



SACRISTON
ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

23rd May 2024

Summer Fayre 2024!

Our annual Summer Fair will be held in school on Friday 12th July 2024. Please could you help and support us with any donations for our stalls. Items such as bottles, toiletries, chocolate, unused gifts, toys, and books etc. all items will be very much appreciated.

We will also be holding a non-uniform day closer to the event with a small donation of chocolate or a bottle, date to be confirmed closer to the event. Thank you in advance for your ongoing support.

Early Years Animal Antics Stay and Play

Nursery and Reception loved sharing their learning this morning with friends and family. The children created so many colourful pieces of art. The children created fluffy, feathered parrots and collage animals with tissue paper. The children searched for animals around our learning environment with their beautiful animal print binoculars.



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Year 1 Make 'Unicorn' Play Dough!

In Year 1 we have been practicing our instruction writing skills all about how to make 'unicorn' play dough! The class learned about how to make the dough and wrote instructions using key features including an equipment list and using imperative verbs. Then, the class followed their own instructions to create their own unicorn dough using conditioner, cornflour and glitter.



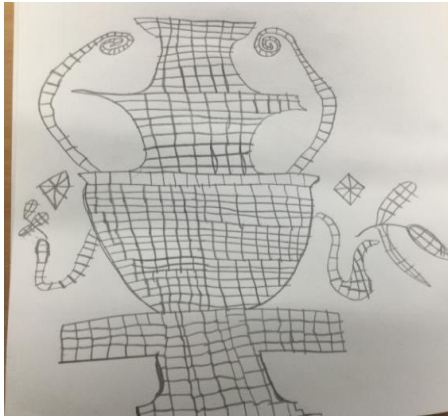
Year 2 Conduct their Own Experiment

Year 2 have been learning all about plants in their Science lessons this half term. We conducted our very own experiment and planted bean seeds in pots! Children were able to use the knowledge they have learned so far to use compost, seeds, pots, water and light to plant our seeds. We are going to observe how germination takes place and monitor the progress of our bean plants over the coming weeks.



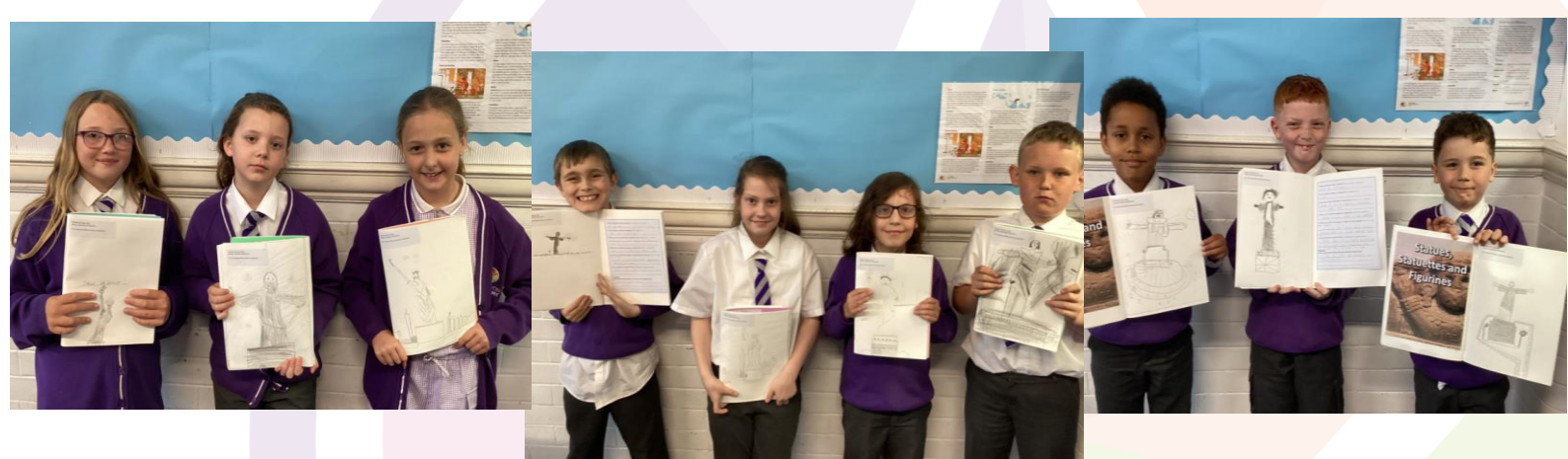
Year 3 Learn About Roman Life!

Year 3 have been learning about Roman life this week including how to be a Roman Emperor, what the Romans have done for us and what Roman art was like. We have looked at different pieces of artwork and mosaic art. We have enjoyed looking at how the pictures were made from small pieces of coloured clay and placed in intricate patterns. During our Art lessons we have created our own mosaic art pictures.



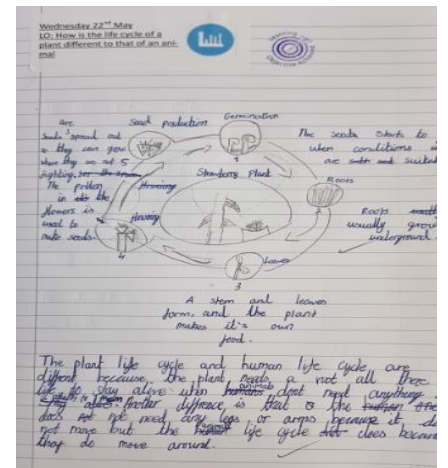
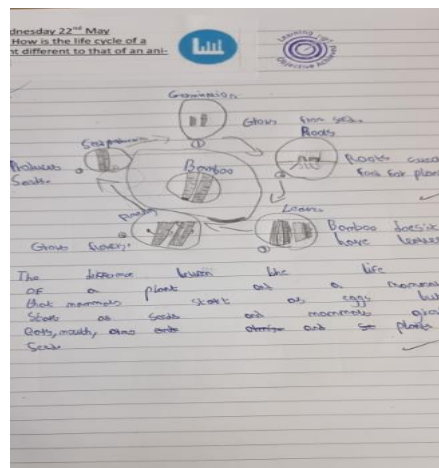
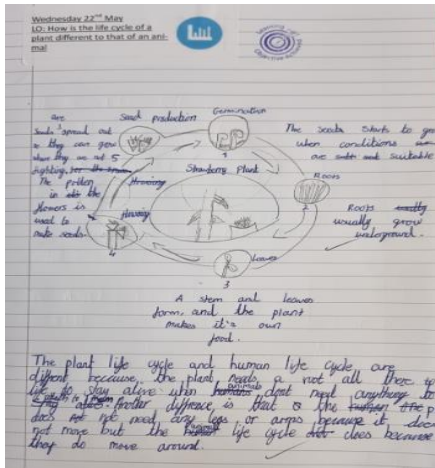
Year 4 'Statues, Statuettes and Figurines'

This week, Year 4 have been exploring their art topic: Statues, statuettes and figurines. We started off by looking at famous statues from around the world and sketched some of our favourites including the Statue of Liberty and Christ the Redeemer. We then explored sculptures from ancient civilisations and what figurines have been found in Egyptian tombs! We sketched some of these discoveries before creating our own Egyptian sculptures using clay! We had so much fun and used different techniques to add detail to our sculptures. Well done Year 4.



Year 5 Learn All about Life Cycles

Year 5 have been working extra hard in their Science lessons this week! We have learnt all about life cycles and have explored how the life cycle of a plant is different to the life cycle of an animal. Well done year 5!



Year 6 Design their Own Bridges!

In DT, Year 6 have been learning about the structure of different types of bridges. As part of this they have enjoyed working in teams to design and then make their own bridges, seeing which bridge could hold the most weight. It seems we have some engineers in the making!





The menu for week beginning 3rd June is Week 1. School dinners are £12.50 per week, paid online by Monday please. Our school menu can now be found on our website. If you would like to look at the options with your child, please use the following link.

<http://www.sacrisonacademy.co.uk/school-information/lunch-menu>



Class Attendance

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
80.56%	88.27%	90.74%	76.73%	89.33%	81.11%	97.33%	85.96%

The government expectation is 96% attendance for individual pupils and school. Attendance and punctuality really matter to your child's education - every day counts! When your child's attendance drops below 95% school will begin monitoring. Referrals to the local authority may also be made if there is no improvement seen.

Mathematician of the Month

Reception: Harry Bradley

Year 1: Kaleb Anderson

Year 2: Ethan Bradford

Year 3: Lukas Zand

Year 4: Lillie Dawson

Year 5: George Dixon

Year 6: Sophie Bladen



Author of the Month

Reception: Hunter Johnson

Year 1: Tommy Fenwick

Year 2: Isabelle Gray

Year 3: Lola Harrison

Year 4: Aaron Hunter

Year 5: Grace Loan

Year 6: Jemima Smith



Reader of the Month

Reception: Amelia- Rose McDonald

Year 1: Olivia Nicholson

Year 2: Tobias Armstrong

Year 3: Jessie Musgrove

Year 4: Austin Pinkney

Year 5: Ernie Coates

Year 6: Ethan Spinks



Weekly Awards

Our Headteacher Awards were presented today to the following children who have all impressed their class teacher:

Nursery: Eliza Harrison

Reception: Corey

Year 1: Esmae Bradford

Year 2: Ruby Dawson

Year 3: Lachlan Saunders

Year 4: Lucian Armstrong

Year 5: Charlotte Davidon

Year 6: Lily- Mae Hansen

Well done!

Class Awards this week were presented to **Year 2** in Key Stage 1 and **Year 4** in Key Stage 2 for their general behaviour at playtime and lunchtime! Well done to you all, we are very proud of you!

Dates for your Diary

Friday 24th May

Tuesday 18th June

Tuesday 18th June

Thursday 20th June

Wednesday 26th June

Thursday 27th June

Friday 28th June

Wednesday 10th July

Thursday 11th July

Friday 12th July

SCHOOL CLOSED INSET DAY

New Reception Parents Meeting

Year 2 Trip to Auckland Castle

Nursery Trip to Broom House Farm

Y6 Residential

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NELT Summer Concert

Zumba Festival Whole School

Summer Fayre

