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Mr Osborne's News



It has been another busy and exciting week at Revoe Learning Academy, with lots of opportunities for our children to learn, perform, reflect and represent our school community.

We would also like to extend a very warm welcome to the many new children and families who have joined us over the past few weeks. We are delighted that you have become part of our community and hope you have already experienced the friendliness and sense of belonging that makes Revoe such a special place. Welcome to the RLA family - we are very pleased to have you with us.

This week, we marked Kindness Day across school. The children have spent time thinking about what kindness means and the positive impact it can have on others. Kindness is one of our core values and something we believe is incredibly important. We encourage our children to show kindness every day and we would love these conversations to continue at home too.

As part of Kindness Day, volunteers from the NSPCC delivered their Speak Out, Stay Safe workshops, helping children understand how to keep themselves safe and where to go for support if they ever need it. Thank you to Liz Thomas and Ann Scott from the NSPCC for leading these valuable sessions.

Thank you also to everyone who supported our non-uniform day and cake sale. Your generous donations of cakes and biscuits helped us raise a fantastic amount for the NSPCC. We will let you know the final total once everything has been counted. A huge thank you to Miss Finlay and Mrs Ratcliff for organising the day.

Yesterday was International Poetry Day. Learning poetry helps children build confidence, improve their speaking skills and develop creativity. KS2 performed their poems yesterday, while Reception and KS1 performed today. Every class did a brilliant job and should be very proud of themselves. Thank you to Mrs Coburn for organising such a wonderful event.

Yesterday, Year 6 enjoyed a visit to Abbeystead Estate, where they took part in outdoor learning activities and developed their understanding of the natural environment. They had a fantastic day!. Thank you to the Year 6 team and everyone who supported the visit.

Some of our Year 6 children also represented Revoe at the Stanley Park Centenary Celebrations, performing Oh, I Do Like to Be Beside the Seaside alongside pupils from other local schools. They were fantastic ambassadors for our school and made us very proud. Thank you to Mrs Bond and the Year 6 team for organising and supporting the visit.

Our LG2 children performed their Harvest Assembly this morning in front of their families and the rest of the school. They did an amazing job and showed great confidence throughout. Thank you to everyone who donated food. The donations will be delivered to the Salvation Army to support members of our local community. Thank you to Ms McLoughlin, the LG team and all the parents who came along to support the children.

Finally, a reminder about the importance of attendance. Attendance has been positive across school this week, although we have seen a dip today. Every day counts. School is full of exciting learning opportunities, visits, performances and special events, and children can only benefit from these experiences if they are here. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring children attend regularly and arrive on time, ready to learn.

Have a lovely weekend!

Dates for the Diary 2026

Monday 5th October - Library Week

Wednesday 7th October- Year 1 Showtown trip

Monday 12th October- Spanish Day

Monday 12th October- Year 5 and 6 careers event

Tuesday 13th October- Year 2 Tower Trip

Thursday 15th October - Year 5 Grand Theatre Trip

Wednesday 4th November - Year 1 RWI Drop In



HEAD LICE CHECK

Parents & Guardians,

Please check your child's hair regularly for head lice

Bikes

Our bike shed is now open and ready to use. Please do not leave bikes or scooters chained to railings or parked around the school site, particularly near staff and visitor parking areas. If your child brings a bike or scooter to school, please ensure it is placed in the bike shed where it can be stored safely and securely during the day.

Thank you for your support in helping us keep the school site safe and tidy for everyone.



Learning at RLA!



Reception

This week, Reception have been learning about the different parts of the body and discovering where they are located. The children have also thoroughly enjoyed reading and exploring the story Owl Babies. Inspired by the book, they created their own beautiful little owls, showing great creativity and care. Well done, Reception, for all your hard work and enthusiasm this week!

Year 1

This week in History, our Year 1 children have been learning all about the fascinating history of Blackpool Tower! We have enjoyed lots of hands-on exploring and have been discovering some of the exciting attractions that could once be found inside the tower, including the aquarium and circus. The children have loved finding out what life was like in the past and comparing these attractions with what we can experience today!



Year 2

It has been a busy and exciting time in Year 2!

In Art, our artists have been exploring the world around us and using it as inspiration for our drawings. We have been looking carefully at the things we see every day and thinking about how we can turn them into interesting pictures. We have enjoyed being creative and developing our drawing skills along the way! 🎨

In Geography, we have been learning all about aerial views. We have been looking at places from above and thinking about what they look like from a bird's-eye view. This has helped us to develop our map skills and get ready for our exciting trip to Blackpool Tower! 🗺️🏰

We can't wait to put our Geography skills to the test and see Blackpool from high above! What an exciting adventure we have ahead of us! ★

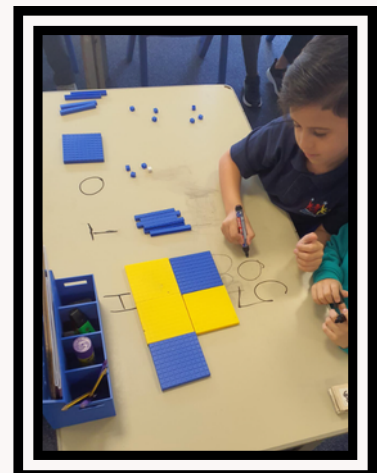


Year 3

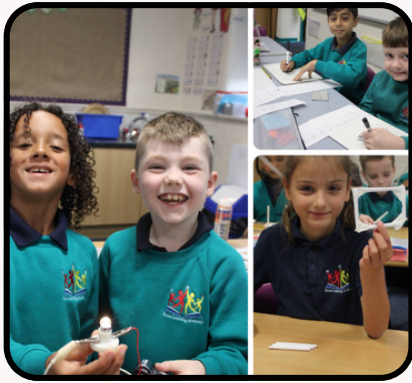
It has been another busy and exciting week of learning in Year 3!

Our Mathematicians have been exploring how three-digit numbers change when increased by one, ten or one hundred. We have used lots of concrete resources, including base-ten equipment, as well as drawing representations on our tables. The children have loved using these resources to explain and show how numbers change when we add different amounts.

In Science, our Scientists have continued our exploration into rocks and soils. We have carried out lots of exciting investigations, including exploring which rocks are the least permeable. Why not ask us what permeable means?



Let's see what our children have been getting up to...



Year 4

Year 4 have had a fantastic couple of weeks! We won our TT Rockstars battle against Devonshire and will soon be receiving our trophy 🏆 In DT, we have been exploring how to make strong and stable structures, while in maths we have been learning to round numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1,000. Our swimming lessons are going brilliantly, with the children showing fantastic behaviour and following instructions so well that our swimming teacher described us as the best school they had worked with that week! 🌟 In science, we have also been investigating electrical circuits and becoming more confident at building our own. Great work year 4!

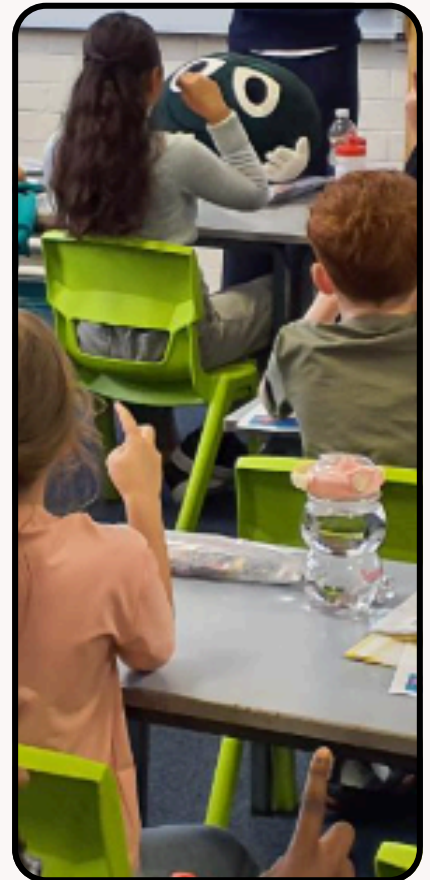
Year 5

This week, we celebrated World Kindness Day. As part of the celebrations, year 5 were fortunate to welcome the NSPCC into school to deliver an engaging and informative workshop for our children.

The workshop helped children to understand the importance of speaking out, staying safe, and knowing their rights. Through a range of real-life scenarios, pupils explored how to make safe choices both online and within their local community. They discussed the difference between safe and unsafe social interactions and learnt practical strategies for protecting themselves in different situations.

A key message from the workshop was that kindness is not only about how we treat others, but also about how we look after ourselves. Children learnt the importance of keeping themselves safe, identifying trusted adults they can talk to if they have concerns, and understanding how they can support others who may be experiencing difficulties.

The session prompted thoughtful discussions and provided our pupils with valuable knowledge and skills that will help them to stay safe and make positive choices both now and in the future.



Year 6

Year 6 have been developing their gymnastics skills by creating and performing sequences that combine movement, balances and holds. We have been building confidence and control, with pupils challenging themselves to hold strong body positions and move smoothly between them. This week, we have also introduced some aspirational partner balances, encouraging teamwork, trust and creativity as pupils work together to produce increasingly impressive routines!

Learning at RLA!

Learning Garden 1

What a lovely way to end our week! Today, the children in LGI enjoyed making their own cakes. They had lots of fun exploring the ingredients, mixing, stirring, and decorating their creations.

The baking activity provided opportunities for the children to develop their communication, turn-taking, fine motor, and sensory exploration skills while having fun with their friends. We were so proud of how engaged everyone was and how well they participated throughout the activity. We hope you enjoy hearing all about their baking adventures at home. Have a wonderful weekend!



Learning Garden 2

Learning Garden 2 have been enjoying some fantastic Attention Autism sessions. These sessions help us to stay regulated, develop our attention and listening skills, and become more engaged during lessons. The children have loved taking part in the exciting activities and are growing in confidence as they focus and join in with learning alongside their peers.



RLA Attendance

Weekly Class Attendance

3TC - 98.3%

1LD/GJ - 98.2%

Learning Garden KS1 - 98.0%

3NP - 97.3%

1MK - 97.1%

6AC - 96.2%

4EG - 96.1%

Learning Garden KS2 - 94.2%

2JC - 93.7%

5AH - 93.6%

RCR - 93.5%

5MW - 92.6%

6SH - 92.3%

2OF - 91.6%

RLM - 91.2%

4JK - 86.4%

Well done to everyone who has arrived at school on time every day this week- you are all superstars!! Congratulations to this week's prize winners!

Remember, at the end of this half term all children who have achieved over 95% attendance be awarded with the first attendance badge for this year. All children who arrive to school every day, on time are entered into the weekly prize draw and we have lots of fab prizes to be won!!!

Congratulations to 3TC who have had an excellent week and achieved the highest-class attendance at 98.3% well done everybody!!!



**Well done to all our
Amazing students this
week, but special thanks
to our Star Of The Week**

RCR - Iacov-Andrei
RLM - Kaysen-Isaac
1MK - Jahvarni
1GJ/LD - Haram
2OF - Zaheera
2JC - Jaxon
3TC - Mishal
3NP - Madison
4JK - Tommy
4EG - Rihan
5AH - David
5MW - Olivia
6SH - Estera
6AC - Jannatul
Learning Garden 1 - Noah
Learning Garden 2 - Coby



Liz and Ann from the NSPCC held "Speak Out. Stay Safe" delivered workshops for years two, five and six this week.

The children were very engaged in the workshops and benefitted from this invaluable support,

Liz and Ann said how great the children were and complimented them on their contributions to the workshops.

For further information here is the link for the NSPCC [Your paragraph text](#)

If you have any questions or support is needed please don't hesitate to contact any member of staff or Mrs Rose.





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