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Jack and the Beanstalk

The children (and grownups!) had the BEST afternoon this week watching the most energetic and amazing performance of Jack and the Beanstalk by M&M Theatre Productions.

We CHEERED, we SANG, we CLAPPED, and we had FUN.



**ONE KIND
WORD
can
CHANGE
SOMEONE'S
Day!**

Red Classes have been learning all about birds of prey, with Red Squares having made up their own magnificent bird dances to different music in PE

As part of literacy with their class book Percy the Park Keeper, Year 1 designed houses for their favourite animals this week. Their ideas were very inventive!

In Maths this week, Yellow Class started a unit on statistics. They became more confident with tally marks before creating their own survey to ask their classmates.

This week Green Class created their own space beings using their imaginations, inspired by The Iron Man. They then wrote SUPER character descriptions of their imagined beings.

Blue Class have continued their work on Anglo Saxons in History this week. They drew traditional houses and labelled them with all the knowledge they've built up.

Year 5 have been working on multiplication word problems in maths this week. They have also been learning how to use a protractor to measure a variety of angles.

During English this week, Year 6 have been recognising and using the different skills needed to write a report on their class book The Midnight Fox by Betsy Byars.



If you could choose your favourite meal, what would it be and why? By Megan in Year 4

Winning KS2 Answer by David in Year 1

I like mooncake because it tastes nice and lovely and I only eat it sometimes. We get it from the airport in Malaysia

Winning KS2 Answer by Charlie in Year 4

A chicken roast dinner because it tastes so nice in my mouth and my mum and the dinner ladies do such a good job

Headteacher Awards

Kamil and PJ in Year 3; Connor B, Ivy, Juniper, and Matilda in Year 4



Whole school attendance this week: 96.96%

	Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Percentage	97.2%	98.57%	100%	97.62%	94.18%	93.6%	97.04%
Absences	9	3	0	5	11	13	6
Lateness	4	2	3	6	5	2	3

Times Tables Rock Stars

Years 4, 5, and 6 have had a great time playing Times Tables Rock Stars over the last few weeks, and in the coming days, years 2 and 3 will be introduced. It's a fantastic and fun way to imbed the times tables whilst children work to beat their own score. Children can play this game at home using the login details they've been provided with. To find their school, use our postcode **CO5 7HR**. Let us know if you have any questions



11+ 2021 Entry

Registration for the 11+ for 2021 entry (current Year 5) will be from 19th May to 1st July 2020 inclusive. CSSE schools will hold open days and evenings during June and July. Tests will take place on Saturday 19th September 2020

Registration Opens on 19th May 2020

Registration Closes on 1st July 2020

Test will be 19th September 2020

Free past CSSE papers for 2015, 16, and 17 are on the CSSE website, and more recent test papers can be purchased.

For more information on the process please come and speak to Nelly.

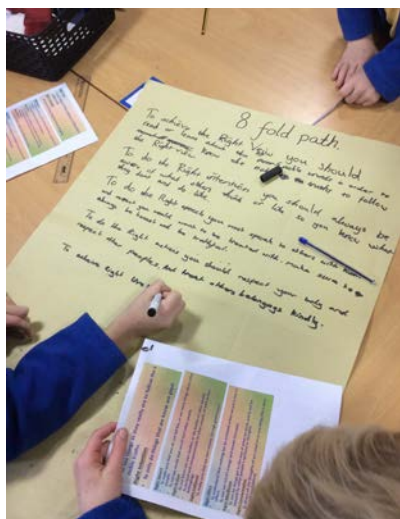
Kindness in Years 5 & 6

Last week Years 5 and 6 showed us all just how thoughtful and perceptive they were, when during an exercise with Mrs Malcolm they wrote messages of kindness to each other anonymously. No-body knew who wrote what on their sheets, but the messages received were insightful, humbling, and in some cases quite powerful. They showed how well they have got to know each other over the years, what strong friendship bonds they have, and what their peers notice about them.



RE in Year 6

This week in RE, Year 6 looked at the Buddhist 8 fold path, and after exploring each part, they wrote down one thing that a Buddhist could do to achieve each part.



DT in Year 1

Year 1 spent Friday making their model vehicles in Design Technology. They used a range of materials and tools, and worked together to help each other to improve their models.



Science in Year 5

Year 5 are researching the life cycle of an insect, specifically one that has the process of metamorphosis, like a butterfly. They have already looked at the life cycles of mammals and will be researching the life cycle of a creature of their choice.



Cycling Lessons

Would you or anyone in your family like help learning to ride a bike? Bikeability Learn to Ride is designed for children or family members who are unable to cycle, including those children who are ready to make the move to riding with pedals (stabilisers must be removed before the training), older children who are struggling to master the skill, or adults who have never learnt to cycle.

A 45-minute session is £10 per person, and can be delivered on our playground. We need a minimum of 4 people to be able to arrange this, so if you would be interested in attending, please let Nelly know. Thank you!

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If your personal details have changed, or you would like to update the consents we hold for you, please notify us in writing.