

SPECPS Newsletter

Hi All,

What a rainy week we have had with a little teasing of sun to make us realise what we are missing.

This week has been a week where it feels that everyone has been on trips. On Tuesday the Year 4's had a fantastic time at Magna and spent a wonderful day exploring everything that they had to offer. On Friday the Year 2's visited Chatsworth and were very lucky with the weather. Like the Year 4's they had an amazing time visiting all the areas and came back to school tired but with huge smiles on their faces. Feed back was that both groups of children behaved impeccably and were role models for the school. Well done!

In September, as usual, we will be sharing all the codes of conduct and the various policies of the school along with the attendance information. However I will just take the time to share the following information as a parent asked about this today, after their child had been given their first mobile phone. Children's mobile phones in school- children who bring mobile phones to school are to hand them in to the class teacher on entering the classroom and they will be handed back at the end of the day. This is to ensure they don't get damaged, they don't get lost and are not used inappropriately. As children get older and gain independence walking to and from school, we understand that parents will allow their child a mobile phone to ensure communication and for safety.

I have been asked by staff to remind parents to check their children for nail varnish (and acrylics), jewellery, length of skirts and makeup. We do not allow these and the staff are having to spend time talking to the children and then the parents (who frequently do not know about what is being worn to school by their child).

This week we had some children visit our school from a school in Bolsover. They came to look at our lunchtime provision and food offer. The children really enjoyed the visit and have taken back to their school some changes that they would like to make, after seeing how we did things.

Finally, please remember that Monday is an INSET day. A large number of our staff will be having first aid training, some will be working off site, some are at other schools and some are resourcing the school. We look forward to seeing you after the long weekend (not for us) on Tuesday.

Have a great weekend

Mrs S xx



Teddy News!

I am in the dog house today. I was not trying my hardest when the Teddy assistants were trying to train me on 'leave'. I tried to let go of my toy but it was so hard and I kept picking it up when I was meant to leave it. Hopefully I will do better next week.

Love Teddy xx

Believe, Courage, Achieve

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Golden Book & Learning Behaviours

Year 2 -
LB—

Year 6 - Ella & Ivie
Nurture— Maisy & Amaya

Year 5 - Marshall & Harley
LB - Elle & Lincoln

Year 1— Jaxon & Jack
LB—Maya & Jaxson



Year 4 - Amelia & Remi
LB - Layla & Dominic

EYFS - Karter & Oliver
LB - Junior & Freddie

Year 3 - Sophie & Keira
LB - Bella & Hattie

Next Weeks Active Challenge:



Step In, Step Out 60 Second Challenge



Can you keep trying even when you want to give up?

How many times can you step in and step out of a circle in 60 seconds?



You must step in and out of the circle, one foot at a time. Both feet must step into the circle and then out again. No jumping!



The Journey Curriculum

Each week in school we will focus on an area of our Journey Curriculum Map—staff will ensure this is a focus in lessons and children will be asked about their understanding of it across the week. Our focus next week is...

Challenge Creek



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Our fabulous work

EYFS



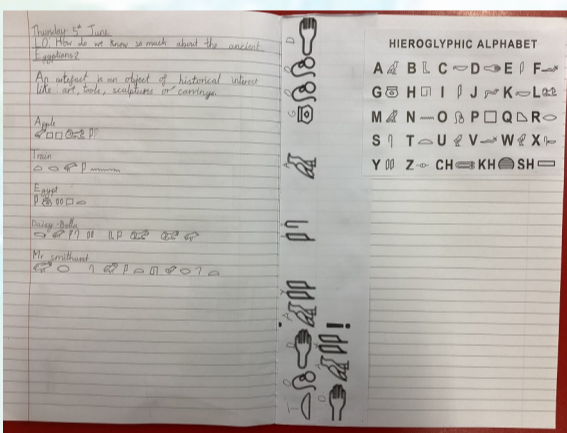
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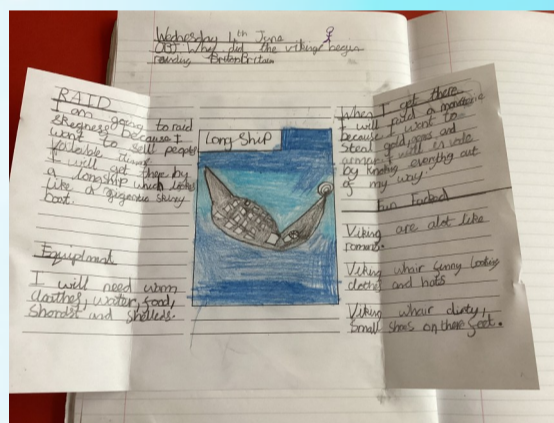
Year 2



Year 3



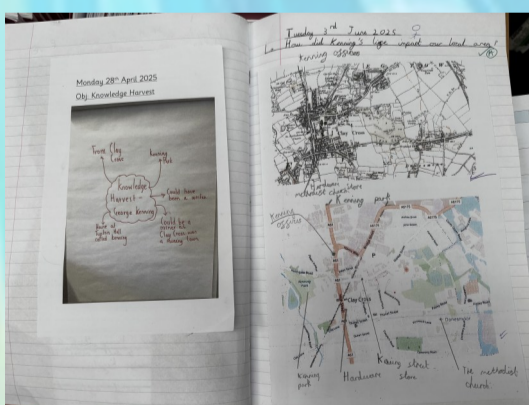
Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



Reminders and Dates for the diary ...

Please see Miss Potter's calendar for the dates till the end of the year.

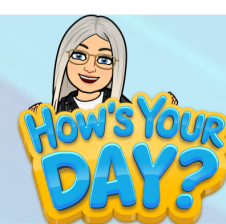


Lots of Love
Mrs Stevenson
Head Teacher xx



Let's journey together across our map, learning and progressing along the way.

Let's believe, have courage and achieve!



Mrs French
Deputy Head Teacher