

West Twyford Primary School Newsletter

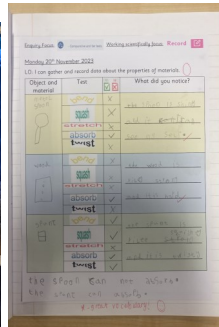
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Friday 8th December 2023

Year 1 Learning

Year 1 have had an exciting week doing lots of fun learning. In English we have been reading books about space, and the children have focused on the book Man on the Moon- a Day in the Life of Bob. Next week they will be writing their own diary entry as Bob, writing about their day at work on the moon. In Art, the children have been looking at artwork by the artist Steven Brown and painting their own animals in the style of his McCoo paintings. In Maths we have been learning about time and developing our understanding of O'Clock and half past. Some children even made their own clocks! Science has been full of experiments this half term, where the children have been testing the properties of different materials. Andia said, "My favourite lesson was when we used torches to test light through materials" and Liyan said "I liked it when we tested if things could absorb water."

We have also been practising our songs for our Winter Concert- the children can't wait for you to come and see it. Well done Year 1 for all your hard work this term!



Parent/ Carer Survey

Thank you to everyone who has told us their views. If you have not completed one either online or at parents' evening, please do add your views. You can click on the link here to access the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/3yxLGd4gg7>

The survey will close on Monday morning at 9am.

Reception Applications

If your child is currently in our nursery (or another nursery) you will need to apply for a place in Reception for September. The deadline of 15th January is fast approaching.

To apply please go to the e-admission website (you can click [here](#)). If you would like any help with this, please contact the school office.

Playing at the End of School

Once you have collected your child, please make sure that you leave the school site with them. We have climbing frames in the playground but these are not supervised after school and children should not be playing games or climbing. Please remember that once you have collected them, children are your responsibility. Thank you.

Term dates

Last day of term: Thursday 21st December (children finish at 1.30)

Spring term starts: Monday 8th January

Please ensure that your child is present in school. Term time holidays and extended time off cannot be authorised. Thank you for your support

Role Models of the Week

Well done to the following children for their outstanding learning and behaviour in school this week!

Behaviour Award: Arys & Farida (Year 1), Jake & Adasu (Year 2), Maya & Marat (Year 3), Avah & Hanan (Year 4), Lisa & Samira (Year 5), Isaiah & Dunia (Year 6)

Learning Award: Sofia & Kaiden (Year 1), Zain & Ahmed (Year 2), Samaiyah & Fatima (Year 3), Tim & Omarion (Year 4), Monika & Romaisa (Year 5), Amir & Zahra (Year 6)

Attendance Certificates of the Week!

Well done to all our classes who have achieved 96% or above attendance this week:

Year 5 Silver Birch 98.3%, Year 4 Elder 96.9%, Year 4 Pine 96.4%,

Please make sure that your child is in school everyday to support their learning

Punctuality Cup: most punctual children this week! **Year 4 Pine**

Lunchtime Stars: best behaved class at lunchtime this week: **1 Willow**