

ARLECDON PRIMARY SCHOOL



FRIDAY 2ND DECEMBER 2022

As it is now December the Christmas excitement has heightened.

We have decorations creeping in across the school.

It really is a wonderful time of year and we have many wonderful activities planned.

Our Christmas show is completely sold out!

We are committed to promoting a love of reading, our children do get to read within the school day and we are always working to improve our collection of books.

Please do read at home with your children, allow them to choose their books and discuss the books with them, find a quiet space for this and make it part of your daily routine.

We would love to hear about the books children are reading at home and we will share pupil recommendations.

The school is full of chocolate from our non-uniform event today, it will be a deliciously indulgent prize, please do purchase raffle tickets!

Have a lovely weekend,

Sophie McCabe

CALENDAR

09/12/22

Nursery (over 3 years old)-Year 6 going to watch the Pantomime

14/12/22

Whole school Christmas performance at Rosehill theatre, show starts at 4pm

16/12/22

Christmas Jumper+ Dinner day+ Craft Day

19/12/22

Christingle service at St Michael's church

20/12/22

School finishes for half term 1pm

04/01/22

School starts back after half term

ATTENDANCE

REC -86.25% YR1 -96% YR2 -97.5% YR3 -100%

YR4 –72.5% YR5 –83.33% YR6 –98.89% W/S –92.14%



Chocolate Donations



A huge thank you to everyone that donated chocolate today.

There will be more information regarding raffle tickets sent out next week.

Craft Club

This week we were making snowmen out of socks filled with rice and making hats from wool and cardboard.

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EYFS

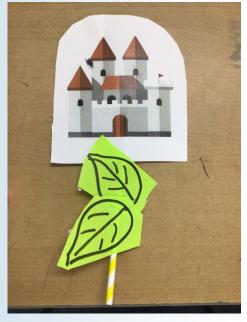
This week we have continued traditional tales with Jack and the Beanstalk. We read a traditional version of the story and then introduced a newer alternative version called Jack and the Jellybean Stalk. We have introduced the Write Stuff writing process and within this we have Grandma Fantastic who brings words in her basket. She brought some new words as alternatives to sad. These included broken hearted, gloomy, devastated. Then some of our reception children used their own alternative to i sad in a writing task.

The children have also planted their own beans, but they know that it will take a little longer than overnight for them to produce a beanstalk.

We have also welcomed Christmas to the classroom when we decorated our tree.













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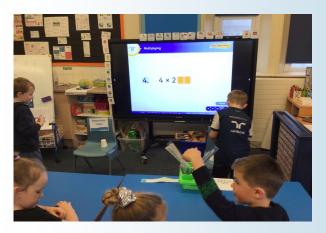
This week we were looking at artefacts from the 1666 the Great fire of London and acting out real maths stories to learn how to multiply.

















GOOD WORK ASSEMBLY



Each week children from each class are selected as 'Stars of the week'
We celebrate this in our assemblies
These young people were awarded certificates this week.

EYFS

Harry

Harry was star of the week this week for his fantastic reading skills.



Key Stage 2

Leo and Heidi

Leo was star of the week for his Performance and acting skills in play practice.

Heidi was star of the week for her amazing writing in English.



Key Stage 1

T-Jay

T-Jay was star of the week this week for his fantastic effort and dance moves in PE.

