



The 4 Bees Newsletter

'Life in all its Fullness': Believing ~ Being Our Best ~ Being Creative ~ Belonging



A Day of Awe and Wonder!

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Last Thursday, the children split into their house groups to take part in an inspiring **Science Day** organised by Mrs Gates, our Science Subject Lead. They spent the day moving around the school in a fantastic carousel of hands-on activities and experiments - from designing bird nests that could withstand wind and water, to creating parachutes to protect an egg, to designing and testing paper aeroplanes, building boats to float, and exploring the magic of bubbles.

It was a day filled with awe, wonder, and lots of fun! A huge thank you to Mrs Gates for all her hard work in creating such an exciting experience for everyone.

Bee Kind Winners

Please note these will re-start the first week back so the children can receive their 'privileges' the following week.

Headteacher's Awards

Reception Hallie

Year 1 Ollie

Year 2 Leon

Year 3 Joey

Year 4 Melanie

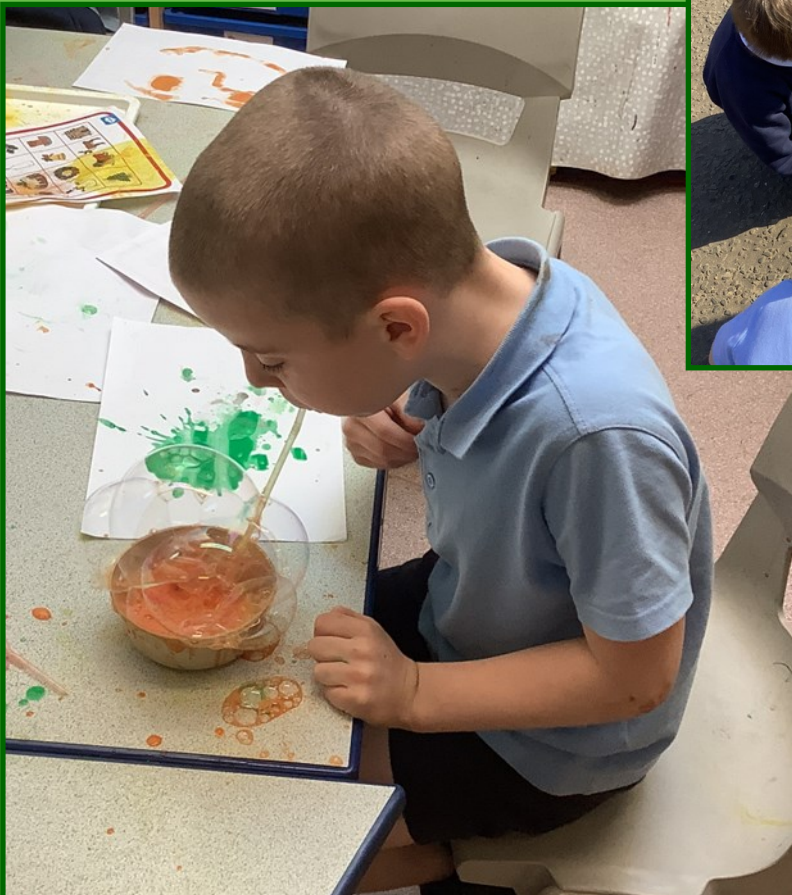
Year 5 Taiya

Year 6 Hudson



Please come and join us at 9.05am tomorrow for our final assembly of the term: **Magpie Class Assembly** and our **Celebration Worship**. Wishing all our families a very happy Easter break.

Mrs Vessey and the staff team





Chickmania!!

The excitement in school has been incredible over the past week as we eagerly awaited the arrival of our chicks. All week long the children checked the incubator in hope, but by Friday morning there was still no sign of any movement. Then, on Friday afternoon, Wagtail Class spotted the very first crack in one of the eggs—and the excitement was unforgettable! By Monday, the incubator was full of fluffy chicks. The children have absolutely loved watching them grow bigger each day and even had the chance to hold them gently and carefully. What a wonderful spiritual experience for everyone!!





Attendance Matters

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| Reception | 93.3% |
| Year 1 | 90.1% |
| Year 2 | 96.6% |
| Year 3 | 96.7% |
| Year 4 | 95.5% |
| Year 5 | 92.6% |
| Year 6 | 96.4% |

We are pleased to announce that our current average yearly attendance to date is 94.3% which remains broadly in line with national at 94.6%.

Congratulations to Year 3 who are the year group with the highest attendance and will be having hot chocolate and biscuits on Friday playtime!

It can be difficult to decide what's best when your child is ill. If you're unsure whether they're well enough for school, the helpful link below may offer some guidance:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Diary Dates— Spring Term 2026

Non-School Uniform Day for Earth House — Friday 27th March

Easter Holidays 30th March—10th April: children return on Monday 13th April

Summer Term Dates:

Safer Internet Day— Thursday 16th April

Best of British Day—Thursday 23rd April—children welcome to wear cub scouts/ brownie/rainbow outfits to school.

Fathers' Day Picnic—Friday 19th June 2026 (time circa 12pm (tbc))

Year 5 Residential—Tuesday 9th-Wednesday 10th June

Year 6 Residential—Sunday 28th June—Wednesday 1st July

Year 6 Leavers' Service—9.05am Monday 20th July

Weekly Termly

Scores on the Doors

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| Air | 99 | 1778 |
| Earth | 86 | 1820 |
| Fire | 80 | 1691 |
| Water | 40 | 1379 |

Well done to **Air** who are our Housepoint Winners this week!

Big Congratulations to Earth who are our overall termly winners and can come in non-school uniform (with a green accessory) on Friday!