



You may have noticed the ‘Barista Boys’ coffee van at the top of Florence Place – what a pleasant surprise to cheer up the school run, and we are grateful to them for keeping the area clean and tidy as well as for the delicious coffee! Please take care with hot drinks around the children.

Please ensure we have updated details for you in the school office so that we can always get in touch, especially if there is an emergency.

I had the pleasure to be invited to hear the Dolphin orchestra this week. They showed so much musicality and were so proud of their efforts. I’ve also had many children bring me their writing (I had a lovely poem from someone in Reception) as well as other learning. I have the best job in the world!

Dr Mitchell

Diary Dates: *(New dates will be in red)*

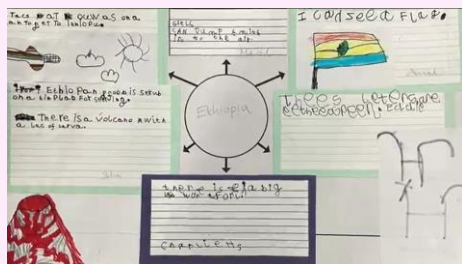
- Friday 4th February Website Photos **and Police visit for Reception**
- Thursday 10 February, Bedtime Story Club
- 14-18 February, Half Term, school closed to pupils
- Monday 21 February, INSET, school closed to pupils
- Week beginning 28 February, Parent/Carer consultations – either in person or by phone Mon/Wed
- Sunday 6 March – DIS takes over Junior Parkrun!
- 11 April – 22 April inclusive – Easter holidays
- Wed 27 April, class photos

Learning Round Up

In music this week, Reception listened to a South African lullaby and found the pulse of the music. We then all took an instrument and tried out some rhythms. We are SO proud of our amazing musicians! They behaved so beautifully with the instruments and played them brilliantly.

Year 1 have been inspired by documentary maker David Attenborough and made films about African Countries. Thank you to parents and carers who have contributed.

Year 2 used drama to find out about how the Great Fire of London was tackled and understand now how important the developments in fire safety were. They also looked at some real artifacts from the time of the Great Fire which were found by our own Ms Nunnally.



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Chair of Champions

George, Puffin; Nefeli, Hedgehog; Monty, Fox; Teddy, Owls;
Berry, Puffin; Alice, Owl; Frank, Hedgehogs;
Charlie H-S, Squirrels.



Well done all!

