

NEWSLETTER - WEDNESDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2024



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Learning and living as children of God

(Ephesians 5:1) (You are God's children whom he loves. Try to be like God)
OUR SCHOOL VALUE THIS TERM IS FRIENDSHIP



Sun Shine Awards

Reception: Keziah.

Class 1: Filip.

Class 2: Ernie.

Class 3: Olivia.

Playtime trophy goes to Class 3.

The school sports award goes to Alegra.

Congratulations to Daisy who has just been awarded her Level 3 Learn to Swim Award! Well done Daisy.



Congratulations to Thomas for his cricket award.



Congratulations to Ayda who has been awarded her Level 4 Learn to Swim and is now working on her Level 5! Well done!



**PLEASE REMEMBER TO ORDER SCHOOL MEALS
BEFORE THE DEADLINE OF 31/10 FOR TERM 2!**

After School Club T2

04/11/24-09/12/24 Camp Kindness Yr 2 3.15- 4pm **FULL**
05/11/24-10/12/24 Singing Club Yr3,4,5&6 3.15-4pm **FULL**
06/11/24-11/12/24 Sports Club Yr 1 3.15-4pm
07/11/24-12/12/24 Sports Club Yr 4 3.15-4pm
07/11/24-12/12/24 CTFC Football Yr 1-6 3.15-4pm **FULL**

Future Dates/Notifications

23/10/24: Celebration Assembly @ 2.50pm
23/10/24: End of term 1
24/10/24: INSET DAY
25/10/24: INSET DAY
26/10/24: PTFA Scarecrow Hunt
05/11/24: Class 3 Worship @ 9am
08/11/24: PTFA Non Uniform Day for chocolate donations please.
11/11/24: Class 3 Remembrance at the memorial
13/11/24: Odd socks day
14/11/24: T4U Christmas Shoe Box Collection
15/11/24: Book Looks
15/11/24: Children in Need Day
19/11/24: Parents Evening
20/11/24: Parents Evening
22/11/24: Christmas Enterprise 3.15 - 4.30pm
03/12/24: Nativity Performance
04/12/24: Nativity Performance
11/12/24: Last session for After School Care Club
19/12/24: Carol Service @ Apperley Church 2.30pm
20/12/24: Celebration assembly @ 2.50pm
20/12/24: End of term 2
06/01/25: Term 3 Starts
A huge thank you to Zahara who was very brave and played a little piano recital for us during lunchtime. She played music entitled Sparkling Splashes of Smooth Water. Well done Zahara!



Head Boy & Head Girl Blog!



Class 3 have been making clay monsters this week and also using papier-mâché for model building. The Sports Leaders have been running a variety of games on the playground encouraging lots of fun.

Dance with Elin Tots at Preschool

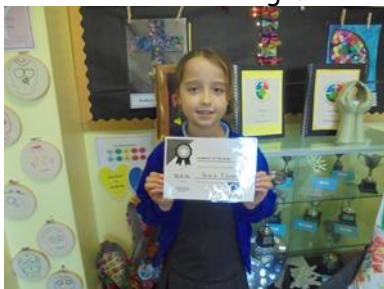
Little Deers had a wonderful dance session with Elin exploring Autumn themes. The children loved learning some dances and then the bubbles and disco lights at the end. Thank you Elin.



Congratulations to Ayda who has been awarded a gymnastics award for Excellent Attitude. Well done!



Well done to Sienna for completing her TTRS and to Poppy, Ivy, Ed, Ruby Zahara & Olivia for achieving their Science Challenge. Well done all!



Congratulations to Grace who has been awarded Gymnast of the week by her Cheltenham gymnastics coach. Well done Grace!

Honours List

Each week, awards for children's achievement will be presented in Celebration Assembly. We will also recognise children who have demonstrated our value for each term in the everyday life of our school - our value for Term 1 is Friendship.



Award winners for w/c 14th October - 23rd October 2024

Achievement:

Reception - Freddie for his amazing perseverance in all his learning.

Class 1 - Daisy & Wilfred for working hard to improve their handwriting.

Class 2 - Ella & Oliver for their incredible drawing of a building.

Class 3 - All of class 3 for working so hard on their integrated tasks.

Values:

Reception - All of reception.

Class 1 - Alegra & William.

Class 2 - Estee & Leila.

Class 3 - Sonny & Gretel



Well done to Perdi, Ed & Thomas for taking part in the cross county.

Class 3

Class 3 have been practising the paper mache technique as part of their Sculpture unit in Art. Look at these fantastic paper mache creatures they have created:





Children in need donations can be made via parent pay on the link below -

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=15642>



Poppy Appeal

Poppies can be bought from school reception and pupils can buy items after the half term break.

Congratulations to: Annabelle, Edie, Valentina, Luke, Sonny and Ben who have all been awarded their Apprentice Scribe Award. Well done!

Congratulations to Gretel who has been awarded her Level 6 Learn to Swim Award! Well done Gretel.



Thank you for supporting your children using Times Tables Rock Stars and Numbots.

Here are the children who have recently received NumBots certificates:

Rust - Wilfred

Iron - Sebastian, Maddie, Sam, Daisy

Tin - Daisy, William

Brass - Arlo, Filip, William

Copper - Arlo, Filip, William

Steel - William

Flourishing Feather

Well done to Oliver who has been praised for his amazing manners and to Alex for amazing vivid art work linked to Autumn.

thank you

A huge thank you to Mr Brian Leeke, from Apperley Cricket Club, who has donated £800 to our PTFA as a result of the quarter marathon held in September. A great benefit to all the children.

Thank you to all of you who were able to join us at our Harvest Celebration. It was a lovely afternoon and the children performed with great gusto! Once again, you worked your magic and donated a super supply of Harvest produce for The Tewkesbury Foodbank. Thank you so much.



Little Deers have worked so hard to learn their song and create their pictures for Harvest. We are so proud of them.



Look out for Reception's Sir Mo Farah 'Mobot' scarecrow this half-term, the children have been busy stuffing, kneading and dressing our scarecrow for the village scarecrow hunt as well as celebrating Black History Month this October.



Well done to Thomas who created and came up with the idea of certificates for clearing up in After School Club! He has awarded two already!

Class 3

Class 3 have been very busy with Integrated Tasks this week. Their theme has been Groovy Greece. First, they investigated the countries of Europe, finding out their capital cities and flags, then they found out about the physical and human characteristics of Greece to make persuasive posters and finally, they made clay models of monsters that Odysseus might have met on his journey home to Ithaca after the Trojan War. They are really looking forward to sharing all of their work with you at Book Look in November.



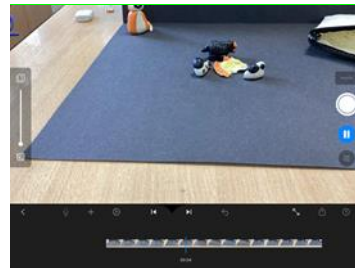
Over the past few weeks, Class One have thoroughly enjoyed developing their drawing skills and studying Paul Klee's work. This week, they have used these experiences to create their own piece inspired by Paul Klee.



All children in school had the opportunity of learning vital first aid skills delivered by ERFA. The 'Learn Skills Save Lives' program for schools is designed to give children of all ages the essential lifesaving skills to act in an emergency situation. From calling an ambulance to carrying out CPR. They learnt skills that can make a difference and thoroughly enjoyed doing it!



Class 2 have had a brilliant time using Stop Motion and creating their very own short movie. They created all their characters out of modelling clay and worked together as a group to create some fantastic films.



A huge well done to Lola who has been working very hard at home with her hand writing! Well done!



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