

-----13th March 2015-----

Head Teacher Awards - Well Done to

Alfie, Ocean and Anthony in Blue class for their super literacy work and Chad, Denni and Layla-Rose in White class for their super ideas and great teamwork.

Deputy Head Teacher Awards - Well Done to

Louis in Purple class for his magnificent maths.



Year 2 – Making Hand Puppets

Year 2 have been learning about traditional tales this half term. This week they have each chosen a character from a traditional tale to make into a hand puppet. They began by planning how they would make their own puppet and then cut out the shape in felt using a template. Once sewn together they will add eyes, nose, mouth, hair etc. to create the character they have chosen.

What is your child's favourite character?

DIARY DATES SPRING TERM 2015

Tuesday 17th March

Storytelling Day – Celtic Yarns
St. Patricks Day Disco 5.00-6.00pm

Friday 20th March

Non Uniform Day – Jazzy Jars & bottles for Easter Fair tombola

Mon 23rd-Fri 27th March

Assessment Week

Friday 27th March

Non Uniform Day – Easter Eggs for Easter Fair
Orange Class Assembly 2.30pm
Charity Quiz Night
Proceeds to NSPCC & Kingsway

Wednesday 1st April

Easter Fair 2.30-4.00pm

Thursday 2nd April

Easter Hat Competition

TERM ENDS

Thursday 2nd April at 1.30 pm

Monday 20th April

INSET Day – school closed for children

TERM STARTS

Term begins for children

Tuesday 21st April 2015

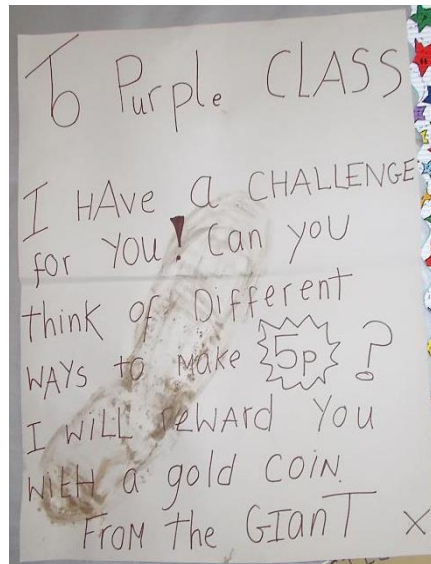
Year 1 – Maths

In maths this week year 1 have been learning to recognise coins and make totals. Using real money they have been working out how many coins are needed to make a total.

Purple class were set a challenge when they received a letter from a GIANT! They were asked to think of different ways to make 5p.

They worked hard and when they returned to the classroom after break the GIANT had left them a GIANT gold coin!!

What coins would you use to make 5p?



Reception – Noah's Ark

Reception have been learning about Noah's Ark this week. As well as reading and retelling the story of the flood they have been acting out sequences and building an Ark using 3D shapes.

The whole class discussed the promise made in the story and made promises of their own.

In art and design the children painted pictures of the animals going into the ark 2 by 2.

Freddie painted tigers - excellent work!

**Remember to
return order
for Summer
Term Milk by
23rd March at
the latest!**

Design A Robot – Best in Class!

Our Best in Class Robots!



Congratulations to - Grace, Kaiden, Cameron, Lily, George, Sophia and Marcus.

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Red Nose Day

We raised £122.00. Money raised for Red Nose Day is spent by Comic Relief to transform the lives of thousands of people, both at home in the UK and across Africa.
Thank you




Easter Fair - Non Uniform Days

To support the Easter Fair and our fundraising team we have added two non uniform days to the school diary. We need lots of donations to raise as much money as possible to buy iPads for the children to use in the classrooms! On Friday 20th March your child is invited to wear clothes of their own choice to school in exchange for a donation of a Jazzy jar or bottle for the tombola stall and again on Friday 27th March for a donation of an Easter Egg. For those of you who haven't come across Jazzy Jars before they are simple to put together. You just need a clean glass/plastic jar with a lid which can be decorated on the outside with a pretty label or stickers (be as creative as you like) and then fill with goodies such as sweets, hair bands/clips, bottles of bubbles, balloons, party bag items etc. So start saving your jars and pick up an Easter Egg – the £1 eggs always sell out quickly!! Please note we do not want money donations for these two days.

Attendance

Attendance for week beginning 2nd March 2015 – Blue class received the Attendance Cup!

Late arrivals will be marked as unauthorised absence. If you arrive late, after 8.55 am, it is important to sign your child in at the school office.

ORANGE	97.1%	RED	94.8%
GREEN	97.5%	YELLOW	96.7%
PURPLE	97.5%	BLUE 	100%
		White	98.5%

Excellent Blue Class!

Philosophy For Children (P4C)

We have Mother's Day and Father's Day, should we have a Children's Day?

Blue Class

What do you think

SUMMER TERM 2015

Tuesday 21st April

Verse Speaking Heats

Thursday 23rd April

S. George's Day Wear Red + White
Verse Speaking Finals

Friday 24th April

Music Workshop – Rule Britannia

Monday 27th April

Class Photographs

Wednesday 29th April

Forensic Science Day Yr1 & Yr2

Year 2 Theatre Visit - Oliver

5th – 8th May

Maths Week

Wednesday 6th May

Maths Carousel

Thursday 7th May

Happy Puzzle Day

Friday 8th May

Gullivers Land Trip Yr2

Thursday 14th May

Paradise Wildlife Park Trip

Reception

Friday 15th May

Whipsnade Trip Yr1

Wednesday 20th May

Wig Wednesday – Wear a wig day

HALF TERM

Mon 25th – Fri 29th May

Tuesday 2nd June

Swimming starts

8th – 19th June

Assessment Weeks

Saturday 13th June

Summer Fair

15th – 19th June

National Year 1 Phonics Tests

29th June-3rd July

Environment Week

Wednesday 8th July

School Disco 5-6pm

Friday 10th July

Sports Day 9.30-11.30am

Visit new classes

Reports sent home

Monday 13th July

RESERVE Sports Day 9.10-11.30

TERM ENDS

Friday 17th July at 1.30 pm

Monday 20th & Tuesday 21st July

INSET DAYS – School closed for children

Wednesday 22nd July

Occasional day holiday – School Closed

Letters

Sent Out This Week

- Meal Order – Summer 1
- Easter Holiday Play Scheme – Junior School
- Yr 2 Trip Letter – Gulliver's Fundraising Meeting
- Yr 1 Trip Letter – Whipsnade
- Reception Trip Letter – Paradise Wildlife Park