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WELL DONE!



WE ASPIRE, WE CHALLENGE, WE SUPPORT

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers

The school has been absolutely buzzing this week with the Ofsted report and recognition finally that we are a GOOD school. On Tuesday, after receiving the final report, we all came together as a school to celebrate the great news. The children grew with pride as they heard about their respectful, inclusive nature; their great behaviour and love of reading. Everyone left with their heads held high feeling incredibly proud.



The warm wishes we have received from parents over the course of this week have been heartfelt. We have read some lovely emails and heard some positive comments on the gate – thank you. Staff have felt really appreciated and it has been lovely to see how much a 'good' rating means to our parents as well.

At the end of the week, I visited classrooms to collect the children's feelings.

Christina: I feel really pleased and happy. It's a great thing for the school to be good.

Logan: I'm really proud! I love coming to school and seeing my friends.

Mirabel: The thing I like best about Speenhamland is my friends – I feel really happy here.

Hassan Ali: I love being at Speenhamland because the staff help me learn.

Penny: I love all my lessons at Speenhamland especially when we do the crocodile snap!

William: Speenhamland is good because I learn lots. Maths is my favourite.

Reyansh: I love meeting all my friends at school and I like the awards we can earn.

Emilia: I love all the staff and eating my lunch in the sunshine every day!

We have invited Newbury Weekly News into school next Monday so we can get an official photograph and share our wonderful news with the wider community. Look out for the press release in the newspaper!

Mrs J Lewry
Headteacher

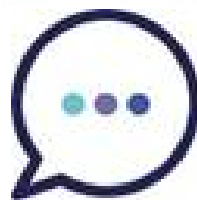


SEN Coffee Morning

Wednesday 28th June at 9 am

The focus will be sensory processing needs. Parents will also have a chance to talk to other parents, have a coffee and a cake, and hear about further support in the area for ASD and ADHD.

Mrs Graham looks forward to seeing you.



ChatHealth

Newbury School Nursing Team has asked us to promote their ChatHealth texting service to parents.

07312 263194

They can offer advice and support on concerns like sleep, bedwetting, healthy eating, dealing with medical conditions in school, emotional health and wellbeing, behaviour and parenting.

The number is for all parents of children aged 5-19 years.

YOUNG MiMDS

fighting for young people's mental health

Zolty Charity Day Success

Zolty House would like to extend a HUGE thank you to everyone who made our

Young Minds charity day so successful.

We exceeded our goal of £600 with a final total of £775.34!

The sun was shining and our bunting and bug hotel activities for Newbury In Bloom were enjoyed by all.

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AWARDS

AND THE
WINNERS
ARE...



Achievement and PSHE Awards

SCHOOL

Wisteria	Anshumaan Dixit
Cherry	Jack Leeke
Oak	Maria-Anemona Zamfir
Ash	Alisha Ballard
Willow	Asher Love-Clements
Hawthorn	Luke McCourt
Juniper	Harry Fairclough
Maple	Phoebe Steiner
Acer	Lilly Prins
Redwood	Reis Ballhysa
Cedar	Jessica Grace

PSHE

Arthiran Palanivel
Emily Opanowicz
Nada Kaowphatthanawan
Athulya Chandramohan
Erick Tavares Nogueira
Navil Kanagasabapathi
Alice Jones
Ava Jerome
Alfie Brown
Esme Cooke
Thomas Lambourne



HOUSE WINNER THIS WEEK

The Dragon's Eggs results for this week are:

1st Zolty 472

2nd Laal 292

3rd Azul 257

4th Verde 212

Congratulations to Zolty!



Below are the results for the class that had the most children read 3 times or more from Saturday 27th May to Sunday 4th June. (half term).

Let's keep reading!

Redwood 7 children
Hawthorn 7 children
Wisteria 6 children
Acer 6 children
Cherry 5 children
Oak 5 children
Juniper 5 children
Cedar 4 children
Maple 4 children
Ash 3 children
Willow 1 child



ATTENDANCE

This week's attendance is 92.85%

There was also 666 learning minutes lost this week through late arrivals, which is unfortunately a big increase.

Please ensure your child is in class for 8.30 am.

EVERY DAY REALLY DOES MATTER!

Attendance Matters!



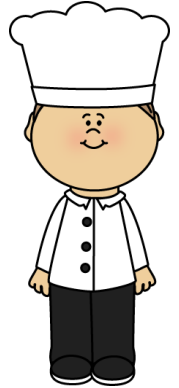
Every Student, Every School, Every Day

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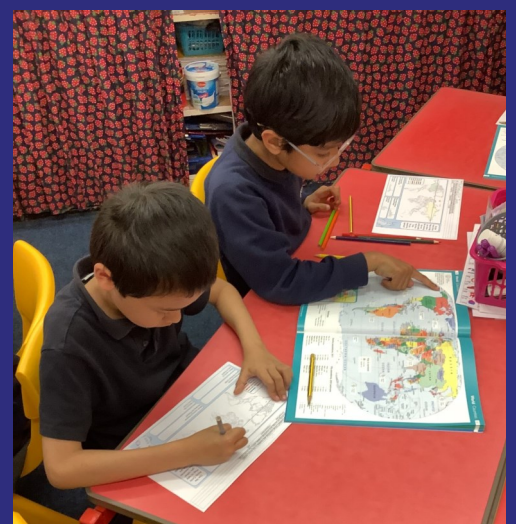
PUPILS' AMAZING WORK THIS WEEK!



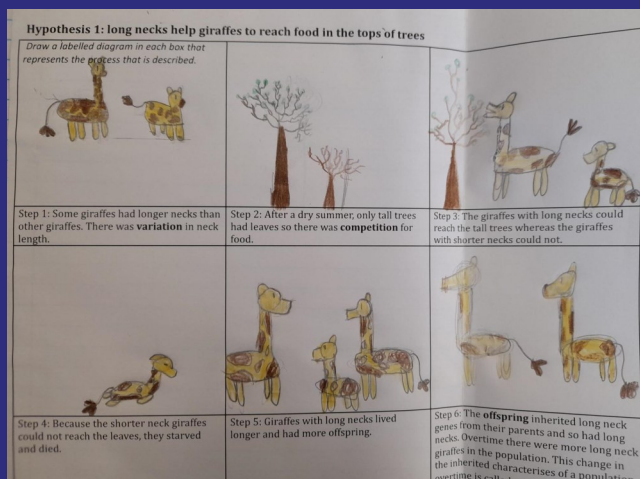
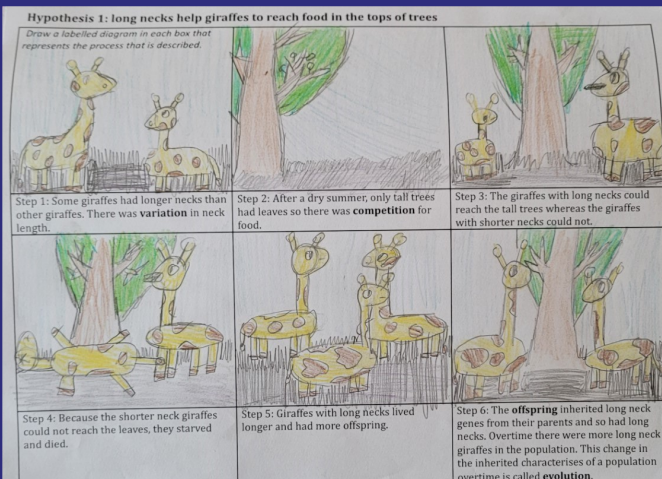
This week, the children in Wisteria have started to look at what we want to be when we grow up. The focus this week, was becoming chefs and making cheese straws.



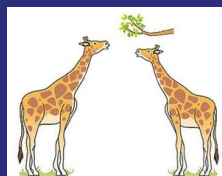
Ash and Willow started a new book this week, Wild by Emily Hughes. The children got to experience what it would be like to live in a forest, building shelters and making brushes to tame their wild hair like in the story. The children had great fun exploring and demonstrated real teamwork.



In Geography, this week Oak class have been learning about the countries that are located in the Arctic Circle. They were able to use an atlas enthusiastically to locate these countries and find them on their own map.



Cedar and Acer work on evolution using giraffes as the example for how they evolved long necks.



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GARDENING CLUB and LUNCH MENU



Aspens



Please see below, our cook's yummy lunch menu for next week and

Just book via Parent Pay and enjoy!

Aspens

**FOOD
FESTIVAL**
by Aspen's

Spring / Summer 2023 :27/2, 20/3, 10/4, 1/5, 22/5, 12/6, 3/7, 24/7

LUNCH WEEK 2 MENU

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



MAIN EVENT



MEAT-FREE MAGIC



PASTA TWIRLER



BIG TOPPING



PICK AND MIX



DESSERT TROLLEY

Margherita Pizza Carrot & Sultana Salad	Beef Burger in a Bun Wedges Sweetcorn	Roast Gammon Roasties Fresh Veg & Gravy	Chicken Curry Whole Grain Rice Cabbage	Golden Fish Fingers (Salmon or Pollock) Chips Beans
Mac n Cheese Carrot & Sultana Salad	Veggie Burger in a Bun Wedges Sweetcorn	Summer Veg Tart Roasties Fresh Veg & Gravy	Sweet Vegetable Curry Whole Grain Rice Cabbage	Cheesy Bean Wrap Chips
Hot Tomato Pasta				
Crispy Skin Jackets with Tasty Toppings				
Pick & Mix Packed Lunch				
Apple Crumble	Vanilla Cup Cake	Chocolate Brownie	Peaches & Ice Cream	Lemon Cookie



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