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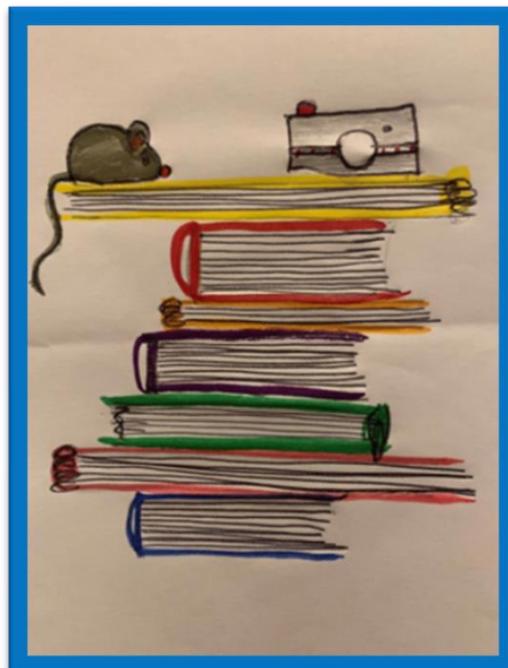
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Go Read Competition Winners

Recently, children across Hyde Park Schools competed in the Go Read Competition. Eleven winning designs were chosen, eight of us are from Hyde Park. Well done to all the children who entered and congratulations to all our winners. Please see the winning designs below.



Panda
Hanna - 5G



Top To Be Read - Elsie - 4A
Bottom Griffin - Max T - 4A



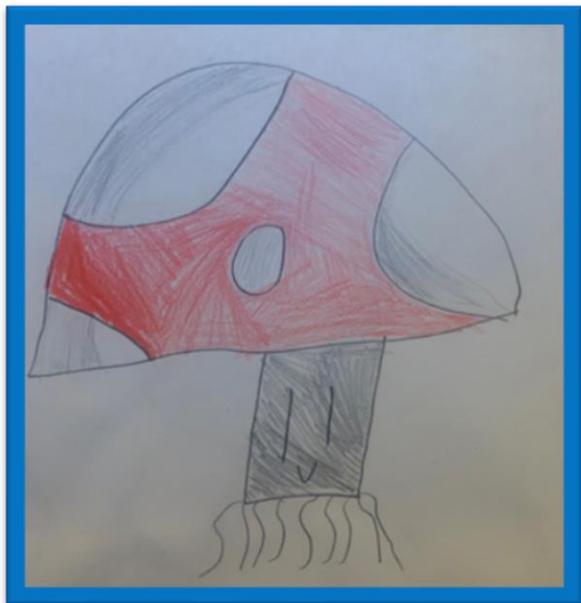
Cat
Isolde- 5G



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Top The Library - Nelly - 5G
Bottom Guinea Pig Love - Lucy- 4A

Top Fun Guy - Tyla - 5G
Bottom Rainbow Heart - Isabelle- 4A



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Duplo Towers

Our Reception children have been building some amazing towers. The children have been reading and enjoying the story, 'The Little Red Hen', and built a tower to depict the windmill from the story.



Animal Movements

In Year 1 the children have been using their understanding of animals to support their movements in dance. They have been creating balances at high and low levels to show both small and big animals, and combining this with movements to show how their animal might travel in order to create a sequence.



Bread Tasting

In recent lessons as part of Design and Technology, our Year 2s participated in bread tasting. The children sampled: white, whole meal, baguette, sour dough and Naan breads, after which they evaluated the taste, texture, appearance and smell of the breads.



Indoor Athletics Competition

Recently, a team of children represented Hyde Park at the Indoor Athletics competition. After taking part in a series of running, jumping and throwing events, our team came third! Here they are celebrating their bronze medals. A big well done to our team!



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Investigating Friction

Within their Science lessons, Year 3 have been investigating friction. Whilst learning about different forces, the children carried out a comparative test involving pulling an object along different surfaces. First, the children made a prediction, and then they investigated. The children used Newton metres to measure the force and recorded their results in a table.



Important Update

We have revised our Assembly outline and Expectations in line with our Behaviour and Relationship Policy. This has led to us reflecting as practitioners how we celebrate our pupils as they demonstrate our school values and being exemplary role models to their peers.

This has led to us implementing 'Star of the Week' which is awarded to children who demonstrate the school value all the time and are role models to their peers. 'Nomination of the Week' is awarded to children who demonstrate the value for of the week.

We are proud of all our children demonstrating consistently 'kind hands, kind feet, kind words, and kind actions'.

Events unfolding in Ukraine

The media coverage of events in Ukraine is being heard by our children. Just like us, they too are concerned and have questions. Whilst we understand that this is a difficult topic, we have enclosed along with this week's newsletter ways to speak to your child or children about these events. As a school, this will be discussed as the need arises and we will inform parents of when those conversations will take place.

The Disasters Emergency Committee is having a humanitarian appeal for Ukraine, please visit <https://www.dec.org.uk/> if you are able to contribute. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

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STAR OF THE WEEK

Cedar	Arthur
Ash	Clara
Oak	Aria
Beech	Liv
Poplar	Isaac
Willow	Bethany
Holly	Emily
Elm	Sophia
Sycamore	Nelly
Keller	Dexter
Seacole	Sam
Barnado	Reuben
Attenborough	Daisy
Curie	Mila
Hawking	Sophia
Ghandi	Rosie
King	Dara
Mandella	Chloe
Pankhurst	Jacob
Douglass	Emily
Dickens	Dylan

Nominations for demonstrating kindness.

Cedar	Edie
Ash	Penelope
Oak	Aria
Beech	Josh
Poplar	Ohviya
Willow	Alexander
Holly	Freddie
Elm	Eliana
Sycamore	Harry
Keller	Amy
Seacole	Alesha
Barnado	Sophia
Attenborough	Niamh
Curie	Jess
Hawking	Eliza
Ghandi	Nelly
King	Harry
Mandella	Poppy
Pankhurst	Dylan
Douglass	Grace
Dickens	Molly



MARCH

Monday, 21 st	World Poetry Day
Monday, 28 th	KS2 Parents' Evening
Tuesday, 29 th	KS2 Parents' Evening
Wednesday, 30 th	EYFS & KS1 Parents' Evening
Thursday, 31 st	EYFS & KS1 Parents' Evening

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