

SPCPS Newsletter

Hi All,

This week we have news from back at school from Mrs French and from me whilst at Lea Green—so a team effort lol. Two for the price of one— Bargain!

I am writing this as we pack our bags, find lost teddies, pull pants from under beds, find wet towels and match wellies up in to twos- after a fantastic few days at Lea green on our residential. The children have loved every second and the weather was so unbelievably good to us. We had sunshine and more sunshine, apart from the morning of the last day which was bitterly cold. Sadly, we missed World Book Day at school (see Mrs French's news below) but I knew that under the leadership of Mrs French it will have been an amazing day with fantastic costumes and activities through out the day, that shares the importance and joy of reading. Some of the staff sent me fabulous photos of the children in their outfits. Whilst at Lea Green we have joined in the World Book Day vibe with a bedtime story, courtesy of Mr Sherwood, around a roaring open fire whilst toasting marshmallows and drinking hot chocolate. It was really a special moment that I will treasure for a long time.

Mrs French who was holding the fort for me at Sharley Park said- What a fantastic week we've had in school! There has been a real buzz of excitement around the building, and it has been lovely to see our children so engaged, enthusiastic, and full of smiles. We even managed to navigate Friday morning without our phone lines or internet—so thank you to everyone for their patience this morning.

One of the absolute highlights of the week was World Book Day. I had the pleasure of greeting children on the gate in the morning, and I must say, the array of characters that walked past me was truly incredible! From classic storybook heroes to creative modern favourites, the effort from children (and parents!) was outstanding. Thank you for supporting the day so brilliantly—it really helped to bring the joy of reading to life. A massive thank you to all of the staff who also joined in and came as their favourite characters too—I was very impressed!

Our EYFS Story Time event was another special moment. A huge thank-you to the parents and carers who joined us; your presence made the session even more enjoyable for the children. It was wonderful to see our youngest learners joining in the shared story time with their grown ups and showing such early excitement about reading. Thank you to our fabulous EYFS team for making this happen and continuing to develop a love of early reading for our children.

Back to me again— told you it was a team effort. I left the school Wednesday morning with the starting of the scaffolding going up and I presume that this is now in place. We will have a few weeks of disruption as the solar panels are placed on the roof. The effect on our utility bills should be very positive not to mention the positive environmental impact, so I think we can handle a bit of disruption.

We are thrilled to share that through the money raised at the last few school events (fayres, hampers, raffles, enterprise, Christmas crafts....) and using some of the schools budget we have been able to purchase 220 new iPads for school. We have also purchased 7 new trolleys for the new iPads. We are busy getting these set up ready for use. Our next target is to buy more to ensure that each child has an iPad to use in school. Sharley Park has recognised that the world is becoming more technology based and have prioritised ensuring that our children have the resources that they need to learn and thrive.

Have a great weekend (I will be catching up on sleep lol)

Mrs S and Mrs F xxx

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Golden Book & Learning Behaviours

Year 2— Zachary & Thomas
LB— Zachary & Patrick

Year 6— Ollie & Callum
LB— Jackson & Brayden
Nurture—

Year 5 - Aniya & Bobby
LB - Harry & Sofia

Year 1— Miles & Zachary
LB— Danile & Joey



Year 4— Lea Green
LB -

EYFS - Elias & Willow
LB - Coby & Adenola

Year 3 - Olivia & Gorgie
LB - Sophie & Noah

Reminders and Dates for the diary ...

9th March— Police chat about theft Y2

10th March— KS2 Shape activity day

10th March— Mrs Stevenson, Miss Potter and Mrs Graham DSL refresher training

10th March- Police chat about theft Y3

11th March— KS1 Shape activity session in the hall

11th March- Police chat about theft Y4

16th March- Police chat about theft Y5

17th March—Police chat about theft Y6

17th March- Y5 singing together rehearsal

20th March- Red Nose Day

24th March- Dance Festival for the Weds club dancers

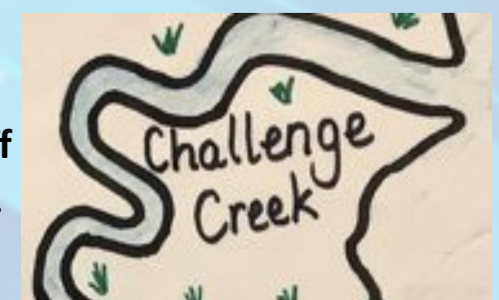
24th March- Singing together concert in the hall

25th March- Y3 trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park



The Journey Curriculum

Each week in school we will focus on an area of our Journey Curriculum Map—staff 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...



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Our fabulous work

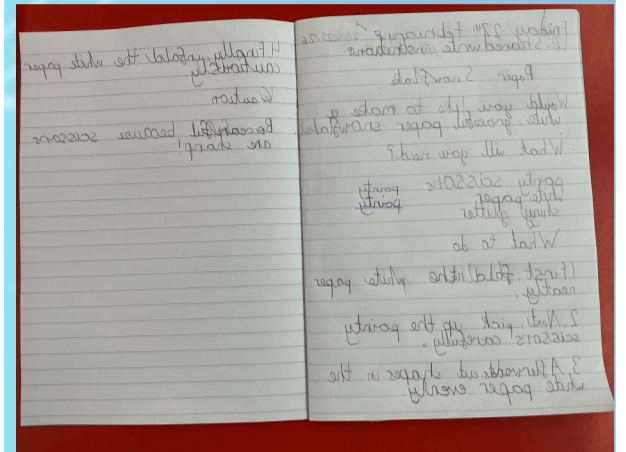
EYFS



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



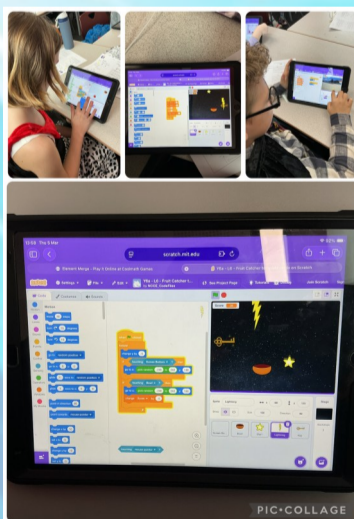
Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



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