



NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th September 2024



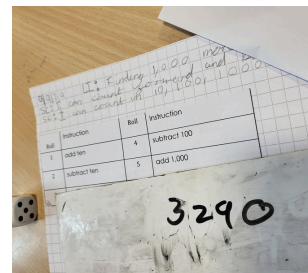
Welcome

We have been so impressed with how the children have returned after the summer holidays. They have settled straight back into learning and have been demonstrating fantastic learning behaviours.



Year 4 - Maths

The year 4 children have been developing their fluency and confidence when counting forward and backwards in steps of 10, 100, or 1000. They have played a game where the dice decided what action they had to take.



In the Summer term, the year 4 children will be taking the standardised times tables test. They have already started practicing by using the Times Tables Rock Stars application. They are able to access this both at school and at home where we are encouraging the children to practice throughout the week.



Morning reminder

Can we please remind everyone that, in the morning, the entry doors around the school are closed at 9:00AM. If your child arrives after this time then they will need to come in through the school office.

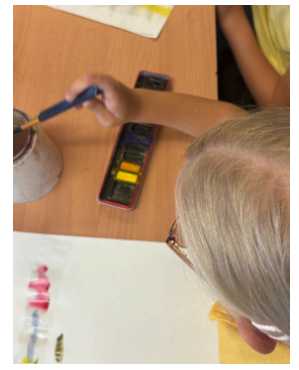
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Year 3- Art

The first art unit for our year 3 children is Contrast and Compliment (colour theory). They have been learning how to use watercolours and mix secondary colours. They have then extended this by exploring transparency.



Our Youngest starters

The children in Saplings have settled and can be seen accessing a selection of activities where the main focus has been around their personal, social and emotional wellbeing. For many, this is the first time they have been without their parents/carers, and they have been fantastic at exploring their new environment.



Attendance Champions

KS2 - Walnut class

KS1 - Cherry class



Well done to Year 4 who have already got started on TTRS. All the children will soon be logging in to complete their monthly 'GIG' as well as practising their times tables. We would appreciate your support at home if the children could use TTRS to keep rehearsing their times tables. If you are having any difficulty logging in at home please contact your child's class teacher.

UPCOMING DATES

Wednesday 18th September - Year 1 phonics meetings (9am at school, 5pm online)

WB 23rd September - Year 6 PGL

Tuesday 22nd October - Parents evening (4-6)

Wednesday 23rd October - Parents evening (4-8)

Friday 25th October - Inset Day

28th October to 1st November - Half term

Friday 29th November - School closed

Friday 20th December - Term ends

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