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NEWSLETTER

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Nursery Have a Visit from 'Mr Bunny'

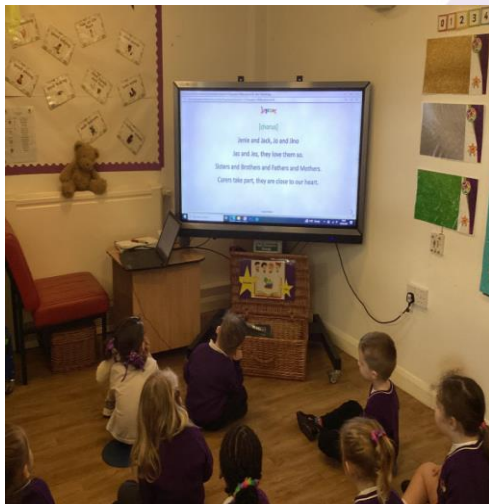
This week, Nursery have been learning what to say and do if someone is unkind to you. We had a visit from 'Mr Bunny' and 'Jigsaw Jene' and unfortunately 'Mr Bunny' was being very unkind to 'Jigsaw Jenie' by saying unkind words and not letting them play. Nursery helped the teddies to become better friends by telling them new ways to behave and showing them how they can stand up for themselves.

"You should always tell a grown up." - **Daisy**

"You say please don't do that; I don't like it!" - **Abigail**

"You say please don't do that and tell a teacher." - **Tommy**

"You could make them a picture or read them a story." - **Laura**



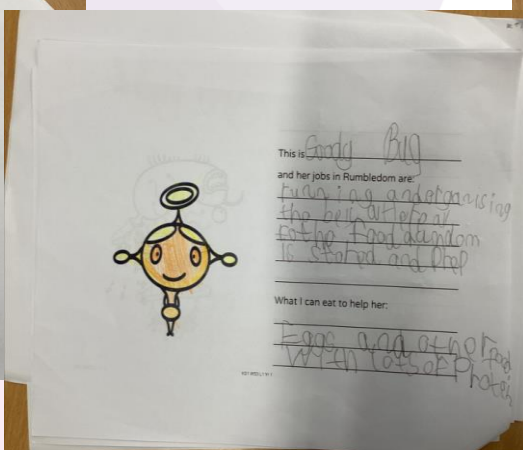
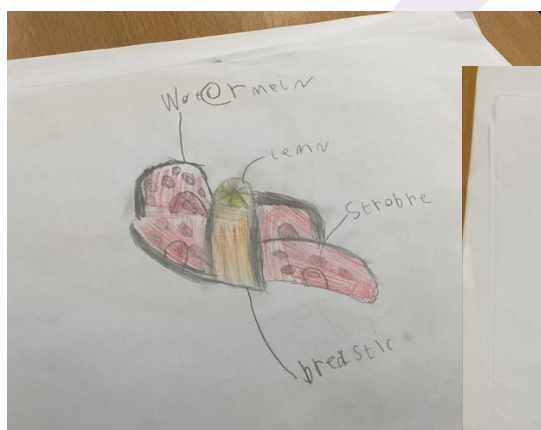
Reception Listen and Learn!

This week Reception have been playing lots of listening games. The children played whispers and sat in small groups to show good listening. This week we have talked about looking at the people when they are talking to us and turning to them to speak. We played Simon said, whispers and played listening games outside.



Year 1 and Year 2 'Belly Bugs'

Year 1 and Year 2 have been enjoying their 'Belly Bugs' lessons this week. We have been learning all about the bugs that live inside our tummies and the important roles they all play in keeping us healthy and our bodies working well. We have read stories together, completed a fascinating workbook and even designed our own vehicles made of fruit and vegetables!



Year 3, 4 and 5 'Belly Bugs'

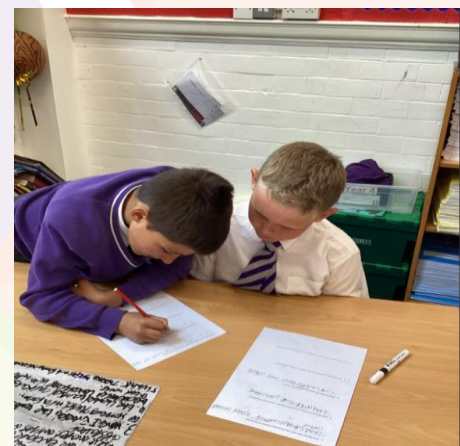
This week while the SATS were taking place years 3, 4 and 5 all took part in a scheme called 'Belly Bugs'. We learned about the digestive system and how all the different parts come together to keep our bodies working. The classes now know what keeps our tummies happy. Towards the end of the week we looked more in depth at healthy eating. We learned about the different food groups and what makes a balanced diet, the children matched the foods to the correct groups. We then talked about unhealthy foods and how we eat our treats in moderation.

As it is mental health awareness week, on Thursday, the three classes took part in a BBC live lesson learning about how to regulate our emotions and what it means to take care of your mental health. Well done everyone for working hard this week!



Year 4 Create their Own Newspapers

Year 4 are working towards creating their own newspaper report about Howard Carter discovering Tutankhamun's tomb. This week, we focused on using direct quotes and enjoyed stepping into the role of Howard Carter. The children wrote their own responses to interview questions before venturing around the classroom interviewing their peers and collecting quotes. Miss Jackson can't wait to see their published newspaper reports next week!



A Big Well Done to Year 6!

Congratulations and a big well done to Year 6 who have completed their SATS this week! They have all worked incredibly hard and we are proud of the determination and resilience they have demonstrated this week!



The menu for week beginning 20th May is Week 3. 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.sacristonacademy.co.uk/school-information/lunch-menu>

Class Attendance



Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
91.30%	89.73%	95.37%	91.47%	96.50%	94.17%	93%	94.74%

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.

Weekly Awards

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

Nursery: Luke Sharpe

Reception: Esme Harrison

Year 1: Ayden Sinaj

Year 2: Maisey Smith

Year 3: Marcus Turner- McHugh

Year 4: Jasmine Burns

Year 5: Alexandros Emonyon- Fokas

Year 6: All of Year 6!

Well
done!

Class Awards this week were presented to **Reception** in Key Stage 1 and **Year 6** 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

Thursday 23rd May

Friday 24th May

Tuesday 18th June

Wednesday 26th June

Thursday 27th June

Friday 28th June

Wednesday 10th July

Thursday 11th July

Friday 12th July

Year 5 Trip to Edinburgh

SCHOOL CLOSED INSET DAY

New Reception Parents Meeting

Y6 Residential

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NELT Summer Concert

Zumba Festival Whole School

Summer Fayre

