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Malborough with South Huish C of E (VC) Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

After all the rain we have had, what a lovely change to see blue sky and sunshine this week.

OFSTED

Our Ofsted Inspection Report has been published and we are delighted to tell you that our school has been rated a 'Good' school.

The Ofsted Inspectors noted that:

"Pupils thrive in the nurturing and safe environment that leaders provide" and that "Pupils talk with pride about the family feel of their school".



A copy of the full report can be viewed on the Ofsted website at:

<https://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/provider/21/113399>

PRE-SCHOOL



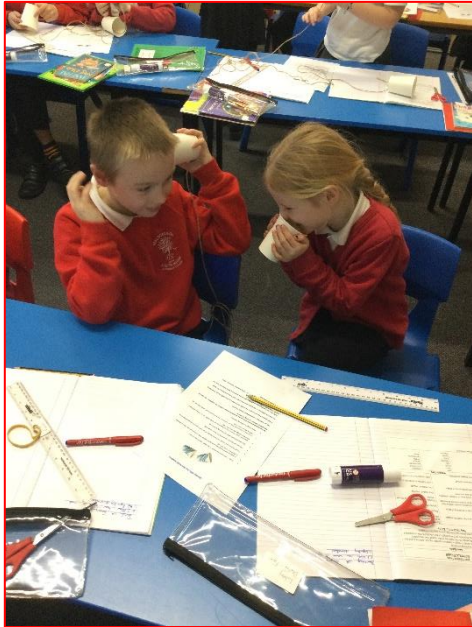
It was lovely to welcome Malborough Pre-School to join us for lunch on Monday. Some of the children who will be starting school in September came to eat their lunch with us before spending time with Mrs Nixon.

Each Monday for the remainder of the term the children, accompanied by Pre-School staff, will join us for lunch and a Phonics session.

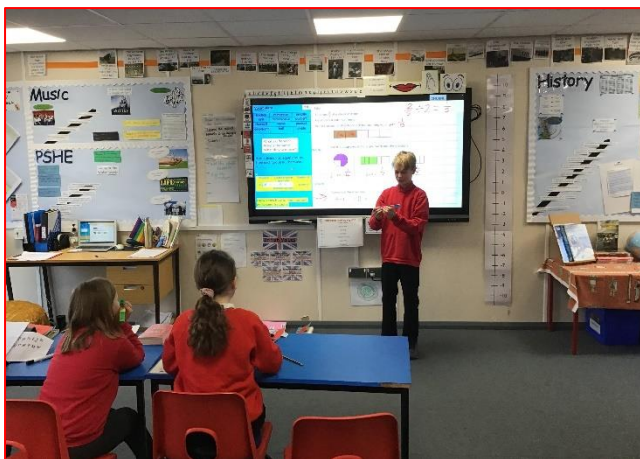
We will be looking to extend this provision during the summer term.

CLASS NEWS

Class 3 are looking at sound and how sound travels in science this half term. Our task for this week was to create a string telephone. We found that the string needed to be straight in order for the sound to travel. The children had a great time sending messages to each other through their string telephone.



Class 2 has been exploring expressive art. We used different materials to 'mark make'. The children enjoyed applying colours using card, sticks and other tools they created!



This week in Class 4, we have been teaching the class what we know- a great way to show our mastery learning. In maths we have been explaining to each other our methods of learning the times tables as well as demonstrating how to divide fractions by integers and multiply fractions by fractions. In English, we discussed the variations in sentences and how this promotes a cohesive and flowing story.

This week Class 1 have been learning about Chinese New Year in preparation for this Sunday's celebrations. We have been making lanterns in lucky red and making some shape dragons! Happy Lunar New Year everyone!



CHINESE NEW YEAR

On Monday we will be celebrating the Chinese New Year with a Chinese themed lunch menu. Please take a look at the School Lunch section of our website for full details of the menu and allergens.

WHOLE SCHOOL CHURCH SERVICE

We have rescheduled our whole school church service next month to take place on Wednesday 8th February. In line with the traditions of St. Valentine's Day, our service next month will be based on the theme of 'Love', which is one of our school values. We would be delighted if you would join us. The service will start at 9.15am. We hope to see you then!



ECO WORKSHOP

This week our Eco Council met with Alex Mack to discuss ways to reduce waste within school and how to inspire others to be more environmentally friendly. They made posters to be put up around the school asking for paper to be recycled, paper towels to be used sparingly and fruit waste to be put in specific bins. In addition, more wax bags were ordered to facilitate the recycling of more plastic. They discussed the possibility of building a compost bin for garden waste, cardboard and vegetable waste.

After all their hard work, the eco council compiled their information to present to the rest of the school in a whole school assembly on Wednesday.



SPIRITUAL DETECTIVES



The Spiritual Detectives met with other young leaders across the UK this week as part of The National Younger Leadership scheme with The Church of England. This week the topic was on 'Lead' Love, Example, Action, Dream'. The children were asked to think about how they show love. Will said "caring for others", Maisy said "love often whispers through our heart while nature sings it out loud", Amelie said "love others as you would like to be loved". The children

ended the session reflecting on how to overcome their barriers. Flora said "believe in yourself, take some time to think", Dotty said "go out in the fresh air". The children enjoyed discussing these topics and look forward to sharing their ideas with the rest of the school.

SWIMMING & NETBALL FESTIVALS

If your child has expressed an interest in attending either of these two sporting events, you will have received an information letter. Please would you ensure that the permission slips and SOE3 forms are returned to school as soon as possible. Thank you.



THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 23 rd January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forest School: Reception & Year 1 a.m. and Year 3 p.m. Year 6 Booster Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm - Dance Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm Board Games Club - 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Tuesday 24 th January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Achieve4All Sports Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Weds 25 th January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco Warriors - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Thursday 26 th January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire Service visit - a.m. Devon Schools Swim Festival - p.m. Choir - 3.30pm to 4.30pm KYFC Youth Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Friday 27 th January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Holocaust Memorial Day Celebration Assembly at 9.15am

****Please note the change of day for the after-school Board Games Club****

ATTENDANCE

Week beginning 16/01/23

Reception	98%
Year 1	95.4%
Year 2	98.2%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	94.4%
Year 6	87.8%
Whole School	96.5%



The School Awards this week go to:

Reception: **Bertie**

Year 1: **Mason A.**

Year 2: **Autumn**

Year 3: **Indiana**

Year 4: **Tira**

Year 5: **Mason H**

Year 6: **Amelie**

The MTA award this week goes to: **George** for being a kind friend at lunchtimes.

The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: **Class 3**

This week the House with the most points is: **SAINT DAVID** with 159 points

Our Accelerated Readers this week are: **Esmée-Rose** and **Ezra**

Our Writer of the Week this week is: **Dorothy**

Well done everyone!

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Stallard
Head of School

Mrs T Coulthard
Executive Head Teacher

STARS OF THE WEEK



Mason is making an effort to learn the Ukrainian language so that he can converse with Max in his own language. Class 4 will be learning Ukrainian too

DIARY DATES - New events in 'Red'

Thursday 26 th January		Devon School Games Swim Festival at Ivybridge Leisure Centre
Thursday 2 nd February		SHF Gym and Dance Show in the Village Hall at 5.30pm
Friday 3 rd February		Number Day 2023 for the NSPCC
Friday 3 rd February		Visit from Anthony Mangnall MP
Tuesday 7 th February	KS2	Netball Festival at Ivybridge Tennis Centre
Wednesday 8 th February		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 9 th February		Open classrooms at 3.00pm
Friday 10 th February		Break-up for Half-Term
Monday 20 th February		Return to school
Tuesday 21 st February		Shrove Tuesday - Pancake Day
Weds. 22 nd February		Ash Wednesday church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 23 rd February	Years 3 & 4	Visit to Exeter RAMM Romans in Devon exhibition
27 th Feb - 6 th March		Scholastic Book Fair - each day after school
Wednesday 1 st March	Class 1	Visit to South Huish Farm
Thursday 2 nd March		World Book Day - dress up as your favourite book character
Wednesday 8 th March		South West Water Educational Visit (in school)
Friday 10 th March		Explorer Dome Visit
Friday 17 th March		Red Nose Day - Fund-raising cake sale
Friday 17 th March		Mother's Day posy making and church service at 2.00pm
Tuesday 21 st March		National Younger Leaders - session 3
Monday 27 th March		Parents' Meetings
Tuesday 28 th March		Parents' Meetings
Thursday 30 th March		Easter Service at 2.00pm - Revised date to be confirmed
Friday 31 st March	KS2	Visit to Exeter Cathedral and Synagogue
Friday 31 st March		LAST DAY OF SPRING TERM
Monday 17 th April		NON-PUPIL DAY
Monday 1 st May		MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
Wednesday 3 rd May		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 4 th May		Bags2School
Monday 8 th May		BANK HOLIDAY FOR THE CORONATION OF HM KING CHARLES III
9 th - 12 th May	Year 6	Key Stage 2 SATS Week
Friday 26 th May		Break-up for Half-Term
Monday 5 th June		Return to school
Wednesday 7 th June		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Wednesday 21 st June		Children's Mental Health Assembly at 9.30am
Friday 23 rd June		Sports Day with PTFA refreshments
Tuesday 27 th June	Classes 1 & 2	Visit to Paignton Zoo
Wednesday 28 th June		Surfing and water safety day at Bantham Beach
Wednesday 5 th July		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 6 th July		Children's Mental Health Workshop at 9.15am
17 th - 19 th July	Year 6	Residential visit
Friday 21 st July		Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 2.00pm
Friday 21 st July		LAST DAY OF SUMMER TERM



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