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HURST GREEN NEWS

FRIDAY 26th JUNE

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had contact with your child's teacher this week, as they have been making calls to see how those of you at home are getting along. You are doing a great job in a situation, which has lasted much longer than I think we anticipated. Motivation is very challenging and the heat will not have helped concentration this week. Please remember that mental health is the priority – there are many different ways to help your child learn. Have a look at the plans, do the work with your child and take breaks when you need to. We know how hard it is and we are doing all we can to support you from here.

Miss Flack

Reminder

Please remember to send your child in with a bottle of water - which they have access to all day. Also, please apply sunscreen and a hat. Thanks!

Nursery places in September

We have our last few places available so don't delay – give us a call today on 01580 860375 to guarantee your sessions for September.

Nursery

This week has been all about water! We have been melting ice to see what happens and how long it takes. We read 'The Jolly Octopus' and talked about where he lives. We made fountains, waterfalls and whirlpools where he could have a happy life!

Willow

This week we have read the story of Little Red Riding Hood. As well as retelling the story, we have focused on wolves. We did some research on them and then created our own information leaflets about them. In Maths, we have been learning about measurement. We have also created our own 'water park' in our outside area - as it has been so hot!

Silver Birch

This week we have been finding out all about wolves and we made a leaflet to show what we have learned. In Maths, the Year 1's have been measuring length and the Year 2's have been doing multiplication. We have done some lovely experiments, including a walking water experiment (see photos). We have done some reading in the shade too!

Chestnut

We have been adding and subtracting fractions and decimals this week. We have also been writing non-chronological reports on a topic of our choice. Our designers have also made their own dream catchers and painted pebbles with messages of kindness.

Maple

In Maple Class we have been adding decimal numbers together and placing them in order along a number line. We have also started looking at percentages. In English we have been writing non-chronological reports about our dragons and have started planning a report on a subject of our own choice. These have ranged from helicopters to Star Wars! In our topic work we have planned to create our pneumatic dragon heads but sadly Amazon has let us down so we are still waiting for the resources to realise our designs 😞

Oak

We have had French week in Oak! We have counted to 100, learnt greetings, animals, colours, done some role play in a café and have played Jaques a dit! In Maths we have been learning all about algebra and equations. We have written character descriptions in English, using direct and indirect characterisation.

SOME OF THE HOME LEARNING THAT WE HAVE RECEIVED THIS WEEK

WORD PARTY

Hungry words eating dinner,
Starving words getting thinner,
Smart words put on ties,
Bad words telling lies
Pretty words put on lip stick,
Naughty words playing a trick,
Sweet words hand out poppies,
Small words clean their copies,
Mean words scream and shout,
Cool words hang about,
Rich words throw around their money,
Grandpa words say how are you sonny,
Tall words bend over,
Song words sing the white cliffs of dover,
Dirty words spreading slime,
Clever words made this rhyme,
Cute words beg with puppy eyes,
Sad words say their goodbyes,
Kind words give out farewell posies...
Snap! The dictionary closes.

I received this amazing poem from Lizzie who has been looking at the work of Richard Edwards.

She has used some powerful language and revised and edited her work before publishing, well done Lizzie 😊

Miss Hughes

Poppy made this paper mache model of Mars! Well done Poppy



We designed and painted our own t-shirts LAST week, but Mrs Fountain forgot to attach this picture!

Mrs Stelfox

SOME SCHOOL PICTURES



In Silver Birch we made water walk and saw what happened.

It was a great experiment!



Some pictures of Willow having fun making water structures.

