Greenhaugh Newsletter April 2024

Our School Attendance target is 97% Attendance for last 4 weeks is 98.1%



Fundraising

The Green Team have been working hard, running 16 laps of the yard every day to raise money for our chosen charities. We have talked about it being a challenge, but worth it so we can help other people. We are really excited to raise money for the Ukraine appeal for Habitats for Humanity and Children North East.

Class 1

Mrs Ewen writes: We have loved seeing the sunshine appear, if just a bit, during April and this has linked to our learning about what plants need to grow healthily. We will be setting up some investigations soon to prove what we think. The children have enjoyed reading our story Grandad's Island by Benji Davies. They have produced some wonderful descriptions of the characters and settings, which they will use as a model when planning and writing their own adventure story! There has been lots of measuring taking place in class, finding the mass of items, comparing which are heavier and lighter, as well as exploring capacity and volume in the water tray. We always strive to make learning hands—on as we know this makes the learning more memorable for the children!





Class 2

Mrs Johnston writes: Class 2 have been particularly excited in our IT lessons, learning about collecting data from our environment they have learned how to program 'Microbits' to create thermometers that record can temperature data over a period of time. In English lessons we've used Macbeth to learn how to write playscripts and have loved the twists in the plot and characters as we've progressed through the plot. We've also started planting seeds to prepare for the upcoming Summer Plant Sale.

Mrs Johnston is starting an Animation Club. Supported by Year 4 children she will be running a series of sessions on Tuesdays after school. It will run on 7th and 5th May, 4th, 11th, 25th June and 2nd, 9th July. Look out for the letter that was sent home with more information.

Diary Dates

Singing Club is every Monday. PE club is every Wednesday. Forest School is on alternate Fridays. The next Forest School is on Friday 10th May.

Swimming will be on every Tuesday for 10 weeks, starting 16th April 16.5.24 Whole school trip to VARC

6.6.24 Whole school trip to St Mary's Lighthouse

10.6.24 Whole school trip to Simonburn for Fragile Earth Project

17.6.24 Fathers' Day lunch in school

