

LUNT'S HEATH

News



Friday 8th March 2024

“ This week, we welcomed our Year 4 parents into school as part of our Parental Workshops. These are designed to give you an insight into what and how we teach the children as well as how they learn best. It has been wonderful to see so many families join us and share the journey that the children are on. This has been joined by our World Book Day celebrations and our, now annual, trip to the Champions League Quarter Finals, to see Manchester City. Thank you for all of your support this week with all of our events – we are extremely grateful for this.

Have a lovely weekend.”
Mr. D Paton, Headteacher

LIVERPOOL MUSEUM'S STRIKE

YEAR 4 = WORLD MUSEUM = RE-ARRANGED FOR THURSDAY 25TH APRIL

YEAR 5/6 = BIBLE TALES = EASTER STORY PERFORMANCE = PM

The children in Year 5 and 6 will receive a visit from the Bible Tales company on Monday afternoon who will do a performance of the Easter Story for them. This will link with their learning this half term and will be good preparation for the Year 5 Easter Performance at church on Tuesday 26th March at 9.30 pm. Parents and carers of children in Year 5 are invited to this performance.

MATHS AND READING PARENT SESSIONS

During the Spring 2nd Half Term, we will be launching our Maths and English Parent sessions. Parents are invited to join their children for an example of a Maths and Reading session to give you a greater understanding of how the children are taught and what lessons include. Please complete the Evolve you will be sent to book your place.

TUESDAY 12TH MARCH = CLASS 3H 9.00am / CLASS 3L 10.15am

MONDAY 18TH MARCH - FRIDAY 22ND MARCH = EYFS 10-11am (Parents invited on a specific day)

TUESDAY 19TH MARCH = CLASS 2H 9.00am / CLASS 2L 10.15am

THURSDAY 21ST MARCH = CLASS 1H 9.00am / CLASS 1L 10.15am

YEAR 2 - KNOWSLEY SAFARI PARK = WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH

Year 2 will be going to to Knowsley Safari Park on Wednesday 13th March. The children will participate in a African Adventure workshop to support their Science and Geography unit of work. During the visit, the children will also take part in a guided tour, foot safari and watch the sea lion show which will enhance their learning even further. The children will leave school at 9.15am and returning for dismissal at the end of the day. (Parents/carers will be informed by text should the coach later due to the traffic circumstances at this time). Please send your child to school in full school uniform with trainers, a waterproof jacket and a packed lunch with a drink in a carrier bag clearly marked with your child's name. If your child requires a school packed lunch for the day of the trip then please contact the school office on Monday.

PTFA BONKERS BINGO - 15TH MARCH - FINAL CHANCE

Tickets can still be purchased for the PTFA Bonkers Bingo event on 15th March. Tickets are £10 each and can now also be purchased via the school gateway or by scanning the QR Code on the poster within the newsletter or via the link:

<https://lunts-heath-ptfa.sumupstore.com>

CLASS 5H SPACE CAMP - THURSDAY 14TH MARCH

Class 5H will have their space camp residential sleepover at school on Thursday 14th March. The children should come to school wearing their school PE kit on Thursday. They will need a set of night clothes and a their own clothes to go home in the following day. They should bring a pillow and their own sleeping bag if they have one. If they do not have their own sleeping bag please contact Miss Fazackerley and one can be provided. The children should then be collected from school at 10am the following morning after they have shared their experiences with their parents.

BIKEABILITY CLASS 4L = GROUP 5

CLASS 4H = GROUP 5 = FRIDAY 15TH MARCH (PLEASE SEE EVOLVE FOR GROUP)

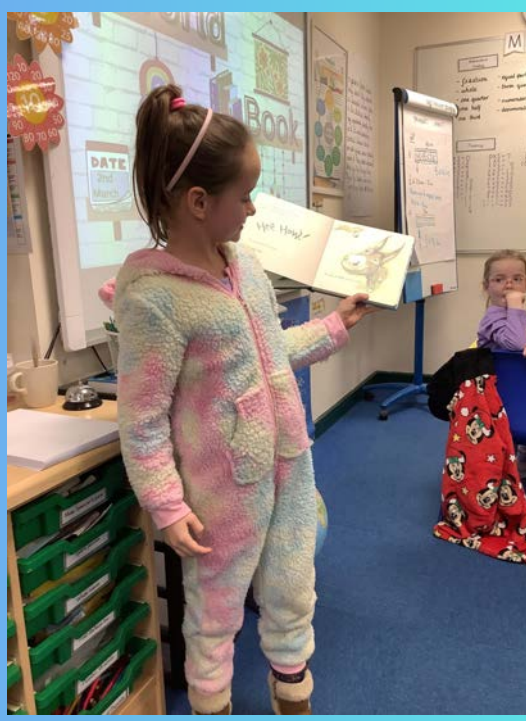
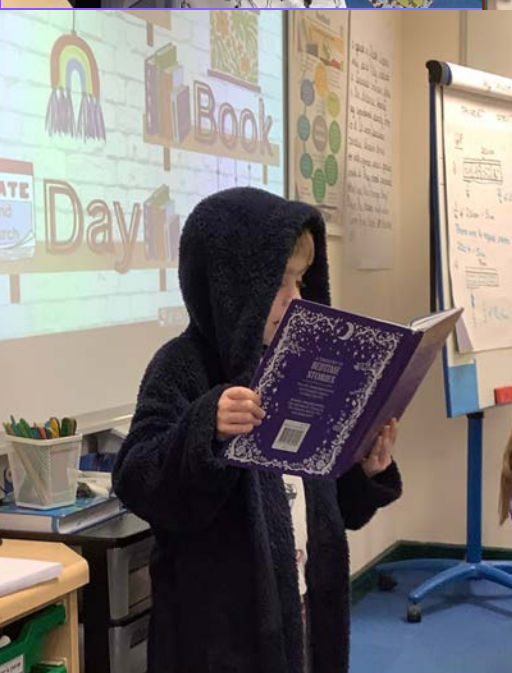
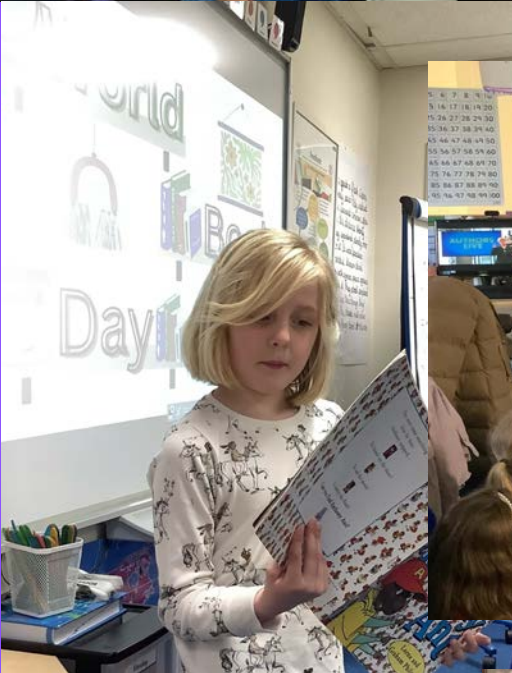
The children in Class 4H will participate in their final Bikeability session on Friday 15th March. The children involved should come to school wearing their outdoor PE kit and a waterproof coat and gloves as the training will still go ahead in inclement weather. The children will only require their bikes on the date indicated.

CLASS 2H ASSEMBLY - FRIDAY 15TH MARCH - 2.30PM

Parents and relatives of children in Class 2H are invited to their class assembly on Friday 8th March at 2.30pm in the school hall. Doors will open at 2.20pm so please do not arrive prior to this time. We look forward to seeing you then.











STARS OF THE WEEK



Is your child a true Lunt's Heather?

- Ambition
- Enterprise
- Inner-Resilience
- Collaboration
- Understanding

Has your child gone above and beyond to demonstrate one of our school values at home? Nominate them for a Value Award and we will surprise them in Celebration Assembly!

Nominate your child by sending an email with reason and supporting photo if appropriate to: sec@luntsheath.halton.sch.uk



Our OTIS programme (On Time, In School) is designed to promote the importance of this. Even being 5 minutes late each day across a year equates to 15 hours lost learning. School has remained open from 8:35am to ensure that children can access easily.

Holidays in term time cannot be authorised unless it fills the criteria in the Leave of Absence policy. Please keep this in mind when considering any holiday booking.

OTIS AWARD WINNERS

Whole School Attendance target
for 2023-2024 is 96%.
Last year was 95.4%

Attendance since 4th Sept = 95%
Attendance this week = 95.1%

OTIS Attendance Winners
EYFS / KS1 = 2H - Miss Walters – 96.7%
KS2 = 3H – Miss McLindon = 97.6%

LUNCHTIME STARS

EYFS = Mason Hasalamaj
YEAR 1 = Ezra Bailey
YEAR 2 = Amelia Stacey
YEAR 3 = Lewis Jackson
YEAR 4 = Maisie Greenall
YEAR 5 = Connie Turner
YEAR 6 = Luke Cameron

LUNT'S HEATH

School Dinner Menu

Please find below the School Dinner Menu for the Spring Term 2024. It is vital that you book your child's school meal a week in advance, using the school gateway system. Please remember that from September School Meals will be £2.70 a day.

The rotation of school meals will be across 3 weeks next year. A pdf of the school meal option timetable will be attached to this email for you to print for your reference.

Below will be the menu for WC 11.3.24

		Week 1
Monday	Main	Brunch Sausage, Hash Brown, Omelette/ Scrambled Egg Vegetarian Brunch  Quorn Sausage, Hash Brown, Omelette/Scrambled Egg
	Vegetable	Baked Beans, Salad Bar
	Dessert	Angel Whip, Fresh Fruit, Cheese & Crackers
Tuesday	Main	Homemade Minced beef pie served with boiled potatoes Homemade Vegetarian Enchiladas  served with side salad
	Side	Mixed Vegetables, Salad Bar
	Dessert	Homemade Iced Finger, Fresh fruit
Wednesday	Main	Roast Turkey Dinner served with Stuffing Balls, Roast/Mash Potatoes & Gravy Quorn Sausage  served with Stuffing Balls, Roast/Mash Potatoes & Gravy
	Side	Carrots & Broccoli
	Dessert	Iced Carrot Cake Muffin, Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Main	Deli Day selection of filled Wraps & Sandwiches served with oven baked potato wedges Filled Jacket Potatoes served with a side salad
	Side	Salad Bar
	Dessert	Jelly & Ice Cream, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt
Friday	Main	MEAT FREE FRIDAYS Fillet Fish Fingers (x2)  served with chips Our Famous Homemade Margherita Pizza  served with chips
	Side	Garden Peas, Salad Bar
	Dessert	Chocolate Sponge Square, Fresh Fruit
		Week 1
		04/09 25/09 16/10 13/11 04/12 01/01 22/01 19/02 11/03 15/04 06/05 03/06 24/06 15/07



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We are asking for parent nominations of pupils who have demonstrated one or more of our Lunt's Heath Values at home:

- Ambition
- Enterprise
- Inner-Resilience
- Collaboration
- Understanding

We love to hear about how our children fulfil our school values in their everyday lives. Here are this week's Community Value Award winners:



Luca for showing Ambition and Inner Resilience

Luca has been a member of Widnes Wild Hockey team for over a year now.

He shows ambition towards this sport, as he is eager to be the best that he can be.

He shows inner resilience because even though at times it can be dangerous, he never gives up!

He has his first hockey match in April and he cannot wait!

**REMEMBER TO
SEND US
YOUR
NOMINATIONS**



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

EYFS / Key Stage 1

Ava French – Brilliant attendance all year!

Key Stage 2

Emma Hainey, James Escosio and Blake Cole –
Excellente connaissance du Francois!

EYFS + KEY STAGE 1

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
RL	<i>Felix Dulson</i> <i>Myla Brandreth</i>	<i>Curriculum – For trying so hard with grasping the concept of measuring this week.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For always going above and beyond and challenging yourself.</i>
RH	<i>Delilah Hewitt</i> <i>Isla Thistlewood</i>	<i>Curriculum – fantastic and engagement and understanding of the solar system during our Topic lessons.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – for trying hard at school even when you’ve not been feeling 100%</i>
1L	<i>Violet Pierce</i> <i>Isaac Griffin</i>	<i>Curriculum – For the amazing presentation of her work during History.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For not giving up and working through the challenges in Maths this week.</i>
1H	<i>Arthur Doyle</i> <i>Euan Hatfield</i>	<i>Curriculum – For incredible reading this week. I was so impressed with your Fred talking!</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For trying so hard with your letter and number formation this week. Keep it up!</i>
2L	<i>Thomas Latham</i> <i>Sophia Cain</i>	<i>Curriculum – For your eagerness to share all of your fraction knowledge during our Maths lessons.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For showing inner resilience during the making stages of our Ferris wheel DT project.</i>
2H	<i>Eden Walls</i> <i>Max Fullerton</i>	<i>Curriculum – For her use of vocabulary in her diary entry in role of Lila.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For working hard this week in Maths when solving problems involving finding half, quarters and thirds.</i>

YEAR 3 AND 4

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
3L	<i>Indi Quinn</i> <i>Esme Whalley</i>	<i>Curriculum – Just for giving her ‘everything’ in her lessons this week.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For showing true resilience this week, especially in Maths.</i>
3H	<i>Zachary Johnson</i> <i>Roman Hughes</i>	<i>Curriculum – For listening closely to instructions to help him find the perimeter of shapes successfully.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For always trying his best in everything he does and really impressing his teachers with his fantastic work.</i>
4L	<i>Will Price</i> <i>Jack Ryan</i>	<i>Curriculum – For showing off his knowledge in our fractions topic by simplifying complicated fractions in Maths.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For passing and receiving the hockey ball with control and precision in P.E.</i>
4H	<i>Donovan Butler</i> <i>Zach Jaffer</i>	<i>Curriculum – For completing a fabulous history questionnaire with his Granny.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For persevering with developing his handwriting and presentation.</i>

YEAR 5 AND 6

Class	Name of child	Reason for award
5L	<i>Connor Dally</i> <i>Sing Wong</i>	<i>Curriculum – For showing great determination in Maths to solve problems using a variety of methods and thinking outside the box.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For never giving in when things got tough and looking for methods to solve problems.</i>
5H	<i>James Escosio</i> <i>Noah Smith</i>	<i>Curriculum – For giving every single challenge a go in Maths and always completing them and not giving in! Inner Resilience –For never giving up with his work, always making sure he gives every question his best effort</i>
6L	<i>Carly Flanagan</i> <i>Georgia Ianson</i>	<i>Curriculum – For inspiring all with her book recommendations during World Book Day and for her great detective work when reading Holes.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – For never giving up, working hard on her targets and always trying her best in class. Keep up the hard work, Georgia!</i>
6H	<i>Adam Fielding</i> <i>Max Sullivan</i>	<i>Curriculum – Demonstrating great technique in Mr Lynch’s gymnastic lessons.</i> <i>Inner Resilience – Not giving up when mastering a new skill of learning to play the ukulele.</i>

YEAR 1 + 2 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Rosie Wycherley

Maths Shed Champion

Reece Pearce

Dojo Champion

Lucy Owen and Charlotte Lawson

YEAR 3 + 4 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Sami Elsayed

Maths Shed Champion

Sami Elsayed

Mirodo Champion

Donovan Butler

Dojo Champion

Zachary Johnson

YEAR 5 + 6 AWARDS

Spelling Shed Champion

Leah Evans

Maths Shed Champion

Grace Gregson

SATS Companion Champion

Giles Eagle

Dojo Champion

Leah Evans

EYFS Newsletter

The highlight of this week has definitely been our exciting World Book day. The children loved sharing their stories from home with us and their fabulous costumes! Lots of memories made.

Mathematics

In Maths this week the children have been exploring measurement. We started the week using non-standard units to measure before being introduced to the term 'centimetres' and had a go at using our own simple rulers to measure items using centimetres.



Phonics Skills

The children have adapted well to their new phonics groups and are working hard. I know you will have discussed how best to support your child with their reading with their class teacher but please also see Tapestry for further updates.

Uniform and school rules

Please make sure your child is following our school uniform rules by: wearing a shirt and tie; blue, green or black hair accessories; only gold or silver stud earrings and water not juice in their water bottles.

The Drawing Club

There have been lots of imaginative ideas this week from the children of how to catch the fox from the story 'Chicken Licken'. We have been applying our phonics knowledge and using 'red' words to write a sentence about our fabulous drawings.

We hope you have a lovely weekend and get to enjoy the lighter mornings and evenings.

The EYFS Team



YEAR 5 SPACE CAMP

Year 5 will have the opportunity linked to their current Space topic to have a Space Camp sleepover in the school hall on Thursday 14th March - Friday 15th March (Class 5H) OR Thursday 21st March - Friday 22nd March (5L). Both classes will have a planetarium experience on Thursday 14th March. Space Camp is a programme of residential experiences run by the school to immerse pupils in the amazing world of Space Science.

The children will come to school on the Thursday of their space camp and have a space themed day with their class teacher completing a range of different activities. The children will be given a pre-ordered McDonald's for their evening meal. The children then participate in a range of activities over the evening always including night sky observations, a science workshop, a creative workshop with some physical astronaut training and end their evening with a space cinema event. The children then enjoy hot chocolate and marshmallows before tucking up for the night. It is a very busy evening and they will hopefully fall asleep very quickly.

In the morning the children will be given breakfast before continuing their Space learning with more Space themed learning activities.



CLASS AMBASSADORS

RL



Class ambassador, “I built my own number blocks.”

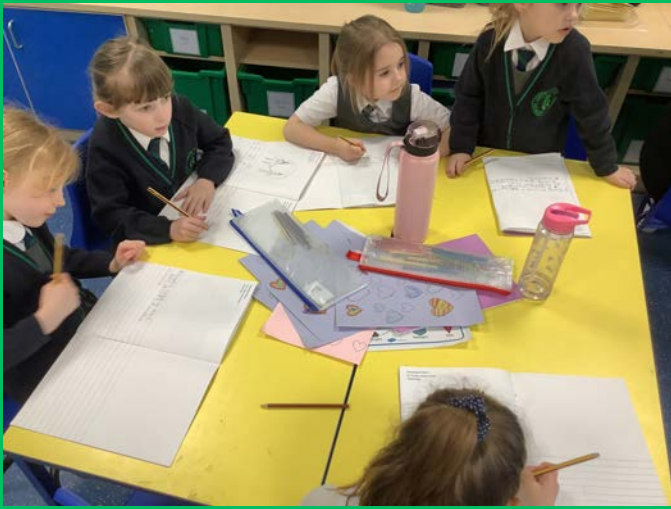
RH



‘We measured things around the classroom with feet’

This week in Maths we have been exploring measuring with non-standard and then standard units. We used ‘feet’ to measure objects around the room and discovered that items measured differently depending on how big or small our feet were!

CLASS AMBASSADORS 1L



In History we are learning about Queen Victoria and during this week's lesson we were asked to order facts about her life.

1H



We have had a go at drawing some characters from our favourite stories!

CLASS AMBASSADORS 2L



**We have enjoyed DT this week in 2L.
We have been busy working as
engineers to design and make a
working Ferris wheel.**

2H



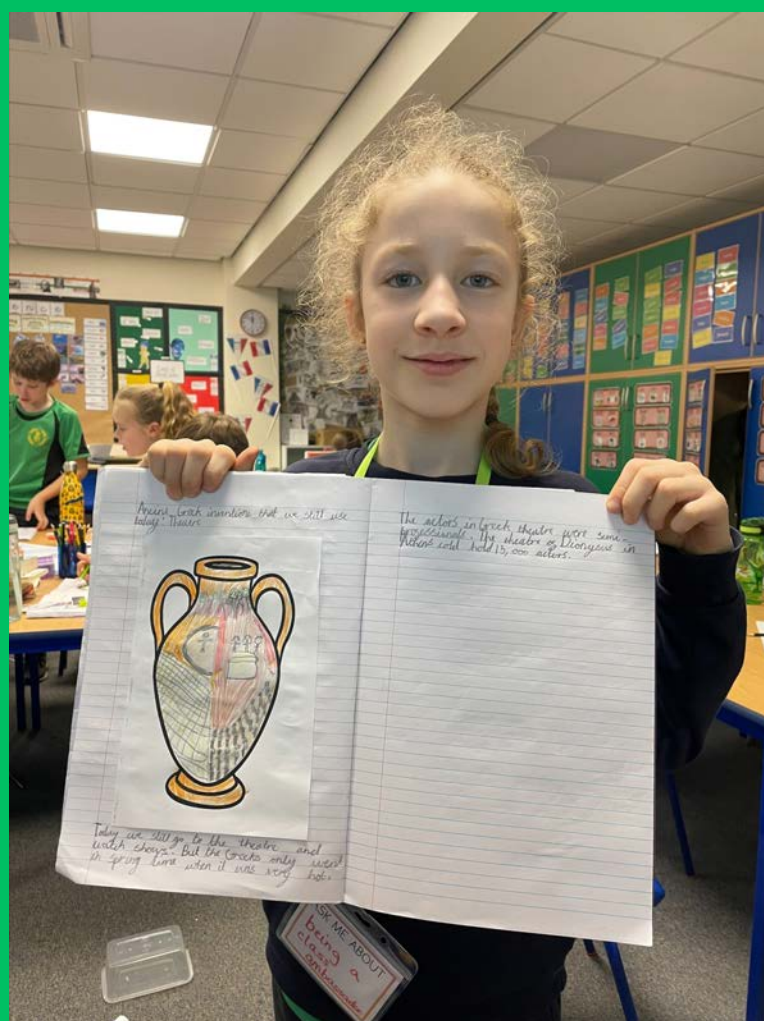
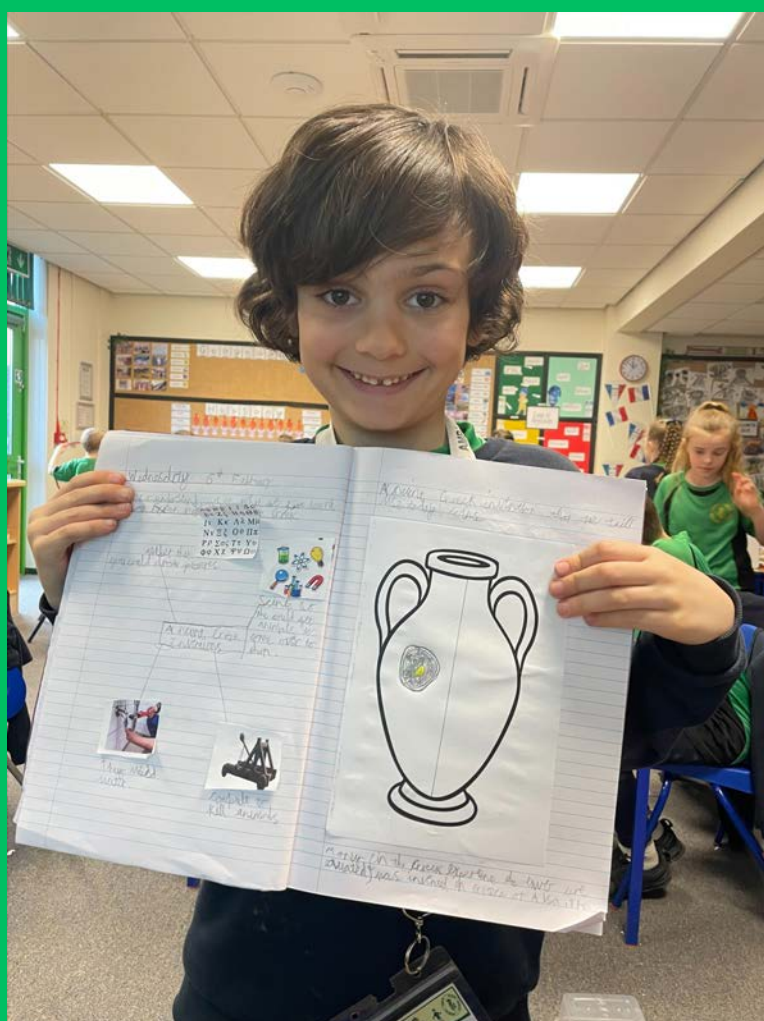
**In DT we have explored suitable
materials to use to build the wheel
and frame for our ferris wheel.**

CLASS AMBASSADORS 3L



We thought the film making was the highlight of the week. We can't wait for everyone to see our film on online safety.

3H



We loved learning about inventions that the ancient greeks created that we still use today. Who knew that they actually invented the alarm clock and the vending machine?

CLASS AMBASSADORS 4L



4L have been making use of their mile time by taking time to chat to one another and enjoy the beautiful weather!

4H



In RE, we used our value of understanding to think about the sacrifices Oscar Romero made for the poor. We created a fact file with interesting facts about him and decorated Romero crosses.

CLASS AMBASSADORS 5L



This week we had some new visitors in class as we welcomed caterpillars as part of our living things topic in Science. We had to use our inner resilience to understand what metamorphosis is as it was difficult to think about how something can change its physical form and structure.

5H



This week in year 5 we got some caterpillars in our class. Each table group got to make them and we named them, Malteasers, Crumpet, Cheesy-wotsit, Hershey and Spikey. Since 1st March we have been observing them, seeing what they look like and how much they have grown. We are very excited to see how they change into butterflies!

CLASS AMBASSADORS 6L



This week, we made our own blood using different food stuffs to represent the parts of our blood.

6H



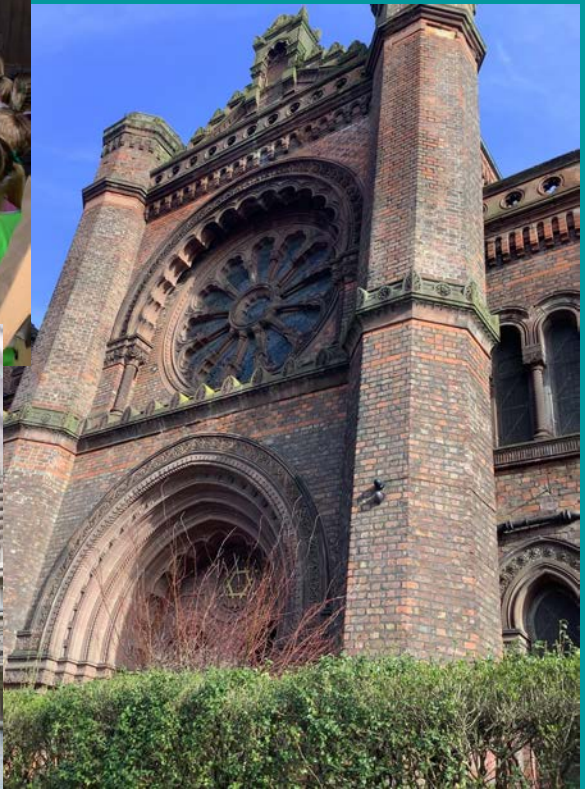
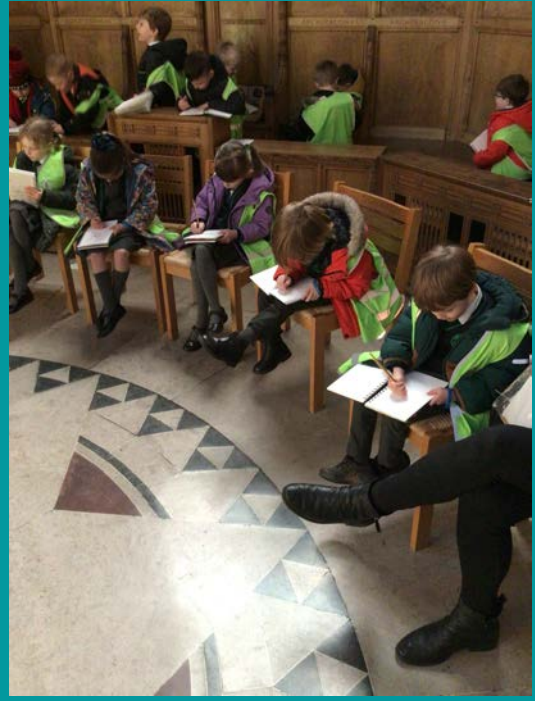
In Science this week, we made our very own model of blood using household items. We calculated the amount of each item needed using their percentage in our blood because using weighing scales and measuring cylinders to take accurate readings.

THIS WEEK

Y1 - SYNAGOGUE AND CATHEDRAL TRIP

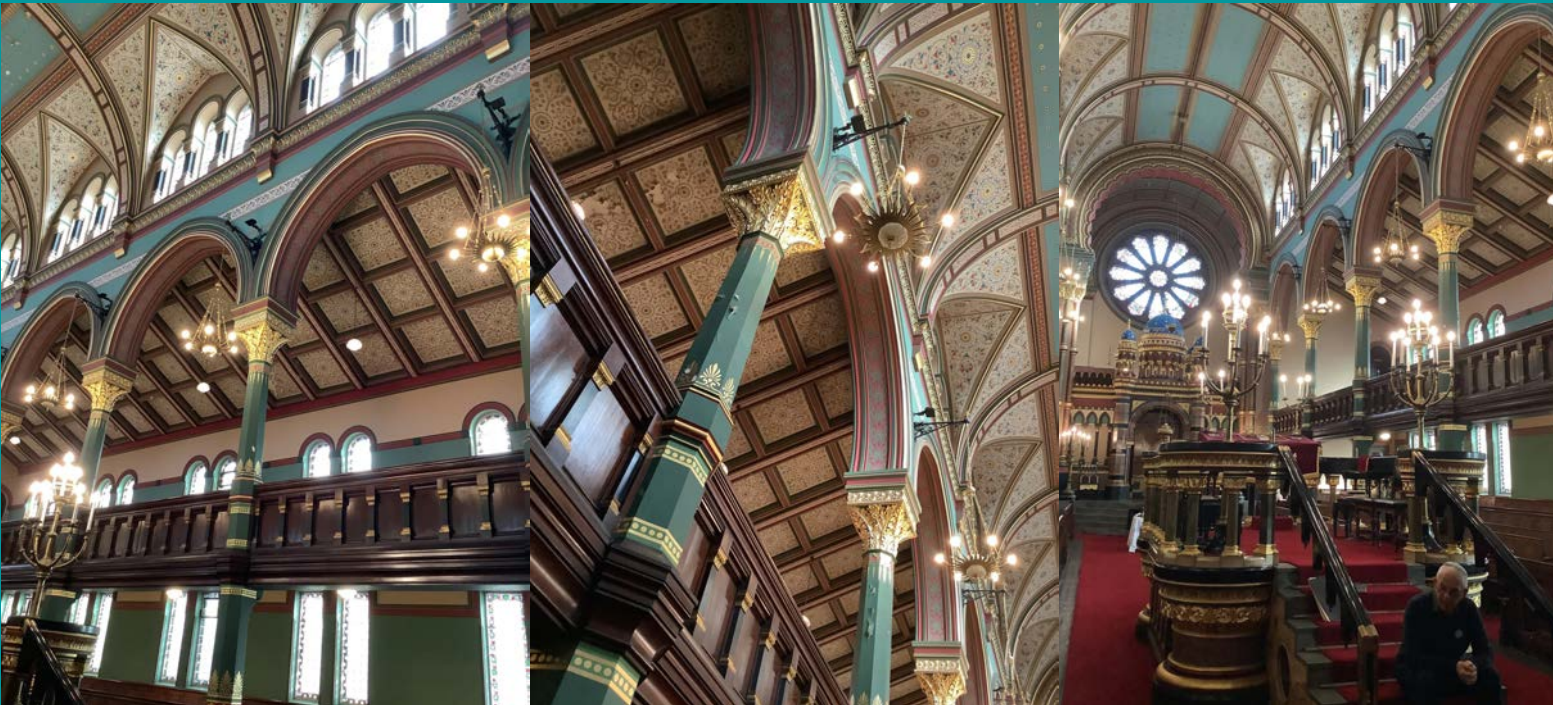
On Tuesday Year 1 enjoyed visiting both the Synagogue and the Anglican Cathedral in Liverpool.

During their time at the Synagogue they explored the building and learnt about the symbols and artefacts linked to Judaism. In the afternoon the children compared the architecture and the significant features within the Cathedral to the Synagogue. They loved drawing what they could see and explaining their sketches to others. The children were so well behaved and loved sharing their experiences of the day.



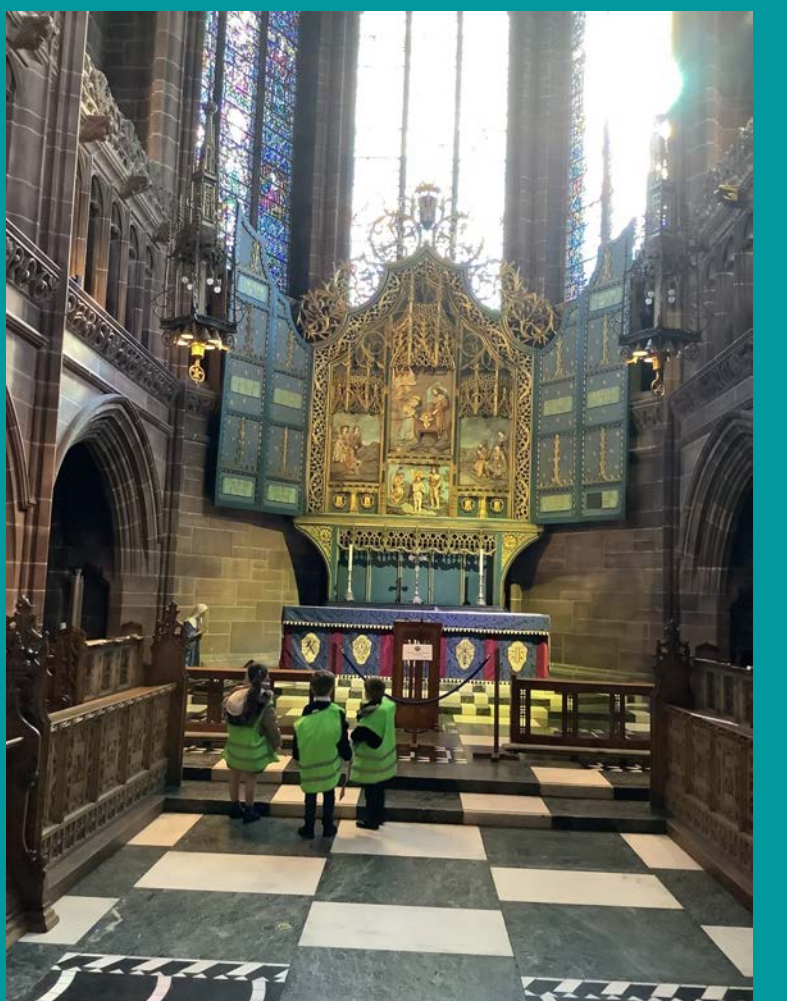
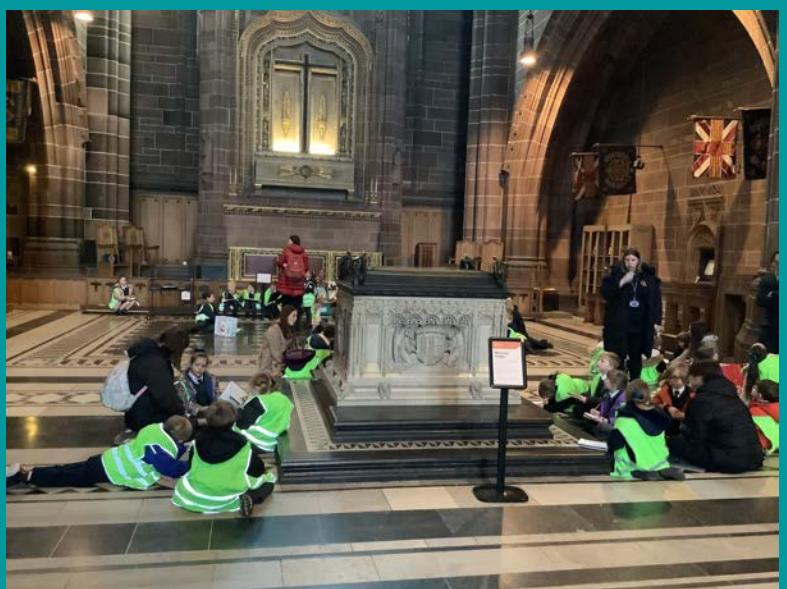
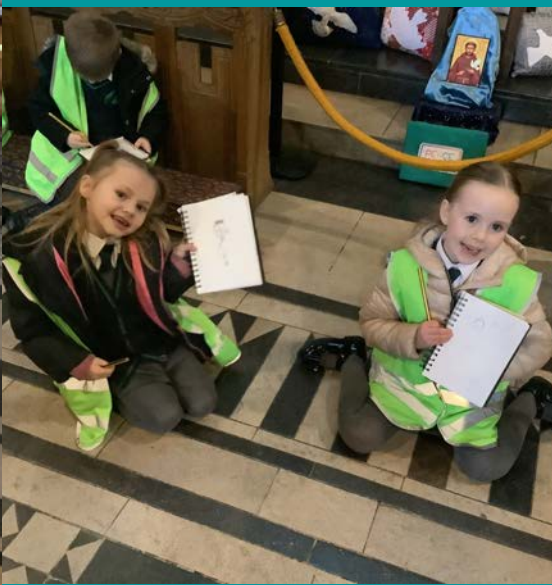
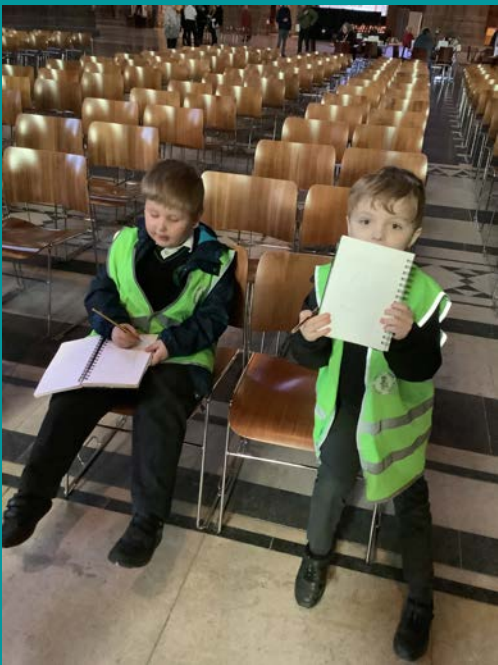
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CLASS 4L

Well done to Class 4L who were all superb in their performance of The Pied Piper!

The children all worked incredibly hard, and the acting, songs and dances all made them shine! A big thank you to parents who organised costumes and rehearsed the lines and songs with their children.



CLASS 3L

3L have loved our Taekwondo sessions. This week we have improved our side kicks and self defence techniques.

We were shocked at how tired we got.

We definitely need to work on our fitness!



THIS WEEK

YEAR 6

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

MANCHESTER CITY VS

COPENHAGEN

Some children from Year 6, had a fantastic time on Wednesday night watching Manchester City versus Copenhagen in their Champions' League match. Mr Paton was especially pleased with the result.



THIS WEEK

UNITED UTILITIES

On Thursday, United Utilities visited school to teach the KS2 children about water; how they can use water; how they can save water and the water cycle.

The children found it fascinating and pledged to help the planet.



THIS WEEK DOJO PRIZE WINNERS

We had a bumper amount of children from Year 4 today who had saved their dojo points to cash in for a McDonald's lunch. 20 in total! Well done Year 4!



A HUGE THANK YOU TO
OUR PTFA SUPERSTARS
SHHHH IT'S A SECRET!



LAST CHANCE FOR TICKETS



BONKERS BINGO

& Neon Rave

15TH MARCH 2024

7 PM - MIDNIGHT

Jaguar Landrover Sports
and Social Club (Fords)

*Doors Open 7pm
Eyes Down 8pm
Please bring your coins!
Tickets £10 each
Scan QR Code to Buy!*



*Bingo tickets included, food will be available to
purchase on the night.*

FINAL CHANCE FOR TICKETS

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM OUR BONKERS EVENT...



Three games of bingo as you know it...
but with a twist!

It'll be the perfect mix of 'eyes down'
and 'raise the roof' where TJ, our DJ,
will have you dabbing your numbers one
minute and jumping up to dance to a
belter the next!



There are cash prizes to be won - but
there are even more bonkers ones up
for grabs! (Think fun inflatables, fluffy
flamingoes and does anyone know
where Wally is ?? ?!)

There will be plenty of intervals to get
your cheap drinks and hot food in. We'll
also be drawing our raffle in one of the
intervals and there'll also be a chance to
Play Your Cards Right!



Once all the dabbing's done, the raving
begins. The rest of the night is yours to
dance your socks off and get down with
your bad self.

15TH MARCH 2024

Jaguar Landrover Sports and Social Club (Fords)

DOORS 7PM
EYES DOWN 8PM

TICKETS £10
SCAN QR CODE TO BUY

