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Dear Parents

It has been a very busy week of lessons, rehearsals and preparations for our action-packed week of plays, Prize Giving, Sports' Day and Moving-Up Morning next week.

Our Junior Students showed impressive resilience with two full run-throughs of 'Olivia!' in full costume on Wednesday. The show is promising to be wonderful; we hope you are all looking forward to seeing it as much as we are.

The sun is forecast to shine on Wednesday for Sports' Day. A reminder that students will be provided with a packed lunch by Nourish. I am sure we will all enjoy a fabulous day with our House Events

for Wulstan, Mayne, Alban and Edmund.

Our EYFS and KS1 students have also been rehearsing in the Long Room for 'The Gingerbread Man' and 'The Bee Musical'. We have very talented young students who cannot wait to show you their shows next week.

I hope you all have a lovely and restful weekend before a busy week ahead!

Ms Barry

Head teacher

The Laleham Lea School Prayer

This is our school.

Let peace live here,

May love live here,

Love of one another,

Love of mankind,

Love of life,

Love of God.



Let us remember, that as many hands build a house, many hearts make our school.

Amen

Nursery

This week Nursery have been exploring the topic of 'Measurements'. This included:

- Viewing a power point introducing measures. We shared examples, reinforcing and introducing new mathematical language.
- Investigating 'Teddy's Towers', we used maths cubes to measure from the shortest to the tallest.
- Exploring the word 'capacity' understanding that this means the amount that something holds.
- Investigating different sized containers in the water tray pouring water.
- In small groups, we looked at full, half-full and empty.
- Investigating some scales and different objects around the room, taking it in turns to measure them and discussing 'heavy' and 'light' as an extension, we completed a sticking activity to reinforce our understanding.



Reception



This week we have been reading the story of 'Tell Me A Dragon'.

Reception Class created their own dragon world inspired by how Jackie Morris (the author and illustrator) drew the background in the story - paying close attention to the rolling hills and cities, complete with turrets, towers and castles.

Year 1



'This term in RE the children have been learning about miracles.

They enjoyed performing a role play of the story of 'The Wedding Feast at Cana' this week.

Year 2



Year 2 have been looking at plants as part of their Science topic and have labelled the different parts of flowers this week.

Year 3



Year 3 have been experimenting with light and shadow in Science this week.

Year 4

Year 4 have created non-chronological reports on mythical beasts inspired by their Ancient Greek topic.

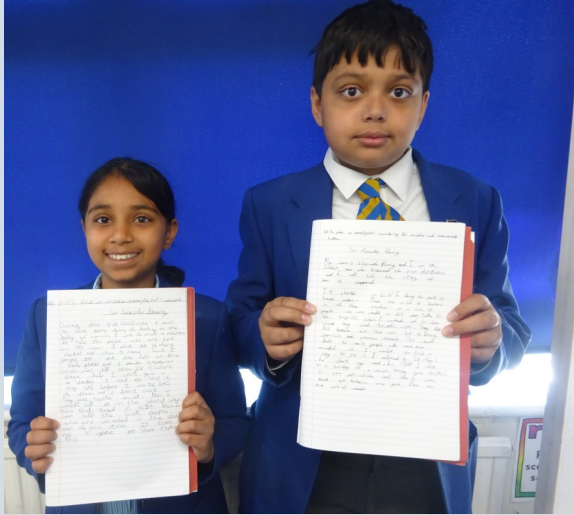


Year 5

Year 5 are enjoying learning about Henry VIII in History and made these pictures in Art this week.



Year 6



Year 6 have been finding out about the work of Sir Alexander Fleming this week. They have written diary entries about his accidental discovery of penicillin. Through their writing, they have shown that Fleming hypothesised that the mould, or something in the mould, could kill bacteria. He needed to prove that it was in fact something in the mould which caused the reduced bacterial growth, and so the class designed an investigation to demonstrate this effect.

Stars of the week



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