



Last week in Reception:

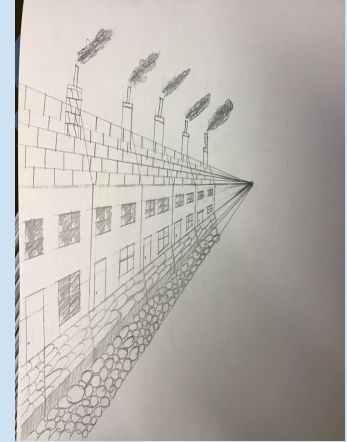
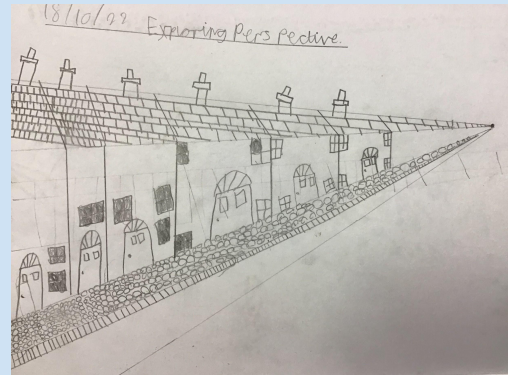
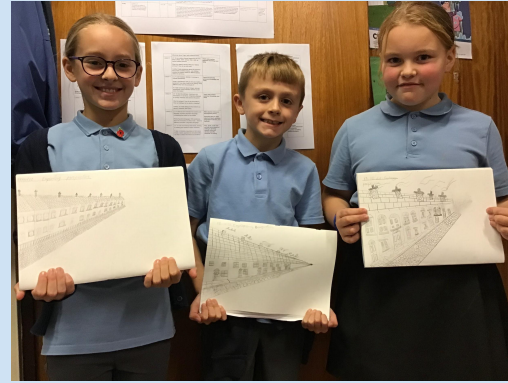
We have been learning about the Hindu and Sikh festival of light, Diwali. The children have explored pattern and symmetry and made their own Rangoli patterns using chalk and natural objects.





Last week in Year 5:

As part of our Victorian topic, Year 5 have been learning about Victorian architecture. We then created our own perspective drawings. Look at the wonderful detail in these pieces of work!



Best attendance last week: congratulations to Class 5 with 94% and Class 14 with 98%. Our whole school target is 97%.





PE/Sports news:

Last week, a group of girls from years 4, 5 and 6 attended a football festival at Thomas Clarkson Community College. They had a great time and we are really proud of their efforts while there.



On another note, we are currently the 3rd placed school in the Jump X competition, which is amazing! Altogether, we have a total of over 900,000 jumps in two weeks! Keep going everyone - even at the weekends!



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Book Fair at Cavalry!

We have the book fair coming this week to give us a chance to do some pre-Christmas book shopping. Every book purchased from the book fair helps to earn money for Cavalry to spend on books for our library and classrooms!

Shopping days for the children will be Thursday (in school time) and Friday (after school with their grown ups).

On Tuesday, we will have a special "grown ups only" shopping time from 2.45-3.15 for any secret shopping!

Opening times:

Tuesday: 2.45-3.15 "Grown ups only" (for any secret shopping!)

Thursday - Children can bring money and visit the book fair during the school day

Friday - 3.15-3.45 - Children can visit the book fair with their grown ups after school

Attached is a poster to give an idea of some of the books which will be available.





Children in Need Friday 18th November



The School Council are organising a SPOTacular playtime cake and biscuit sale to raise money for Children in Need. Cakes and biscuits will cost **50p** and there will be enough cakes for **one** each.

There will also be a Pudsey Pyjama designing competition for any children who would like to take part. School Council will bring round entry forms to each class.

National Anti-Bullying Week

Reach out!

This week, our whole school assembly and our PSHE lessons will use materials provided by the Anti-Bullying Alliance to help the children understand what bullying is and how to **reach out** for help if they need it.



Bullying is the repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an imbalance of power. It can happen face to face or online.

If you are concerned about any aspect of your child's wellbeing, please speak to the class teacher straight away so we can work together to improve the situation. You can find our anti-bullying policy on the school website.

Christmas Market for Children



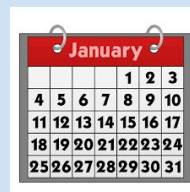
On **Thursday 1st December** our Year 5 staff and children will be organising our popular annual **Christmas Market** for all classes to attend.

In preparation, we will be holding a **non uniform day on Friday 25th November**. In exchange for coming to school in casual clothes, we would appreciate donations of the following items which we will use to stock the stalls at the Christmas market:

- Chocolates
- Sweets - individually wrapped e.g. lollies, Haribo, boiled sweets (wrapped)
- Toys (up to a maximum price of £3)
- Nice toiletries
- Biscuits
- Squash
- Teddy bears
- Gifts - (up to £3)
e.g. stationery, candles, toiletries, pet treats, novelty socks, books, gloves, hair accessories



25th November will also be a day of themed learning about the Football World Cup...so why not wear a football strip or other sports kit?



Dates for your calendar:

14th to 18th November - Book Fair visits Cavalry

Friday 18th November - Children in Need cake sale and competition

Monday 21st November at 5.30 p.m. - AGM for our PTFA

Friday 25th November - Non uniform day - donate items for Christmas Market

Friday 25th November - World Cup themed learning day

Thursday 1st December - flu vaccinations session 2 only for Year 5 and Year 6 plus those absent on 1st November

Thursday 1st December - Children's Christmas Market

Thursday 8th December - Christmas Jumper day and Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 21st Dec - last day of school/nursery

Thursday 5th January 2023 - school/nursery open again

All term dates 2022/23 and 2023/2024 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.