



MARTINS WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

13th October 2023



HIGHLIGHTS

- Learning in the class
- skip2bfit update
- Important Dates

Year 2 Science – Germs!

In their science lessons this week, the year 2 children have been learning about personal hygiene. They have been investigating the best way to wash hands. They firstly put Vaseline and glitter (germs) all over their hands and did some different activities to see how much those germs spread to people and on other things. They then discovered that warm water and soap was the best option to wash the 'germs' off!



Skip 2B Fit Challenge – well done to all those taking part!

Year Group

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6

Best Skipper

Nyla E – Box
Esme F – Cherry
Aaron B – Eucalyptus
Lily – Paige W Hazel
Mason T – Poplar
Ethan F – Walnut

Best Effort

Aerilyn A – Birch
Laila H – Cherry
Evie A – Elder
Harry C – Hawthorn
Emily A – Plane
Finley J – Walnut



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British Sign Language

All of our children across the Early Years Foundation Stage are receiving weekly BSL lessons. They have been enjoying learning the signs for emotions and colours this week.



Year 3 Sculptures

As part of the Year 3 R.E. topic on Hinduism, the children have learnt about the ceremonial murtis and the different gods involved. They have been using their sculpting skills to make their own Murtis of the Elephant god,



Diary Dates

Parent/Carers Consultation Evenings
Tues 17th October & Wed 18th October

Half Term
Week beginning 23rd October

School Individual Photos
Fri 3rd November
School Closed (Occasional Day)
Fri 1st of December
End of term
Wed 20th December
New Term Begins
Mon 8th January 2024

Early Years Tours

The Nursery and Reception admissions process is now open. If you would like to visit our ambitious and friendly Early Years Foundation Stage, please book onto one of our tours.

October

Wednesday 18th (9:30am)

Tuesday 31st (9:30am)

November

Wednesday 8th (2 pm)

Friday 17th (9:30am)

Monday 20th (2 pm)

Wednesday 29th (9:30am)

A space on a tour can be booked via the office.



Animals

Please can we remind you that we do not allow any animals on site unless they are assistance animals. We would also ask that if you do bring your dogs to wait for your child after school that you keep them a little way back from the gates. Some of our children are nervous around dogs and therefore we ask that you keep this in mind. Thank you

