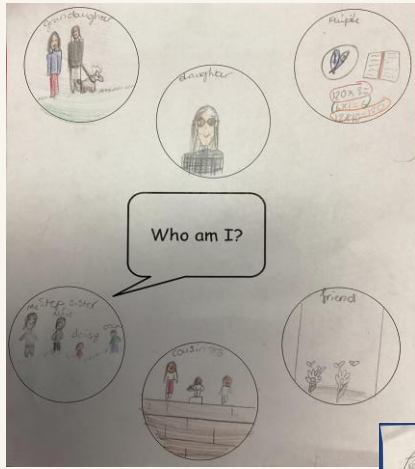




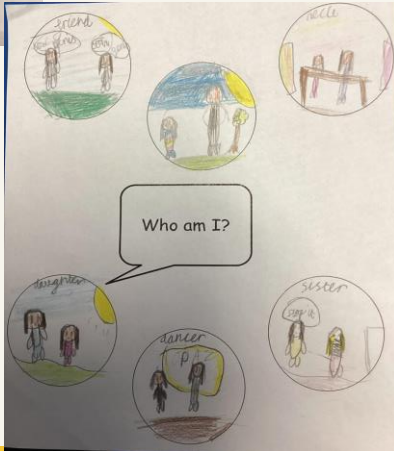
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Motivated and empowered; influencing the world we live in to bring about positive change.

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In RE, we have been thinking about who we are to other people and have decided that we have lots of strong connections!

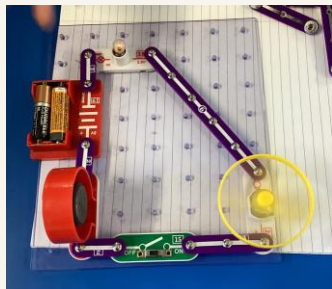


In Maths, we continued learning about equivalent fractions by playing Fractions Superheroes!



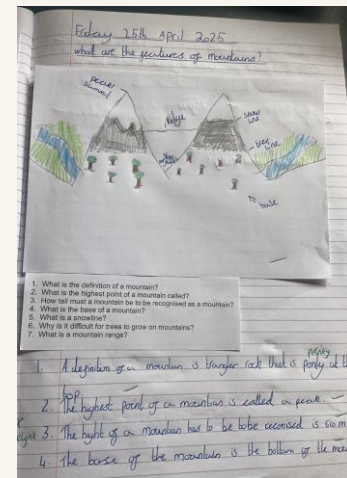
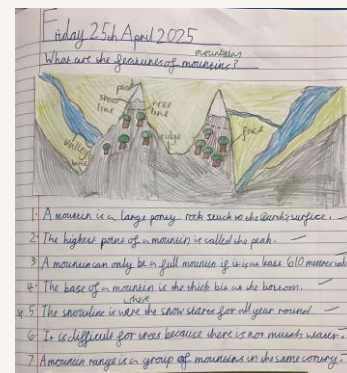
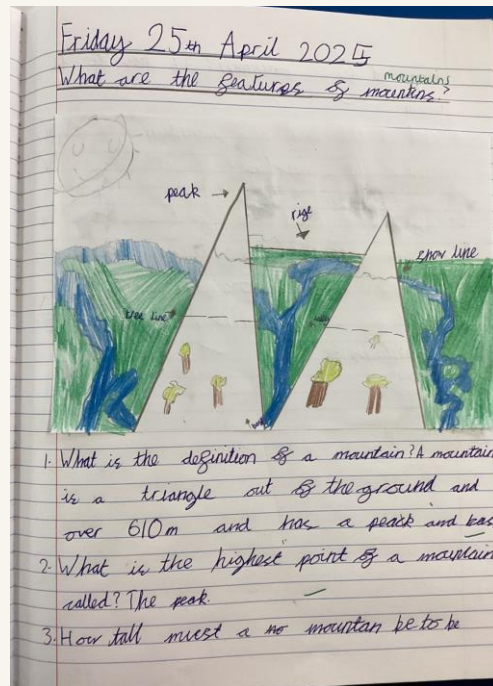
We became 'Pompeii detectives' in English to understand life before and after the impact of the eruption of Mt Vesuvius. We have started our new text, 'Escape From Pompeii'.

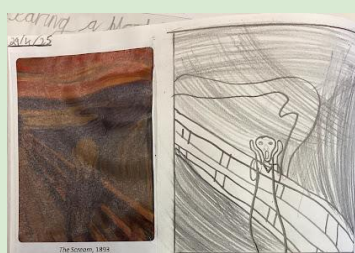
Year 3: Pine & Willow Class



In Science, we have been exploring what different electrical components do by making series circuits. In Geography, we have been learning about the features of mountains.

Year 4 Hazel & Rowan Class





1. What is this painting about?
 2. How do you think the artist's use of colour helps to portray the emotion of the adult in the painting?
 3. How would you describe the brushstrokes used in this painting?
 4. How does this painting make you feel?
 5. How is this painting similar to another painting by Edvard Munch?
- 1) It's about a person with 'it' hands on it. face like it's frightened or sad or ghost.
 2) The artist has used greens and yellows to show that the person is shaking fear.
 3) The brushstrokes are thick and wavy.
 4) The painting makes me feel scared because the person in the painting is crying something.
 5) Yes.



In art, Oak class have been looking at the Scream and analysing it as well as drawing our own picture.



In art, Yew class have been looking at Expressionist artists and analysing emotions in a self portrait through colour.



In Geography we have been learning about climate zones and using an atlas to find countries in those zones.

Today 23rd April 2025
 What is a climate zone?



Polar Climate - -10°C - -55°C approx - average temperature. Cold and dry, long dry winters and short summers.

Temperate Climate - average temperature 0°C - 20°C . Year round wet weather (precipitation). Warm summers - cold winters.

Mediterranean - average temperature -5°C - 30°C hot summers - mild winters.

Climate Zones	Countries		
Polar	Greenland	Norway	Finland
Temperate	UK	Germany	Poland
Mediterranean	Turkey	Italy	Spain
Desert	Egypt	Iraq	Libya
Tropical	Brazil	Congo	Thailand
Mountain	France	Chile	Nepal

In PE we have been looking at fielding (throwing) and we have played various games that required us to throw the ball and catch it.

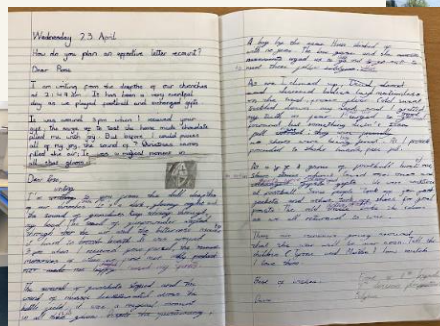
Year 5: Oak & Yew Class



In English we been reading **War Game** by Michael Morpurgo. In order to understand the character's emotions, we have used **drama** to consider the character's thoughts, feelings and motivations. We acted out the story in chronological order and written letters home from the soldiers on the front line.



In **tennis**, we have been learning how to construct the tennis nets as part of our lesson.



Year 6: Ash & Fir Class



Elmhurst Sports News



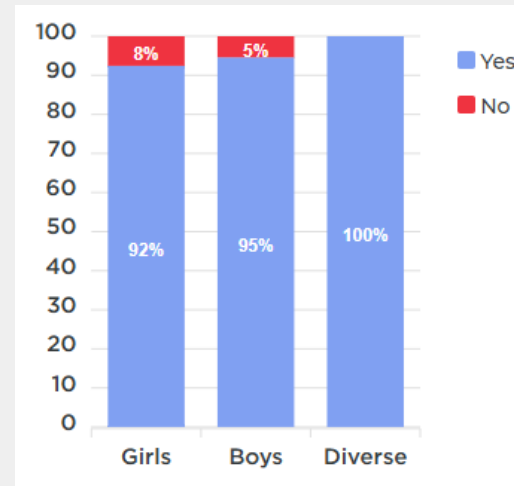
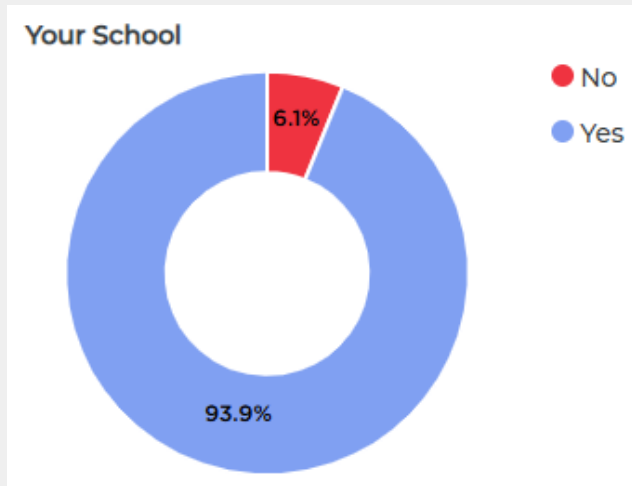
Well done to all of the children who took part in the **fun run** on Thursday. It was great to see such enthusiasm. We had lots of fantastic achievements. We were respectful of the heat and the children took on plenty of Water. Thank you to Kings Leisure Centre for organising.



Lots of smiley faces as children achieved the mile. Well done to Heath who was our quickest finisher.



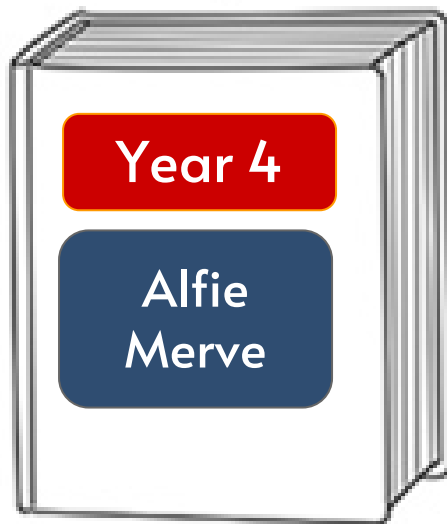
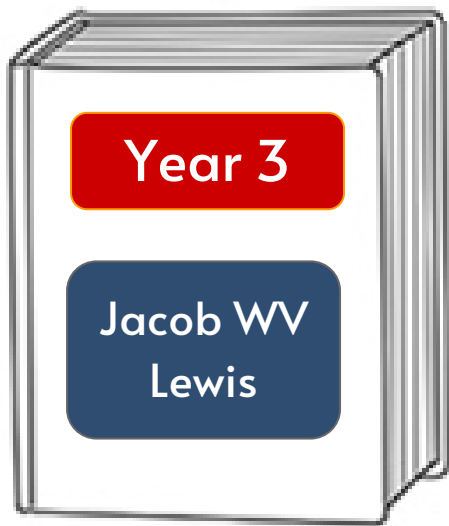
Should the UK Government make sure all children's needs are met?



Votes For Schools have teamed up with Barnardo's for this week's VoteTopic. Barnardo's have been working with UK Government on its upcoming Child Poverty Strategy and have been highlighting the experiences of children & families today. They will make sure that voters' voices are heard on this crucial issue.



Reading Champions



These pupils were chosen for their commitment and attitude towards reading this week.



Year 3

Willow
Class

Most correct
answers on
Times Table
Rockstars



Year 4

Hazel Class

Bronze Certificates



ClassDojo

100 points

Silver Certificates

Oak
Ralph
Eloise

Fir
Arwen



ClassDojo

250 points

Gold Certificates

Oak
Archie

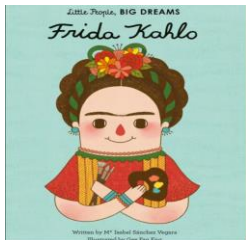


ClassDojo

400 points



Elmhurst Weekly House Points



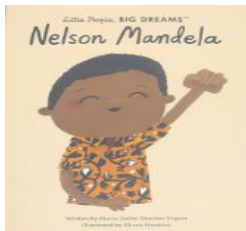
Frida Kahlo

120,374



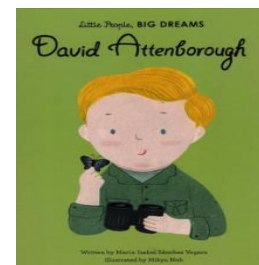
Florence Nightingale

115,899



Nelson Mandela

113,288



David Attenborough

119,508

Trust

Kindness

Elmhurst Etiquette

Respect

Forgiveness

Y3

Phoebe
(Pine)

Y4

Heath
(Rowan)

Y4

Archie
(Hazel)

Y3

Jacob
W
(Willow)

This week's
stars

Y5

Emily
(Oak)

Y6

Alfie T
(Ash)

Y6

Ellie-
Mae
(Fir)

Y5

Finley
(Yew)

Family members will be invited to our celebration assembly next week.