



Friday Flyer 8th Dec 2023



Dear parents & carers,

The children have had a wonderful week enjoying their Christmas lunch on Wednesday and doing their gift shopping at the PTA Christmas shop today. We hope you thoroughly enjoy their purchases! Thank you to everyone that helped make it such a special event.

School photographs have all been handed out and we hope you'll agree Claire Tregaskis Photography did a wonderful job once again. She will be at St Peter's church next week taking photographs of the children as they perform in their roles. If you wish that your children are not photographed, please ensure you let Tracy know. Also, you are most welcome to take your own photographs, but we kindly request these are not put on to social media if you have captured other children within the image.

We are looking forward to the penultimate week, enjoying all of the Christmas celebrations, craft making, and singing taking place within school.

We hope you all have a wonderful, peaceful and relaxed weekend.

Kind regards,

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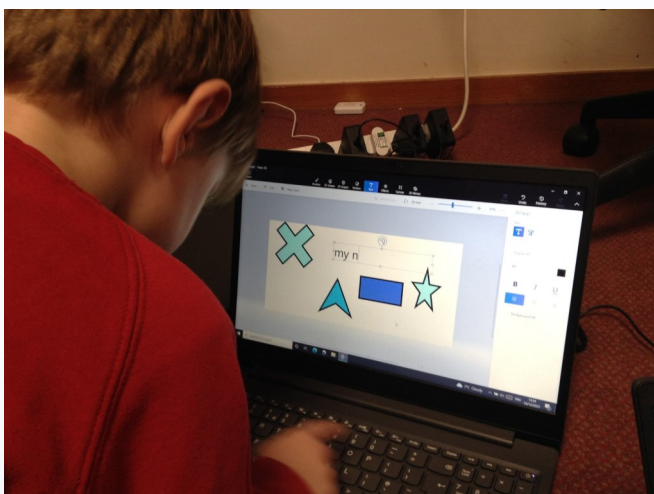
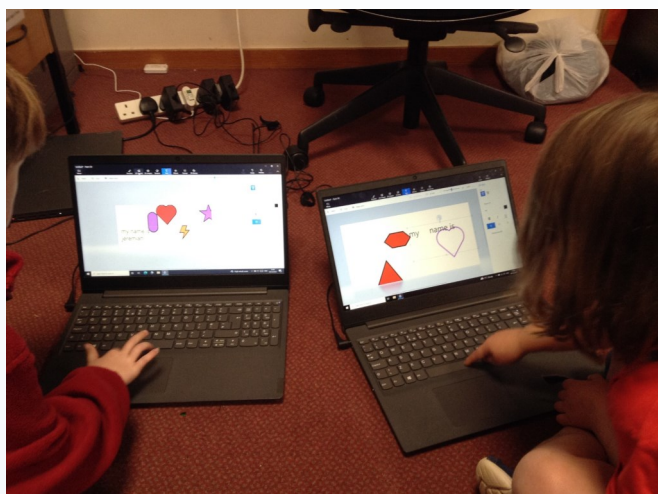


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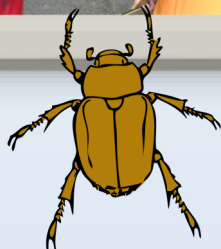
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This week in Year 1 for computing we continued working on 'Paint 3D'. We had a go at drawing 2D shapes (using our maths knowledge to name the shapes) and changing the colour of the shapes and the outline colour of the shapes. We then learnt to type on the keyboard. We had a go at writing 'my name is...' thinking about how we got spaces between words and what to do if we had to delete a letter. We all did really well.



In science in Year 2 we went outside this week to explore microhabitats. We had great fun looking under leaves, rocks and logs to see what mini-beasts we could find.



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This week in Ladywell, we have continued to reinforce our knowledge of the inverse relationship between multiplication and division by using arrays to model both operations. We have also continued to sing, say, write and rehearse our times tables facts in just about any way possible!



THANK YOU

To our wonderful PTA and the catering staff for our amazing Christmas lunch.

We all thoroughly enjoyed it.



Star of The Week

- Hillhead: Renesmee (and 1 star each for the pre-schoolers who have been amazing in our school this week!)
- Ennaton: Alexander
- Dunwell: Freddie
- Ladywell: Huw
- Venn: Harry
- Earlscombe: Chloe G



Flapjack Fridays

If your child would like to join in with getting a Friday Flapjack treat for the Spring Term, please pay the £3.30 fee via School Gateway asap and by the 2nd January. This will then be closed and will not be reopened.



Adams Multi Sports Club

The last one will be on Wednesday 14th Dec.



Save the Children

We had our National Christmas Jumper day yesterday and the children looked fabulous! You have raised £159.50 so far,

THANK YOU SO MUCH!

I will leave the donations pot open for a few more days for you to make a contribution to this amazing day.

Ivybridge food hub

An Affordable Food Club

Feeling the pinch? Why not join our food club and save up to 60% on supermarket prices. Only £5 donation per bag!

Tuesdays 2.30pm to 4pm at
St John's Church Hall, Blatchford Road,
Ivybridge, PL21 0AD
Community Cooking Club 11.30am - 2pm
Warm Hub 10am -12pm & 2pm - 4pm
email info@feedingdevon.org.uk



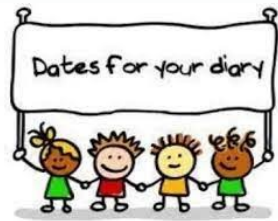
Photographs



Claire Tregaskis Photography will be taking photos at the carol concerts. She will upload these to her website, www.clairetregaskis.co.uk, where you will be able to download them for a small fee of £2 each (money collected will go to the PTA). If you don't want your child to be photographed please let us know.

You are welcome to take photo's but these must not be put onto social media up online in any form.

Thank you.



Date	Event
Thurs 14th Dec	Christmas Concert in St Peter's Church 4.00pm
Fri 15th Dec	Christmas Concert in St Peter's Church 09.30am
Mon 18th Dec	Pantomime in school
Weds 20th Dec— 2nd Jan 2024 inc	Christmas Holiday
Weds 3rd Jan 2024	First Day Back Spring Term
Mon 12th—19th inc Feb	Half Term
Tue 20th Feb	First Day Back
Fri 29th Mar—12th Apr Inc	Easter Holiday
Mon 15th April	First Day Back Summer Term
May 6th	Bank Holiday—School Closed
Mon 13th—Fri 17th	Grenville House residential week for our year 4's.
May Mon 20th— Fri 24th	DTC residential week for our year 6's
Mon 27th—Fri 31st May	Half Term
Mon 3rd June	First Day Back
Mon 24th June— Tues 25th June	Dittisham residential for our year 5's
Weds 17th July— Thurs 18th July	East Soar residential for our year 3's
Fri 19th July 2024	Last Day of Term



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