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Dear Parents/Carers,

It was lovely to see some of you at the Grange this week for our PTA meeting. Thanks to our volunteers, a great programme of stalls and activities has been planned for the Christmas Fayre which will take place on Friday 2nd December 2022. I look forward to sharing more information with you over the next few weeks. In the meantime, please start saving some "silver" for the Fayre as we don't have a card machine! Our aim is for the activities to be affordable for children's pocket money. The craft stalls will be run by local crafting folk and will include more expensive items that parents may wish to purchase for Christmas gifts. Whatever your budget, our aim is for everyone to have a great time in a Christmassy atmosphere.

The children have had a lovely week in school and some of the activities are highlighted below. Attendance has been good overall so the majority of children have been able to be here to participate in these great opportunities. Thank you for your support with encouraging your child's good attendance, especially when it can be hard to get up at the end of the week!

Year 2

Year 2 enjoyed outdoor learning this week becoming scientists looking at micro-habitats in the school grounds.



Year 3

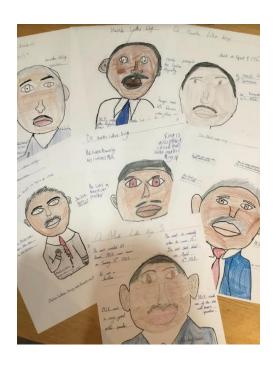
Year 3 have been learning about the role of an archaeologist. They have been examining artefacts from the past and attempting to understand what they might have been used for. It was great fun to try to identify these strange objects!





Year 4

October is 'Black History Month', in order to celebrate the event, Year 4 found out more about Martin Luther King, his life and his belief that not only black people, but all races should always be treated equally, and the significant contributions he made to Civil Rights in America.



Year 4, had a busy last week of term, participating in a 'Frozen in Time' live lesson. Learning about solids, liquids and gases, meeting Antarctic Scientists, learning how they use the properties of each state for their research. The children were fascinated to discover scientists can capture information about our planet dating back to nearly one million years ago!



4W and Miss Walton loved Art Day - Storytelling through drawing. They learnt about artists Laura Carlin and Shaun Tan and how they use illustrations to tell a story. Year 4 used the poem 'The Jabberwocky' by Lewis Carroll as inspiration for storytelling through illustrations. We were all impressed with end results.





Year 5

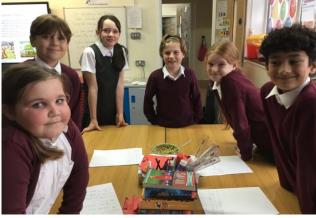
Year 5 are learning about forces.



Year 6

Year Six have had two fantastic days learning all about the Mayans! They learned about how they farm, traded and some of the food they made. We had the chance to make guacamole which was a great success.





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Yours sincerely,

Mrs M. Jackson Headteacher

Diary Dates 2022-2023

Date	Time	Activity
Tuesday 15.11.22		Parents' Evening Face to Face
Wednesday		Parents' Evening Virtual
16.11.22		
Friday 18.11.22	6pm	Snowflake Event at Sacred Heart Church
Monday 21.11.22	5pm	Yr 5 Parents and Pupils PGL meeting
Friday 2.12.22	3.40pm-5.30pm	Christmas Fayre
Friday 9.12.22	9.15am	EYFS Christmas Production
Monday 12.12.22	2.30pm	KS1 Christmas Production
Tuesday 13.12.22	2.30pm	KS1 Christmas Production
Wednesday	1.30pm	KS2 Christmas Carol Concert (Venue TBC)
14.12.22		
Thursday 15.12.22		Christmas Party Day
Friday 16.12.22		Children finish for Christmas
Wednesday 4 th		Return to school Wednesday 4 th January 2023
January 2023		