

Wells-next-the-Sea Primary and Nursery School

Newsletter

19th May 2016

Hello Everyone,

Thank you for supporting us in another busy week. The Year 2 children are taking SATS in their stride. They have been well prepared by Mrs Poucher both emotionally with a 'have a go approach' and of course academically. Year 2 have certainly enjoyed their Africa Live adventure, with I think lions coming out as a big favourite. The Year 6 class have settled back into school work with enthusiasm and motivation. I know Year 3 had lots to tell me about their countryside day on Wednesday. I am particularly proud of how the school is progressing. Scrutiny of displays, books and learning all reflect the hard work your children and the school team are putting in, this is in partnership with your support at home. As always it is a pleasure being part of this. Don't forget to keep up with us on the school website for dates and events.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Lavender

Year 6

With SATs under their belts, Year 6 had a creative and relaxing day on Friday. They started off with some team building, making dens in the woodland area.

Following on from

this we were treated

to 'Yr 6 Got Talent'

We enjoyed the day

immensely and were very impressed by the range of skills and talents the children displayed.

This week we have been out to the woodland area again, looking more scientifically this time at the variety of plants within the habitat. In maths the children have been investigating patterns and connections between mathematics and the natural world.

Year 5

We had a wonderful time visiting Reepham School to hear the author Morris Glietzman speak. After giving us some great tips he was



kind enough to sign books for us. We have been so inspired by him that we have decided to write some stories of our own – watch this space!

Year 4

This week in Year 4 we will be finishing off our, 'Which plants and animals thrive in our locality'. In topic we will be watching other animal documentaries and critically analysing them. In maths we will be looking at 2D and 3D shapes and in literacy we will be developing our story writing. Finally next Friday the 27th May we will be having a passport day where each class will learn about a different county of England.



Year 3

Year 3 have been working on measuring this week, using millimetres to measure fingernail lengths, then putting the information they have gathered into bar charts.

In topic we are beginning to look at pilgrimage to Walsingham and why it is so important to many people. We will then go on to compare



and contrast this pilgrimage to Mecca and to consider its importance for Muslims.

Year 2

This week Year 2 will be painting and writing poetry about their visit to Africa alive.

Sats are going really well.

We are proud of the way

Year 2's have responded.



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Nursery

This week Nursery School children are looking for the shapes found all around us. We made bubbles using these circles.



Lost Property

Please may we remind you that all clothing needs to be named, this is so we can return lost items to the rightful owner. We have a mountain of clothing awaiting ownership.

Attendance

Attendance monkey is really looking forward to a class achieving 100% for the week, we are nearly there, last week Yr 3 attained 99.31%, well done. Thank you to all parents for your support in getting your children to school on time. Good attendance is vital for your child's education.