



Cavalry Newsletter 05.02.2024



Last week in Nursery:

We made bird feeders with recycled materials. We explored filling and emptying in the gingerbread sensory rice and going on a numbered gingerbread man hunt in the garden. The children developed their own ideas, working together to build houses, castles, roadways, bridges and a jail for the gingerbread man! We are reading the story of the Colour Monster and talking about our feelings. Last week's focus was happy. We created a collaborative yellow coloured collage monster for our display and tasted yellow coloured foods to see which made us feel happy inside!

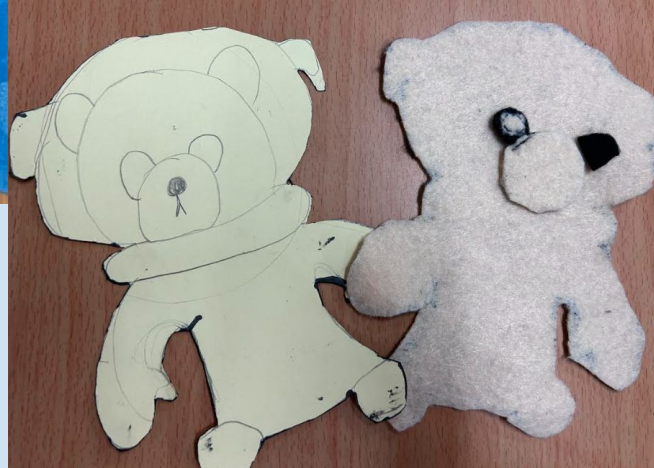


Last week in Year 6:



In Art, Year 6 have been painting Tudor miniature portraits using fine detail and mixing skills.

Year 6 started their Space toys last week. They have planned and cut out their designs and are now beginning to sew. We can't wait to show you the finished toys.



In Science, we made sundials to show how the sun transitions across the sky.

PE/Sports News:

On Friday, a group of year 6 girls attended a county-level tournament at Cambourne. The girls played really well against some very strong teams. We are so proud of their efforts!

Well done girls!



PE/Sports News:

Last week, KS1 children in Year 1 and 2 experienced a speed stacking experience with Helen from Witchford Sports Partnership. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience and it is great to hear that so many children are already wanting to get speed stacking cups of their own.

Speed Stacking Club runs on a Friday lunchtime with Mr Brown in Class 14.



Last week in Year 4:

Year 4 had our last swimming and library trip this week. We have really enjoyed visiting the library to choose our own books and share stories with Miss Hunter!



Best attendance last week: congratulations to Class 5 with 99% and Class 9 with 97%. Our whole school target is 97%.



Reading news:



Word Count Wizards:

This week the classes with the most 'words read' in Y4/5/6 were:

Class 10

Class 12

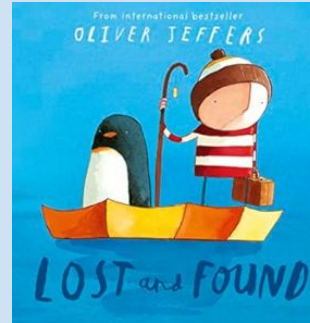
Class 13



Fred says 'fantastic work!' to all the children in Mrs Hill's group - your speedy reading makes Fred happy!

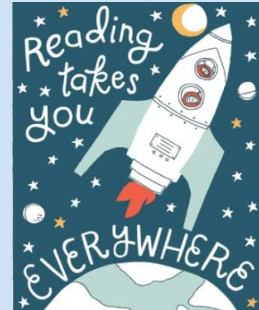
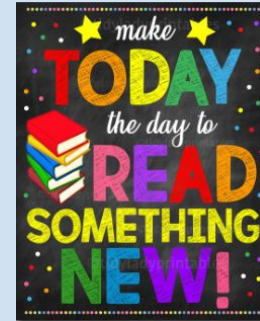
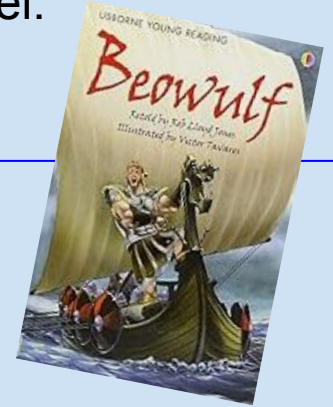
Brilliant Books:

Year 2 are enjoying this book as their focus for Talk Through Stories.



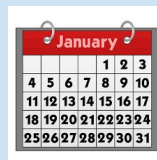
Have you read....?

Year 4 are reading the story of Beowulf and the monster Grendel.





Dates for your calendar:



Tuesday 6th Feb - Internet safety day

Thursday 15th Feb - PTFA Valentine's discos

19th - 23rd February - school and nursery closed for half term

28th and 29th February - parent consultation appointments for children in school

4th to 8th March - Book Week

Wednesday 6th March - 'Books at Bedtime' and 'Books after Dark' events

Friday 8th March - dressing up for World Book day

11th to 15th March - Y5 residential visit to Wales

Wednesday 13th March - Year 4 visit to West Stow Anglo Saxon Village

Thursday 21st March - PTFA Easter Bingo

Thursday 28th March - last day of term

29th March to 12th April - school and nursery closed for Easter holidays

Monday 15th April - school and nursery re-open for summer term

All term dates for 2024 and 2025 are available on the school website. Please remember that holidays in term time are not authorised unless there are very exceptional circumstances and you may receive a penalty notice if your child misses school.