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Great things are

done by a series

of small things

brought together.

~Vincent Van Gogh

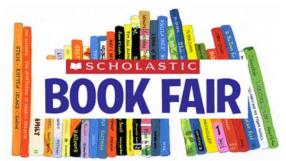
Explore

Excite

Excel

Book Fair

Come along to our book fair from Monday to
Thursday next week from 3:15pm in the school
library to have a look through the various
scholastic books as well as items of stationary and
small gifts. Any purchases will be cash only, and
please bring along change. Your child may be one
of 7 who have won a £5 book voucher to spend!
We'll be letting them know on Monday.



A lovely thing to witness

Off the back of our remembrance service last Friday, Mrs Lawrence stumbled upon some of the children in Red Class making their own poppy memorial to remember those who had died in WW1



So far this week Foundation Stage have been using their new phonics knowledge to help with their reading and writing.

Orange Class have enjoyed sharing stories written by Nick Inkpen. They discussed and sequenced the events within the stories. Why don't you ask them about it?

Year 2 are looking forward to a visit from Essex Fire Services this week, and so have been spending time thinking about and writing questions to ask the visiting fire officers.

Green Class have been using their multiplication skills this week. They used lots of known facts to help them work out some complex calculations.

Year 4 have been writing diary entries this week. They learnt how to use a wide range of time connectives to make their writing more interesting and concise.

Year 5 have been learning about persuasive writing. They talked this week about the use of rhetorical questions and modal verbs, and will be using these in their own work.

Year 6 have enjoyed their gymnastics lessons this week with Annabelle. They have been exploring different ways to travel incorporating balances in their sequences.

Head Teacher Awards

Jasmine, Miley and Rio in Year 4

Parking

Concerned parents have advised us that the blue badge parking bays in the village hall car park are being used illegally. Please note that these get reported to the borough and parish council, and for your own protection and the safety of blue badge holders, we ask that these spaces be respected and left clear. Thank you.

Children in Need

This Friday 16th November we would like to invite all children to come to school wearing their home clothes in aid of Children in Need. Please bring them in with a donation that you can afford, that can be given straight to their class teacher. They are welcome to wear spotty clothes or simply their chosen outfit on the day!



Whole school attendance this week: 97.11%

	Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Percentage	94.44%	98.21%	100%	96.15%	98.89%	95.56%	96.43%
Absences	10	3	0	6	2	8	6
Lateness	0	3	1	1	3	1	0

Key Stage 2 Consortium Music Workshop

Years 3 and 4 have spent the last few weeks practicing really hard for a Key Stage 2 Music Workshop we hosted this week. They sang wonderfully and showed all the schools who visited on the day how hard working and enthusiastic we are. Thank you to the Consortium for once again organising a fantastic event.





Remembrance

The whole school attended a Remembrance service on the recreation ground on Friday, with Year 6 reading poetry and leading us in prayer, Year 4 tying ribbons and attaching poppies to the trees that were planted in remembrance. It was a lovely and humbling event evoking lots of thought and interesting discussions.





Friends of St Lawrence

Head along to Rowhedge church on the following dates for some family fun this month!

- 17th November at 9:30 12:30: Village Winter Market
 - 24th November at 10am 4pm: Giant Book Fair
 - 25th November 11am 4pm: Giant Book Fair

2019 Foundation Stage Intake

This morning we welcomed a number of parents and children – some known to us and some new, to an open morning for the 2019 Foundation Stage Intake. If you are yet to come along to one and would like to, our last one is on Wednesday 5th December at 9:30am.

Father Christmas is coming to Rowhedge!

Come and see Father Christmas in his grotto at Rowhedge Village Hall on Sunday 25th November. You will be able to see him at various times throughout the day, with advanced tickets selling at £3.50 and tickets on the day costing £4.50. Tickets include a fantastic gift as well as time with Father Christmas, and all proceeds go to Rowhedge Under 5s. To book a ticket pick up a form from Nelly in the office, and deliver to preschool with the money. Thank you!

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