Totnes St. John's Weekly Newsletter

Class: Willow Friday 6th March

Home learning

Hopefully everyone should now have their logins to Spelling Shed. We have used it in class so the children know how to use it properly. This is an area that needs to improve generally for the whole class.

Don't forget to keep practising times tables. You can login to Times Tables rock stars to help.

Keep up the reading. Little and often is most effective.

Class news

This week we continued gardening outside and really enjoyed the learning outdoors despite the wet weather.

On Thursday we celebrated World Book Day! It was such a pleasure to talk and write about our favourite books. We came into school dressed up as our favourite Roald Dahl characters and we read Fantastic Mr Fox throughout the day! We were impressed by some of the costumes and would like to thank the children and parents for putting great effort into making this day so special!

In our Learning Journey this week, we looked at the functions of the skeleton in the body. We learned that not only did the skeleton help us move around and keep us upright but also served as protection for our vital organs! We looked at vertebrates and invertebrates and we researched different types of joints between our bones! Finally, we researched facts about bones and how science helps us keep our bones healthy.

Attendance

Walnut Oak 93.9% 94.8%

Willow Beech 95.9% 92.3%

Elm Chestnut 95.6% 92%

Please ensure your child attends school every day.
Every day missed is 6 hours of learning lost.

Reflections on the week

During our worship assembly, we thought about forgiveness. How can we forgive others in our lives? It is so important to be able to forgive someone who might have made you cross through his or her actions. The other person might feel a sense of guilt so it is important to be able to forgive and relieve the person of guilt to be able to continue living together in harmony.

The Week ahead

Next week, we will be continuing our learning journey and we will be learning about muscles in our bodies. What are muscles for? What can we do to keep our muscles healthy and in shape? To answer these questions we will research the information in books and on the internet! We will also talk about the names and functions of the different muscle group in our body. Also, please remember your swimming kit for next week's swimming lesson!





PARENT/CARER MEETINGS:

Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th March

Please note Reception and Year I will be held- Thursday 26th March. We are arranging parent/carer and teacher meetings to review your child's progress and targets. There will be 10-minute time slots available. From Friday (6th March), there will be a time sheet on each classroom door to allow you to sign up for a convenient slot. This is on a first come first served basis. Many thanks.