

Good News!

Year 6 This week has been extra exciting because we were lucky enough to have two visitors in Year 6. Firstly, on Tuesday, we had a whole day workshop from Anglian Water learning about water in our communities. We all made pledges of how we could save water. I pledged to stay in the shower for less than 5 minutes (Jasmine) and I pledged to turn off the shower when I was washing my hair (Elodie). We were shown what sewage is made of and we made our own replica sewage using water, vegetable oil, weetabix, baby wipes, tissues, toilet paper and.....cocktail sausages!!!!!! Then on Thursday, as part of our RE topic, Mrs Debenham had arranged for Pastor Tony from Newmarket Community Church to come to speak to us about life after death. It is a very difficult, and sometimes emotional, topic to discuss but we felt very reassured by what he had to say and we were able to ask questions ahead and he answered them all for us.

Jasmine and Elodie

Year 5 We enjoyed doing art this week, we all chose a piece of a famous painting to enlarge and draw, it was quite difficult to capture all the intricate details.

In maths we have been investigating prime and square numbers by finding factors and using our times table knowledge.

We have also been examining Roald Dahl's descriptive writing and choosing our favourite parts - it was a bit disgusting this week as it was about Ellis and the boil. On Tuesday we had an exciting visit to Newmarket Academy for a science morning. We learned about pure substances and mixtures and did some fun experiments. In the second lesson we looked at how bath bombs create their fizz and used chemicals to make amazing reactions. Olivia and Lottie

Year 3

In Science we have been learning about magnets and we had to find out what metals were magnetic in the classroom (Robin).

In PE we used the large apparatus which was great fun. I climbed to the top of the ladder (Jack).

We have also been learning about Greek myths and Icarus and Daedalus.

Robin and Jack

Year 1

We have been making water gauges in science. It was fun digging up the ground and if the water gauge was still wobbly we had to find rocks or bricks to make it stable. (Albie and Darcey)

We have also designed our toy shops. (Albie) I have enjoyed collecting some things for my toy shop. (Darcey) Albie and Darcey

Year 4 In English we read about Beowulf and the Sea-hag, who is Grendel's mother. We're really enjoying it. In maths we have been finding out about non-unit fractions of amounts. In French – we sang a French song about countries. 'Elle' means 'she' and 'il' means 'he'. We have looked at Anglo-Saxon Place names on maps. Names like Fordham, West stow, Ipswich, Oxford and Brighton, all have Anglo-Saxon origins. In art we did some paper weaving, so we could understand how Anglo-Saxons might have woven their clothes. In Science we learned about condensation, which is when gas becomes a liquid. We did an experiment which showed water vapour condensing when it came into contact with something cold. Bardia and Louis

Year 2 In English we have been writing poetry about stars using expanding noun phrases and some similes. We looked at how we can swap some of our sugary cereals and drinks for plain cereals, milk, water or no added sugary drinks. We don't have to stop eating sweets and crisps, but sometimes swap them for a healthier option. We found out Coco Pops have twice the amount of sugar than Rice Krispies and cola has 9 sugar cubes in one can. We looked at food labels and used an app on the I-pad to scan barcodes to find out how much sugar is in a food. Anouk and Jimmy

Reception

This week we have been labelling dinosaur pictures. We have been learning to read tricky words by singing the tricky word song. Max and Austin

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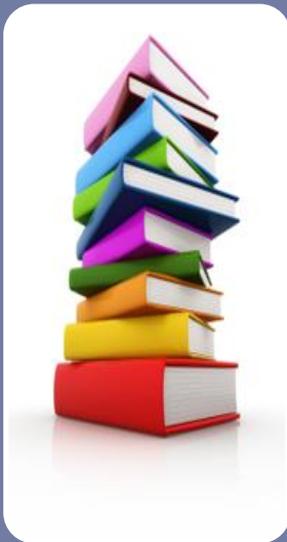
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Mrs Moore's Memorable Moment

This week our year 5 class went to Newmarket Academy to take part in a morning carrying out different science experiments involving reacting different carbonates, like the ones found in bath bombs, and acids! The children came back to school enthused and full of knowledge. I want to pass on the positive feedback from Newmarket Academy, who stated that the behaviour and learning ethic of our children was the best they had seen. Well done year 5!

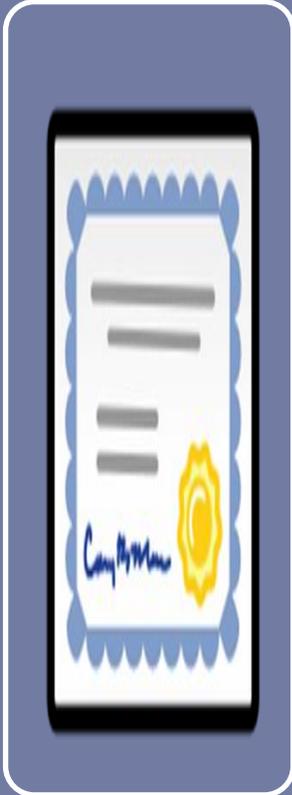
RIBIT Certificates



10th - Brayden R, Jack W, Jensen J, Scarlett W, Samson A, Ben T

20th - Sophie F, Grace M, Elsa B, Freya B, Rosie B, Clayton S, Robin P, Oliver B

Who received a Good News Certificate this week



Ruairidh V
Nell D
Amelia H
Jimmy C-W
Darcey W
Hermione C
Zak S
Manny K
Clayton S
Reuben R
Finlay R

Natasha D
Cinar H
Layla O'N



This Week's House Points winner is:

Palace House	675
Tattersalls House	845
Severals House	880
Hyperion House	875

Friendly Fish



Naomi G

Teddie T

Isabelle F

Arthur H-M

Anouk G

News from the PTFA

We are now getting organised with the disco and it is only a few weeks away so please keep Friday 15th February free.

Attendance for this week

Reception	94.67%	Year 1	95.20%	Year 2	95.52%	Year 3	94.19%
Year 4	94.29%	Year 5	97.33%	Year 6	94.00%	Whole school	95.03%