MARTINS WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSFLASH

FRIDAY
26/06/2026

YEAR 2

This unit year 2 have been learning about the Hindu celebration Navratri. This week the children learnt a tsimple dance called garba which is a ‘stick dance’ that symbolises the fight between Durga and Mashish.





NURSERY

What an exciting week we've had launching our new topic, "Splash!" The children have thoroughly enjoyed exploring all things water-related through a range of hands-on activities and sensory experiences.

This week, the children became little scientists as they investigated ice and observed what happens when it melts. We talked about how ice changes from a solid to a liquid and enjoyed watching the transformation take place. They also had lots of fun making bubbles. They loved chasing, popping and observing the bubbles float through the air. Our shaving foam writing provided a wonderful sensory experience whilst mark-making, letter formation, and early writing skills. The children enjoyed using their fingers to create patterns, shapes and letters in the foam.











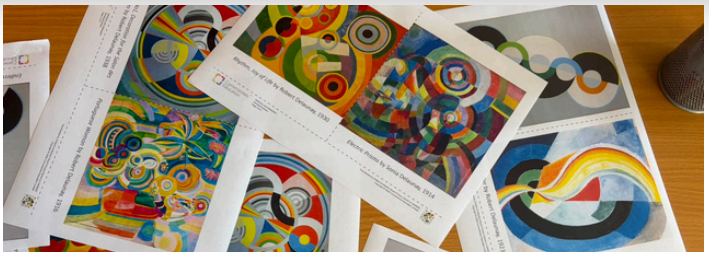
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YEAR 6

In Year 6, the children have been taking a section of a piece of abstract artwork to recreate it representing the colours and shapes accurately.



Introducing our Stevenage District Division 1 Girls Football Champions 2025 - 2026.

The girls have had an impressive season, finishing with an outstanding record of six wins and just one loss. Throughout the season, they demonstrated exceptional teamwork, determination and resilience, overcoming every challenge together to become champions. Miss Gunn and everyone at Martins Wood are immensely proud of the girls' incredible effort, commitment and positive attitude, making this a truly memorable season.



DATES FOR THE DIARY

- 29th June - Class Photos
- 30th June - Year 1 British School Museum Trip
- 9th July - Transition Day (Yr 6 visit to secondary schools)
- 13th July - Year 6 Performance 2-3pm
- 14th July - Year 6 Performance 6-7pm
- 21st July - Colour Run
- 23rd July - End of Term - 2pm

This week's average attendance is 88.4%. Our average whole school attendance is currently at 94.8%
Remember - to achieve 100% attendance your child needs to be in school, every day, on time.

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