

SPEPS Newsletter

Hi All,

Well the half term break is now a distant memory, isn't it lol. I can't quite believe that this time last week we were all basking in tropical sunshine, trying not to burn in the sun. Fast forward a week and we are back in wellies with coats on and our electric blankets turned up. Ever the optimistic I keep telling myself that the warmer weather will arrive and stay soon. I hope that you had a super break with family, friends and anyone or no one that you choose to spend your time with. Whether you went on day trips out, stayed in the garden and had bbqs or wore your pjs all week, I hope you had time to relax and refresh as we have nearly 8 weeks to get through. The summer holidays are always something to look forwards to but with this is the sad journey towards saying goodbye to our fab Year 6's, who will be leaving us to start their secondary school journeys.

This week a massive well done to the Y4's who have been taking their multiplication times tables check this week and next week and a good luck to our KS1 children who will start their phonic screening checks next week.

Mrs Clarkson has asked if I could just remind parents that we ask that parents support their children to read four times a week at home, please. We have sadly seen a decline in the number of raffles in the jar in Friday's celebration assembly. We also have some sad children who share that they didn't have an adult to hear them read at home. Mrs Clarkson will monitor reading for all the children and is happy to offer any support to parents or children in this area. She will be setting some time aside over the next few weeks to contact parents if their child is not reading at home to see if she or school can help in any way.

Mrs Clarkson is also thinking of the next writing competition as a number of children have shared that they would like to have another one before we break up for the summer. Mrs Clarkson is over the moon with this, as she loves all things to do with English- reading, spelling, writing, grammar.... This week our school staff stayed after school with a number of other local schools to look together at children's writing and to share good practice. Working with our cluster schools is fantastic and we all get an awful lot out of it.

Please be reminded that on Monday it is an INSET day and I hope you have a superb long weekend planned. In school on this day we have number of things planned for staff, including SEN training, medical updates, resourcing and display work and two courses that staff will complete.

Have a great long weekend and see you on Tuesday

Mrs S xx



This week I was so busy that I couldn't keep my eyes open when I got home. I spent some time every day in someone's classroom or working 1:1 with a little person. I love that they do a heart sign with the hands when they see me. Bear is still training but doing really well. He finds it funny to run under my tummy when I am standing, he is so small. It tickles.

Love Teddy xx

Believe, Courage, Achieve

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Golden Book & Learning Behaviours

Year 2

Karter & Ziara
Team Worker: Charly & Locryn

Year 6

Elle & Lorenzo
Team Worker: Ethan & Doris

Year 5

Riley & Bobby
Team Worker: Amelia & Sofia

Year 1

Luke & Oliver G
Team Worker: Myla-Grace & Ellie

EYFS

Lily & Charlie
Team Worker: Elias &



Year 4

Hattie & Jacob
Team Worker: Leo R & Matilda

Year 3

Sophia & Lilah
Team Worker: Eric & Nico

Reminders and Dates for the diary ...

Monday 8th – INSET day, school is closed to pupils

Tuesday 9th– Y3 DT Day
Y4 Trip to Magna

Wednesday 10th– Class photo's

Friday 12th– Y2 Sleepover

Tuesday 16th– Y5 trip to Eyam and Bakewell

Friday 26th—1:30pm Colour Run— see Dojo from Miss Page

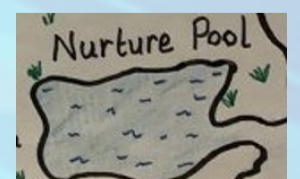
- With the weather being a little unpredictable at the moment, please can you ensure that children come to school with appropriate clothing, wearing suncream (hopefully for the sunny days ahead!) and with their sun hat and water bottle.
- As we approach the end of the school year we would like to remind everyone that we continue to expect children attend school in the correct school uniform. This includes appropriate footwear Trainers can be worn for school **as long as they are not branded and are totally black, this includes the sole.**

We understand that many of you would want to avoid having to spend money for uniform items / school shoes for the short amount of time that we have left this term, so please have a look on the pre-owned uniform rail where you can take what you need free of any charge.



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.

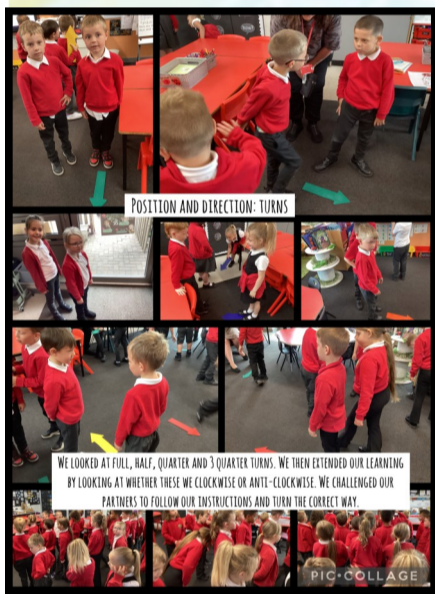


Our focus next week is... Nurture Pool

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Our fabulous work

EYFS



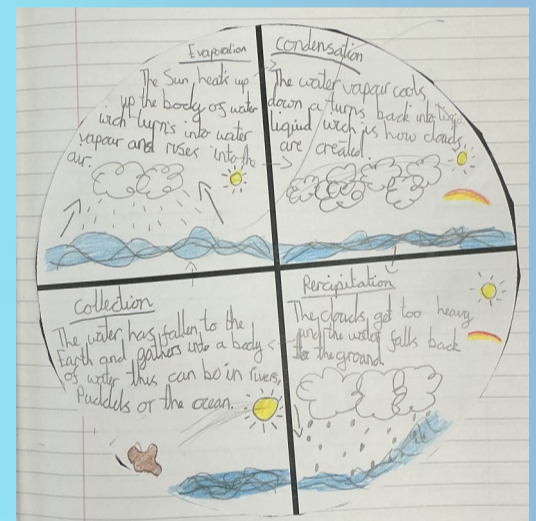
Year 1

WE LOOKED AT FULL, HALF, QUARTER AND 3/4 QUARTER TURNS. WE THEN EXTENDED OUR LEARNING BY LOOKING AT WHETHER THESE WE CLOCKWISE OR ANTI-CLOCKWISE. WE CHALLENGED OUR PARTNERS TO FOLLOW OUR INSTRUCTIONS AND TURN THE CORRECT WAY.

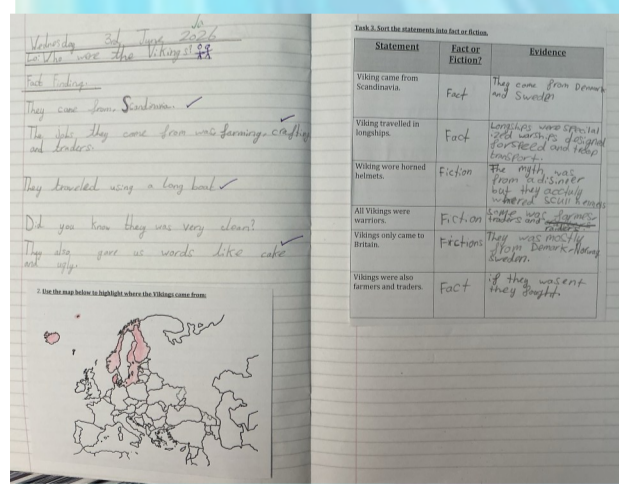


Year 2

Year 3



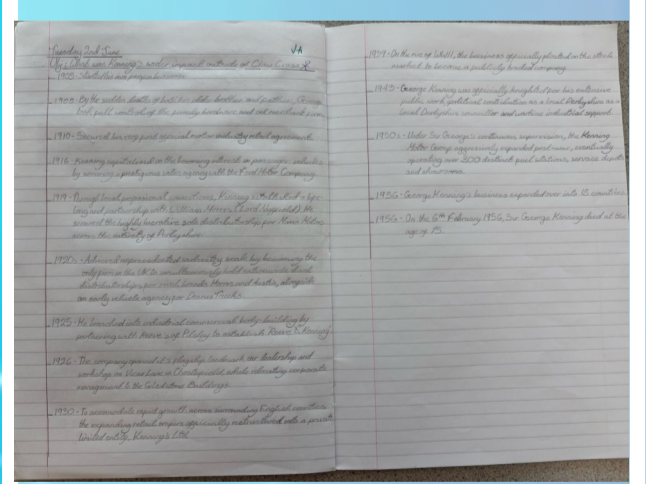
Year 4



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 Clarkson
Deputy
Head Teacher xx