



Newsletter Issue 22

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Head Teacher's Award

Ascia - Rowan Class



Attendance Award

Linden Class – 98 %



Upcoming dates for your diary

Monday 2nd March	Y4, Y5, Y6 Maury Thai Club - 3:30pm-4:30pm
Tuesday 3rd March	Y3-Y6 Drumming Club - 3:30pm-4:30pm Girls' Football Team – 3:30pm-4:30pm 3:30-3:50 Library open for Y3-Y6
Wednesday 4th March	Y4 Parents Multiplication Tables Check Workshop – 2:45pm -3:15pm 3:30-3:50 Library open for Y3-Y6
Thursday 5th March	Y1, Y2, Y3 Boys Football Club – 3:30pm-4:30pm Reception and Y1 Computer Club – 3:30pm-4:30pm Performing Arts Club – 3:30pm-4:30pm
Friday 6th March	World Book Day - Children are invited to dress as their favourite character from a book. Boys' Football Team – 3:30pm-4:30pm

KS2 Library Visits

We would like to invite KS2 children to visit the library with a parent after school on Tuesdays and Wednesdays beginning next week. Children will be allowed to 'check' a book out.

Parents must supervise their children's book choice to make sure that the content is age-appropriate.

There will be a member of school staff in the library to help with any queries.

International Day- 7th May

This year, for the first time in many years, the periods of Lent and Ramadan have fallen at the same time as each other.



We will be holding an **International Day and Evening** early next term so that we can all share a time of celebration together and sample delicious food from a range of cultures. More details to follow!

Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for the world.
Thank you for all the minibeasts.
Help us look after all the spiders and worms.
Sorry for sometimes killing bugs.

Prayer written by Chestnut Class

Our Christian Value this half-term is:

Reconciliation



Learning in Chestnut Class

Chestnut Class was incredibly busy last term, with so many wonderful highlights to celebrate. We marked Shrove Tuesday by enjoying delicious pancakes topped with our favourite treats and we learned all about Lunar New Year, finishing with our very own colourful parade. Another special moment was meeting Queen Camilla, who spoke to us about our favourite books and our love of reading. In Literacy, we explored the stories *Whatever Next!*, *Aliens Love Underpants* and *How to Catch a Star*, creating 'missing posters' and engaging in lots of imaginative writing linked to the texts. In Maths, we had great fun learning about numbers 5 to 8, exploring odd and even numbers, investigating how numbers are composed, and developing our understanding of capacity.

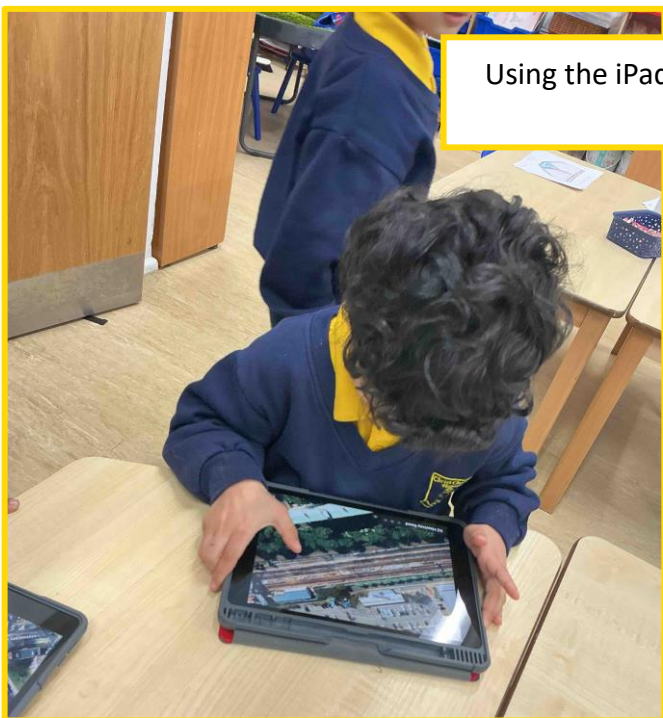


After learning about Lunar New Year, we had our own Dragon Parade. Afterwards we enjoyed tucking into some Chinese foods such as Prawn Crackers.





We learnt about Shrove Tuesday and why Christians celebrate Pancake Day. Afterwards we had lots of fun eating our pancakes with our favourite toppings.



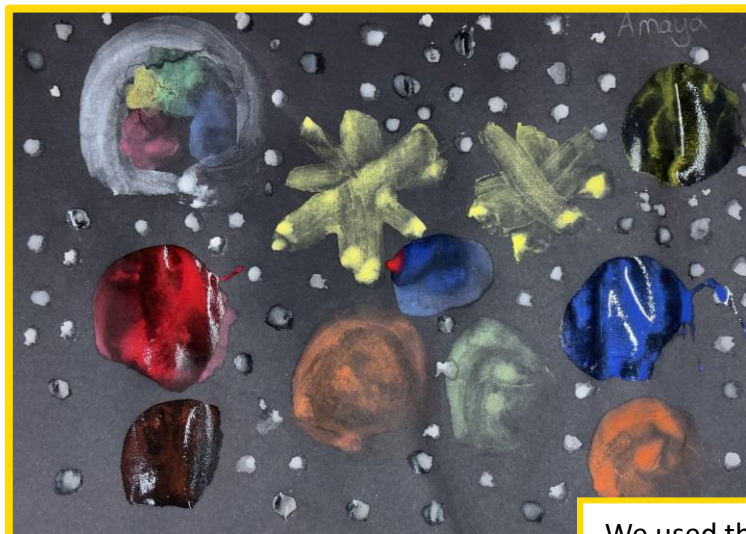
Using the iPads we explored maps of the local area, looking for key features and landmarks.

Here is some of our maths learning!



We had so much fun retelling the story of "Whatever Next!"

Queen Camilla visited our classroom and spoke to lots of us about our favourite books!



We used the watercolours to create our own space artwork.