



The Staff 'Care Bear' visited Mr Fuentes this week with a lovely treat.



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Dear Parents

We are delighted with the news that we will be able to welcome the whole school back on March the 8th and we are looking forward to having the Laleham Lea family back together once more.

This week we launched our online Body Conditioning Programme for Years 5 and 6 in partnership with John Fisher PE Staff. Students thoroughly enjoyed their sessions with Mr Street and Mr Byers and are looking forward developing this opportunity.

Next Thursday is World Book Day. Students and Staff always enjoy dressing up as their favourite literary characters and sharing the books they enjoy with their friends. Our Students who are remote learning are welcome to join in with dressing up for their Zoom lessons. Please do send us pictures if you would like these included in the newsletter next week. Parents are also invited to dress up as your favourite book character

for drop off and collection

We are starting work on our Easter Garden; Year 1 planted their seeds this week and Ms de Cintra will be working with Students across the year groups over the coming weeks to plant their pots. Thank you to Dobbie's Garden Centre for their generous donation of daffodils to get us on our way; a lovely splash of spring colour to arrive on such a sunny day.

As our Lenten journey continues all Students have their 'My Day by Day' Lenten booklets to enjoy during this time to give, pray and fast.

Wishing you all a lovely sunny weekend

Ms Barry

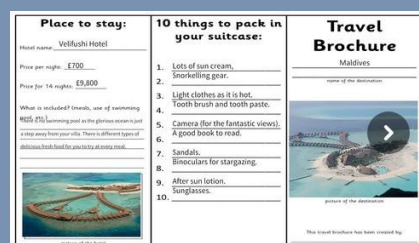
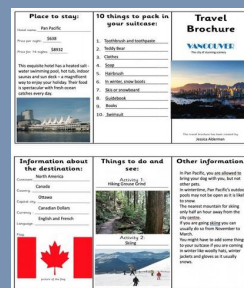
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Remote Learning



Over half term Year 5 designed and built their own rollercoasters.

Year 4 have been creating some fabulous Travel Brochures for the places they want to visit after Lockdown ends



Year 1

Year 1 enjoyed planting their seeds this week in Science. We cannot wait to see what they grow into as part of our beautiful Easter Garden.



Reception

Reception Class were Palaeontologists for the afternoon this week! The children are learning all about how fossils are formed as well as doing some of their own archaeological excavation with some very tough to crack dinosaur eggs!

They also created their very own amazing Dinosaurs over the half-term break. Roarsome!



Year 4

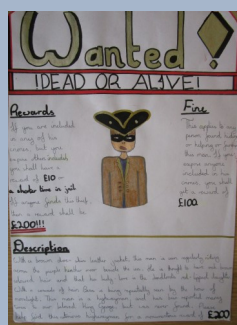
The class have been looking at environmental arts using yarn and sticks. They created these beautiful God's Eye weaving, or 'Ojo de Dios'. A simple weaving technique of Mexican origin which has spiritual significance to its original creators, the Huichol people of western Mexico.



Year 6

Y6 have been writing their own endings to 'The Highwayman' poem by Alfred Noyes and creating 'Wanted' posters.

They have also designed their own reusable water bottle to help reduce single use plastics.



Nursery News



This week Nursery have been looking at the topic 'People that Help Us'. The children have been participating in a variety of activities;

- We listened to the story 'Charlie The Firefighter'; this led to a group discussion about what we would like to be when we grow up and we drew a picture to show this, sharing our own experiences with our peers.
- Nursery enjoyed playing a board game using the dice and counters to complete some questions about the story.
- We have also been learning about the importance of visiting the Dentist and completed a cutting and sticking activity, categorising good and bad foods for your teeth into the correct groups.



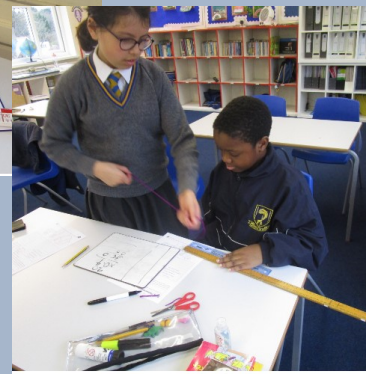
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In Science Year 2 have been looking at everyday materials and identifying their uses.

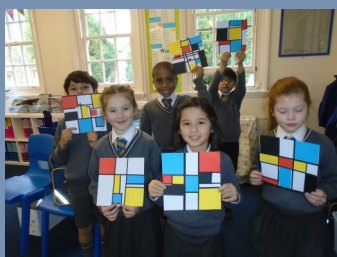


Year 5

Year 5 started their Strength and Conditioning training with Mr Street and Mr Byers from John Fisher this week. They have also been looking at Measuring; learning how to convert cm to inches.



Year 3



Year 3 have been learning about different lines in Maths with an extended link to Art and the work of Mondrian.

'I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud'

I wandered lonely as a cloud
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,
When all at once I saw a crowd,
A host, of golden daffodils;
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.

Continuous as the stars that shine
And twinkle on the

milky way,
They stretched in never-ending line
Along the margin of a bay:
Ten thousand saw I at a glance,
Tossing their heads in sprightly dance.

The waves beside them danced; but they
Out-did the sparkling waves in glee:
A poet could not but be gay,
In such a jocund company:
I gazed—and gazed—but little thought
What wealth the show

to me had brought:
For oft, when on my couch I lie
In vacant or in pensive mood,
They flash upon that inward eye
Which is the bliss of solitude;
And then my heart with pleasure fills,
And dances with the daffodils.

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