 6, 10 and 12.

We have been working on the /f/ sound using the letters f, ff, ph, gh.

Ask me to sound out and read the words: coffee, trifle, fantastic, telephone, elephant, rough, tough.

Ask me to name the different parts of a castle.

Ask me to tell you 3 things that I saw at Windsor Castle.

Ask me to tell you about something I did well in school this week.

Ask me to tell you something I enjoyed doing in school this week.

YEAR 2 LEARNING THIS WEEK

We have been learning about world habitats this week.

Ask me to tell you two habitats that can be found in the world.

Ask me to tell you two animals and two plants that can be found in those habitats.

We have been discussing the difference between animals that can be found in England and animals that can be found in Kenya.

Ask me to name the Big Five.

Ask me to name some other African animals and birds.

23-27th May History Week
The monarchy & Jubilee

23rd May, 9.15am, Hall
Parent drop in on routines

27th May
Jubilee party for the
children & non uniform
day (red, white, blue or
dress as a king or queen).

27th May
Last day of term, usual
finishing time.

6th June
INSET Day

7th June
Back to School

20th June
Yrs 1 & 2 Sports Day

21st June
Reception's Sports Day

22nd June
Year 2's School Trip

2nd July
School's Summer Fete



CONGRATULATIONS!!

A huge 'well done' to all the children who were in the Golden Book for their brilliant school work and to those children who had a kindness certificate or a polite parrot certificate this week.

We are very proud of you!

