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"Children First"

2nd February 2024

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Dear Families,

Another busy and exciting week and look who came to see us!



We have all been missing Fleecie since Mrs Saunders went on maternity leave and we were delighted to welcome her back on Tuesday for a visit! Fleecie remembered everyone and her way around; she was very well behaved and gentle with all the children.

Urgent information about Measles

You are probably aware that measles cases in the UK have been rising since November 2023 there has been a large rise in cases in London. The UK Health Security Agency has declared the increase in cases of measles a national incident (19 January 2024). The uptake of the Measles Vaccination (MMR) in London is lower than recommended. Measles is a highly infectious viral disease that can have serious and sometimes fatal consequences. Measles spreads quickly from person to person, especially in schools. Spending more than 15 minutes in direct contact with someone infected with measles is sufficient to transmit the virus. A child with measles will infect almost all unprotected children they have contact with. Measles is spread through coughing and sneezing, close personal contact or direct contact with infected nasal or throat secretions.

If anyone has missed one or both doses of the MMR vaccine, it is not too late to catch up. Please contact your GP practice to book an appointment as soon as possible if you have missed either dose. The MMR vaccine is free on the NHS, whatever your age. Our best protection against measles is MMR vaccination and this will help stop outbreaks occurring in the community.





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In addition further advice and guidance can be found here:

Measles –Protect yourself and others


https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/689712/Measles_adults_DL_Leaflet_03_.pdf

What to do if you think your child has measles and when to keep them off school

<https://educationhub.blog.gov.uk/2024/01/22/what-to-do-if-you-think-your-child-has-measles-and-when-to-keep-them-off-school/>

Something for half term?

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Police Engagement Forty Hall

Enfield Police are hosting an engagement event at Forty Hall for families to attend and enjoy. There will be:

- Police Horses
- Police Dogs
- Local Police Team
- Recruitment
- Taser Officer
- Inflatables
- Face Painting
- Food Van
- Ice Cream Van

13th February 2024 from 11am till 3pm

In Association With:





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Top Tips for SATs
Reported by Khalid, Jay and Ceren

Next week, Year 6 will be having a SATs mock test. Here are some top tips on help you feel prepared and confident:

- *Go to bed early and get a good night sleep
- *Eat a sensible breakfast before school
- *Revise areas you may not feel confident in
- *Talk to a trusted adult if you are worried

Read All About It!
Reported by Mamadou

At Fleecefield, we take reading very seriously and know how important it is for us. Please check out the 3 websites on your Google Classroom, where you can access a variety of stories and audio stories. The more you read, the more you learn!

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Fleecefield Primary School were visited by the police. They informed us about how to keep safe in our community and online.

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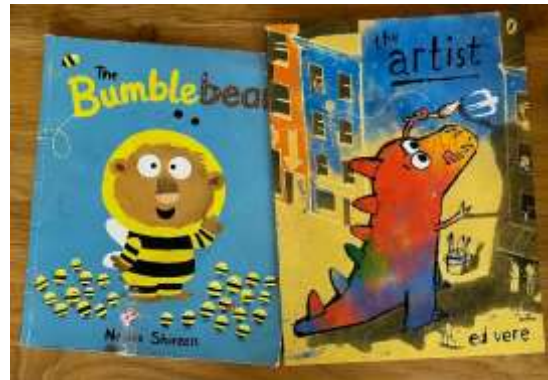
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Our book recommendations this week...

So many recommendations this week, just what we need with half term coming soon – well done everyone! Edmonton Library here we come!



Some familiar books and some new ones!

Laura's Secret by Klaus Baumgart recommended by Gillian.

Little Mouse Finds a Friend by Gaby Goldsack recommended by Jessica from her own collection!

One Tiny Turtle by Nicola Davies recommended by Chrysolithe.

The Artist by Ed Vere recommended by Shaniaya and all about mistakes!

The Bumble Bear by Nadia Shireen recommended by Julia, also from her own collection.

The Sheep-Pig by Dick King-Smith recommended by Kendra, Elif and Yasra.





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Mad, Bad and Dangerously Haddock by Andrew Fusek Peters, a collection of hilarious poems, recommended by Sayyid, Hanaan and Rihanna. Sayyid's favourite was In Training.

Finally, one of my favourites, Being Me by Liz Brownlee, Matt Goodfellow and Laura Mucha, another poetry collection, recommended by Ceren, look out for Friend and Kindness.

Thank you to all our recommenders!!!

Sports Personality of the week!

This week's Sports Personality of the week is... **Can** (Grey)

Can has been the model sporting student this week. On Tuesday, Grey Class continued working on their tennis lesson. Mr. Samuel was overly impressed with Can's ability to read different tennis situations throughout matches while competing with other children. He was able to showcase and effect forehand and backhand techniques, learnt in previous lessons, helping him become successful in different activities. Can has also improved his attitude massively in and around the school, especially in the playground during break times and lunchtimes. Mr. Samuel is also looking forward to seeing Can representing Fleecefield in many more sporting opportunities throughout the year.

Keep up the great work Can!

Attendance Success!

Wow! Pink Class 100%

WOW! Orange Class 100%

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely,

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