

Year 2 Update 14.3.25

School Trip to Knebworth House – Wednesday 19th March 2025

Our school trip is on Wednesday, children need to be at school for 8.30am, we will be returning at normal time. All children need a nut-free packed lunch and a water bottle with them for the day. We are outside in the afternoon so please ensure children are wearing suitable footwear and have a waterproof coat over their school uniform.

Forest School Needs Your Help To Build a Dead Hedge! 🌿

Our school is creating a dead hedge to mark out the area of the Forest School site. This is a fantastic way to support wildlife and create natural barriers, but we need your help.

We need logs and long branches to make it happen. If you have any spare from garden clearance or pruned trees, please bring them to school and leave them at the edge of the Forest School site.

Thank you for helping us make our school greener and more wildlife-friendly! 🐦 🌱



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- This week we have discussed the Last Supper.
- The children have created freeze-frames for the key parts of the story.
- Next week, we will continue our work on the Last Supper

Vocabulary: Lent, forgiveness, reconciliation, betrayal, eucharist.

English

- This week we have looked at how to use commas in a list.
- We have thought about captions and how they are used in non-fiction texts and we have made mind maps to support our work for next week.
- Next week, we will finish our non-chronological reports on our chosen animals

Vocabulary: comma, caption, non-fiction, research, report, mind map

Maths

- This week we have looked at doubling and halving.
- We have learnt that doubling is the same as multiplying by 2 and halving is the same as dividing by 2.
- Next week, we will be focusing on the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Vocabulary: double, halve, share, divide, product.

Science

- This week we have investigated if children of different ages are different heights by measuring children in different year groups throughout the school.
- Next week, we will be researching a particular animal.

Vocabulary: life cycle, height, measure, investigate

Extra information:

- Please make sure all children have plimsolls in school.
- Reading books are given out on **Fridays** to be returned the following **Thursday**.
- Library books are changed on **Tuesdays** for all KS1 classes.
- PE days are **Tuesdays and Wednesdays** for Lisbon and **Tuesdays and Fridays** for Padua.
- Our school trip to Knebworth House is on **Wednesday 19th March**, see above for details.
- Please make sure children are wearing no jewellery, including rosaries, to school.

Thank you for your continued support,

Bella, Eleay and Laura