

Goodbye!



Today we say goodbye to two fantastic members of staff!
Joyce, School Business Manager
Nicola, Teaching Assistant

We wish them both good luck on their future adventures.

Best wishes,
From all at Goodrich

Keeping Safe in the Sun!

Hope you are all enjoying the beautiful weather we are having. **On return to school** after halfterm please ensure that children are wearing **suncream** when coming to school and if the cream used is not longterm please send in a labelled bottle that your child can reapply **themselves** throughout the day.

Please remember:

- * Put on suncream
- * Wear a hat or cap
- * Plenty of water



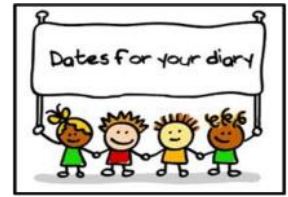
King's Coronation Celebration!

The children enjoyed the Coronation Celebrations with an outdoor tea party and lots of royal themed arts and crafts!



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to take a look at our video created from photos taken on the day! Sit back, relax and enjoy!



Summer 1 Term 2023

26th May **Year 6 cake sale**

29th May—2nd June—**Half term week**

Summer 2 Term 2023

9th June **FoG coffee morning** (Lower Hall)

Saturday 17th June, 3-5.30pm, **Summer Fair**

Thursday 6th July **Goodrich Rocks**

18th July—**KS1 and KS2 Sports Day**

19th July—**EYFS Sports Day**

20th July—**Last day** of this academic year for children

21st July—**Inset Day**, staff only!

Attendance News!

Well done **Year 3 , Class 9** for having the highest attendance this week of **99.06%**.

Please make sure that your children come to school everyday and on time! If you are late, please report to the school office to get a mark on the register. Children coming in late disturbs the learning of the whole class.

Winners of the Coronation Competitions!



Well done to everyone who took part!

It was such a high standard of entries and very difficult for the School Council to judge.

A big well done to all the winners!





Reception Book of the Week

Reception class 21 have enjoyed reading 'Caterpillar and Bean' by Martin Jenkins.

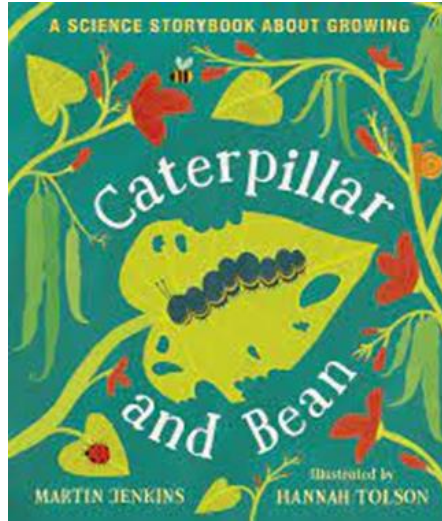
'I like it when the butterfly was coming out'- Raven

'You should read it to learn the life cycle of a butterfly' - Harry

'I liked it when the egg turned into a caterpillar'- Callum

'You should read it because of the plants and there's so much bugs' - Flynn

'I like how the plant grows and the caterpillar eats it' - Talulah



Class 20 have really enjoyed reading 'Oops!' says Ollie Bear by Tony Kenyon.

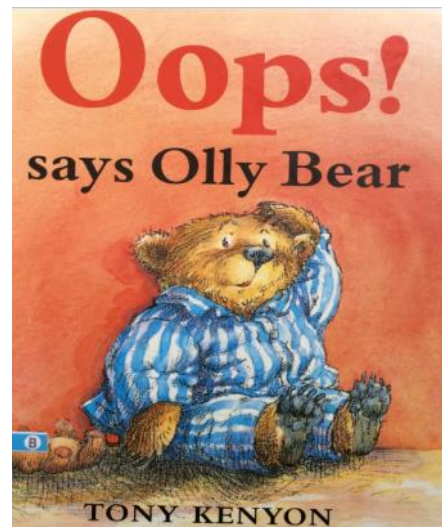
A story about a very naughty bear who helps himself to chocolate cake!

We made predictions about what might happen next in the story and then discussed the parts of the story we enjoyed most.

Noor *"I like that he said Oops because that is funny"*

Leo *" My favourite bit is when Mum says something went bump!"*

Martha *"I like the bit at the end when the bear is asleep and you don't know that he took the chocolate cake"*



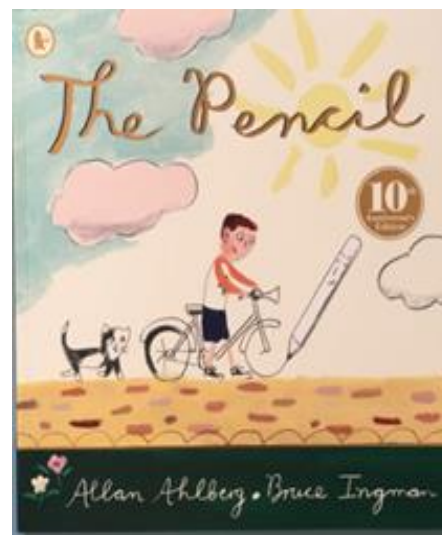
Class 22 recommend 'The Pencil' by Allan Ahlberg, a story about a playful pencil that drew a rubber that turned out to be rather cheeky!

What do you think the rubber rubbed out?

Oscar - *"I bet the pencil wished it hadn't drawn a rubber!"*

Frances - *"It's a bit sad at the end because the rubber rubbed the people out."*

Arlinda - *"It's funny at the end when the two rubbers rubbed each other out."*



Stars of the week!

Basil—Nur LB
Shafayat—Nur LB
Leonie—Nur BB
Reggie—Nur BB

Timi—Recep CI 20
Jessica—Rec CI 20
Hugo—Rec CI 21
Cuba—Rec CI 21
Grayson—Rec CI22
Evelyn—Rec CI 22

Haruka—Y1 CI 23
Valentina—Y1 CI 23
Flora—Y1 CI 24
Zayan—Y1 CI 24
Romola—Y1 CI 24
Isobel—Y1 CI 25
Travis—Y1 CI 25

Rumaysa—Y2 CI 3
James—Y2 CI 3
Mohamed—Y2 CI 5
Mikael—Y2 CI 5

Miona—Y3 CI 6
Abdul—Y3 CI 6
Selda—Y3 CI 7
Valentine—Y3 CI 7
Mabel—Y3 CI 9
Evie—Y3 CI 9

Lukian—Y3 CI 13
Yara—Y4 CI 13
Mae—Y34 CI 14
Joshua—Y4 CI14
Beau—Y4 CI 15
Teddy—Y4 CI15

Sophie—Y5 CI 16
Bella—Y5 CI 16
Narges—Y5 CI 19
Zidane—Y5 CI 19

Chloe—Y6 CI 17
Elliot—Y6 CI 17
Ania—Y6 CI 27
Reuben—Y6 CI 27

Citizen of the Week

Masha—Nur BB
Farron—Y3 CI 7



Year 5 Learning

Class 19, Year 5 Science

Investigating Friction (SCIENCE FRICTION!)

Our last few experiments have been studying FRICTION!

During these tests of different surfaces and friction levels we have learnt all of the varieties of friction, this includes rolling friction, sliding friction, static friction and fluid friction.

Rolling, sliding and static friction occur between two solids, for example trainers on a sports pitch being sliding friction and car tyres on a tarmac road would be rolling friction.

In our experiments we used a Newton meter to pull a trainer along different surfaces around the school, testing the amount of force needed to move the trainer and the amount of friction and grip between the two surfaces. As we investigated, our results showed that the surface in the school which has the highest friction is the astroturf as it is used for Physical Education and quick sprinting where you would NOT want to be slipping over. On the other hand, the surface with the lowest friction was the metal benches by the office, this is because it is a smooth surface allowing the trainer to move quickly along its exterior.

FUN FACT

Did you know that one newton on a Newton meter is approximately 100g and that this tool used for measuring the force to pull and push an object is named after Sir Isaac Newton.

By **Mary and Elspeth**



WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH OF BESS THE LANDLORD'S DAUGHTER?

In **Class 16**, we have been studying *The Highwayman*; a tragic tale of two hopeless romantics who were willing to sacrifice themselves for love. But were they actually meant for each other or was it a cruel twist of fate that they met? We let the prosecutors present their case for who was responsible for the death of Bess and the jury decided the outcome...

'Tim the Ostler is responsible for the death of Bess because he is the person who called King George's men and it was out of pure jealousy. He was hoping to get the love of Bess from this, if he could get the Highwayman arrested.' **Alice**

'I think Bess is responsible for her own death because she was old enough to be left on her own and she knew that the Highwayman was a ne'er do well. In the end, she chose death over life.' **Eve**

'The Highwayman is responsible for Bess' death because if he had never come to the Inn in the first place then Bess wouldn't have had the opportunity to sacrifice herself for him. If he had planned it more secretly then Tim the Ostler would never have known and King George's men would never have come to hunt him down.' **Sophia**

The Innkeeper is responsible for Bess's death because if he had looked out for Bess then she wouldn't have met the Highwayman and if he



Term Dates 2023-'24

GOODRICH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2023-24

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INSET DAYS

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

BANK HOLIDAYS

WEEKEND

Apprenticeship Vacancies

Do you know anyone who would be a **good candidate** for an apprenticeship?

We are looking for apprentices for the following areas:

- ◇ Customer Services
- ◇ Physical Education (PE)
- ◇ Premises Assistant

Please contact the school office for further details.

