

Flookburgh C of E School Newsletter

Monday 23rd November 2020



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Headteacher Message:

Dear Parents and Families,

Another super week in school for everyone, as you will see from the fab photos on our Facebook page. Classes 1 and 2 loved being out in the wet weather – how else could you make a real-life mud slide, without some proper mud! If you haven't yet watched the video of 'The Mud Monsters', please take a look as it is sure to put a smile on your face!

Key Stage 2 had a great morning of making bird-feeders out of pine cones, lard and seed; they look lovely hanging in our woodland and, I'm sure, are much appreciated by our wild birds as the weather turns colder.

Finally, a huge thank you for everyone who has donated outdoor resources for Classes 1 and 2 to use; if you haven't had chance to check out what has been asked for, check out the list on our Facebook page. The children and staff have some very imaginative ideas so will be putting all donations to very good use.

Finally, just a quick reminder, please can I ask that all children come to school during the colder weather with a coat and warm clothing. If you could impress on your children, especially if they walk or bike to school themselves, to make sure they pack their coat even if they don't want to wear one on their journey to school – thank you.

As always, take care and stay safe everyone,

Gill Pett (Headteacher)

PHOTO GALLERY



CLASS WINNERS!



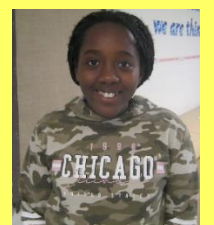
HUGE Congratulations to this week's Class Champions:

Class 1: Sadie Bushell for being a great friend.

Class 2: Edie Crowe for trying hard this week.

Class 3: Zac Walton for working hard and trying his best.

Class 4: Debra Nyamai for her amazing tension building in her incredible story.



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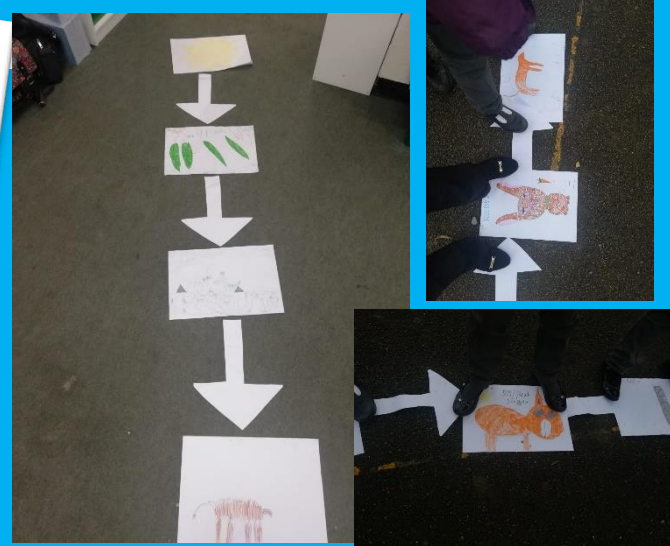
Wild Wednesday – Creating Bird Feeders with KS2



Food Chains

Class 3 have been enjoying their Science learning about 'Animals, including Humans' and made a fantastic life-sized food chain this week!

The children have learnt the terms: Producer, Consumer, Prey and Predator and understand which animals eat what in our food chain. Well done Class 3 – your drawings were fantastic!



Class of the week – Class 1

We have had a great week in Class 1. Our class book 'welcome to our world' has inspired us to make 'fishy friends', this is to celebrate Children's day in China!

We also looked at Diwali and made our own bright and colourful patterns.

We have enjoyed playing outside, rain or shine and (as always) getting a little muddy! Well done, Class 1!



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Breakfast club

with Mrs Shaw and Mrs Pett.
8.00am – 8.45am.

Payment via ParentPay.



NHS Test and Trace App

The national NHS Test and Trace App is now available for people over the age of 16 years and can be found at: <https://covid19.nhs.uk/>

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS



Unfortunately, clubs are now postponed, due to Government advice and in regards to the current Lockdown. We apologise for any inconvenience caused. We hope to begin Clubs again, as soon as possible and when the time is safe and right.

Please contact the school if you have any questions/queries regarding this. Thank you for your understanding.

Attendance Week Ending: Friday 13th November 2020

Class 1	98.63%
Class 2	97.49%
Class 3	98.13%
Class 4	98.42%

Whole School: 98.28%

Internet Safety Link for your information and records:

INTERNET SAFETY LINKS:



<https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety->

National Online Safety Details:

- www.nationalonlinesafety.com
- Twitter - @natonlinesafety
- Facebook - /NationalOnlineSafety
- Phone - 0800 368 8061

Adverse Weather School Closure Procedure:

We shall send a text message to notify you of a school closure as early as possible on the day; further information about school closures can also be found on the Cumbria County Council website:

https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/school_closures

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NEW 'HELP IS HERE' CAMPAIGN FOR PARENTS AND FAMILIES:

[Help is Here](#) campaign being run by the council and its partners which signposts people to a range of support available in the county who may be struggling, be that financially or with mental health issues due to the current circumstances.

The link for the above service can be found at: <https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/welfare/>

'CONTACT A FAMILY' FOR PARENTS AND FAMILIES:

Contact a Family provides support, advice and information for families with disabled children (0–19 years of age), no matter what their condition or disability. The service is part of the national charity Contact a Family, the leading provider of advice, information and support to parents and carers of disabled children.

The link for the above service can be found at: <https://contact.org.uk/>

LATEST GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE & INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-in-the-autumn-term>

DEPARTMENT FOR EDUCATION (COVID-19) HELPLINE:

Phone: 0800 046 8687

Opening hours:

Monday to Friday from 8am to 6pm

CUMBRIA COUNTY COUNCIL COVID-19 UPDATES:

The link below shows the tracking of the virus within our county

<https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/publichealth/covid19outbreakcontrol.asp>

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