

Greenhaugh Newsletter

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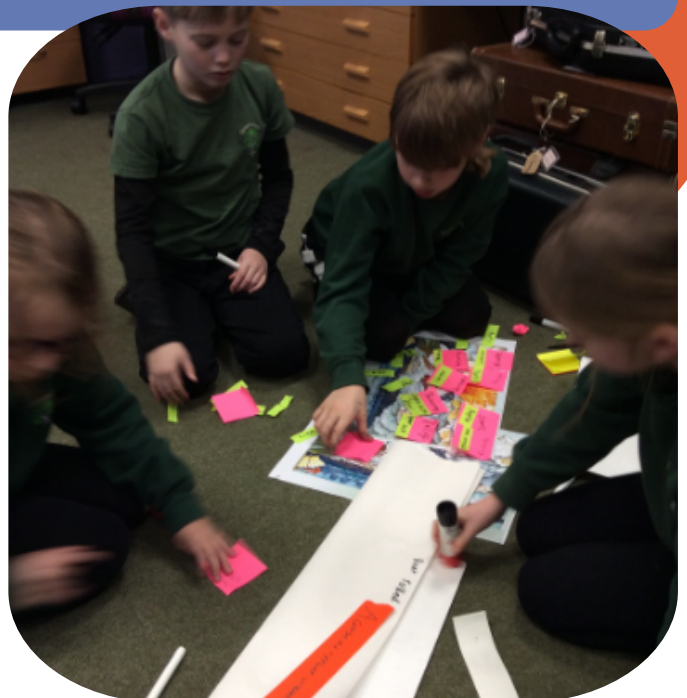
Our School Attendance target is 97%
Attendance for the last month is 97.8%

Class 1 news

Mrs Ewen writes; We have had a lovely, busy start to the new year in Class 1. The children enjoyed the wintery weather and exploring the snow and ice, which even made its way into the classroom! The children have planned and written exciting new adventures for Traction Man when he visited school and are really developing their use of story language. We are all learning about different animals, including animals' needs for survival. We had great fun creating feeders to hang up for our birds and then identifying the different birds which visited our garden. We will be submitting our data to the RSPB Big Schools' Birdwatch! It is great to see how well the children work together and support each other. Such a great Green Team!

Class 2 news

Mrs Johnston writes; We've had an explosive start to the year... in a good way! In Geography, we have been learning about volcanoes and mountains. We've loved it so much, we're now using the text 'Escape from Pompeii' as the basis of our learning in English. We're been focusing on making inferences about characters' actions in the text and have moved on to creating description by combining prepositional and powerful adverbial phrases then experimenting with the position of them in a sentence. Here's an example: 'Totally demolishing houses, the lava was streaming down the volcano' versus 'The lava was streaming down the volcano, totally demolishing houses. Which structure do you prefer?



KS1 Multi- skills

This week Class 1 enjoyed taking part in the Partnership Multi-skills competition at Otterburn RTC. We scored a fantastic 500 points and were very worn out by the end! We travelled to and from the competition with Kielder school. They also joined us for the rest of the day and we enjoyed lunch, playtimes and learning time together. These opportunities to work with other schools are great for our children. Class 2 will be getting an opportunity to take part in Partnership Rugby in February too.

Diary Dates

Forest school will run on alternate Fridays. The next one is Friday, 14th February

PE Club is every Thursday until 4pm

Art Club is running every Wednesday until 4pm, Last session is 19/2/25

School closes for half term at 3.15pm on Friday, 21st February

INSET Day- Monday 3rd March

School reopens on Tuesday, 4th March.

KS2 Partnership Rugby at Wark- 11/3/25

2/4/25 Diversity Role Models workshop in school

School closes for Easter on Friday 11th April.

