



Friday Flyer 26th Jan 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is so lovely to see the sun shining today, let's hope it continues for us all this weekend so we can get outside in the beautiful South Hams surroundings.

What an assortment of learning we have been doing this week: junk modelling, ceiling paintings, gymnastics and Spanish— our children embrace all the learning they have with such passion and enthusiasm.

Please remember we are trying a new nit busting challenge— could you please all wash, condition and nit comb your child's hair on Monday night. In order to break the cycle, doing it at the same time helps to make a difference.

A letter has come home today for the year 1-6 children to go to Paignton Zoo. Can you please complete the slip and return it as soon as possible. The PTA are kindly funding the coach for this trip.

I do hope you all have a fabulous, restful weekend.

Kind regards,

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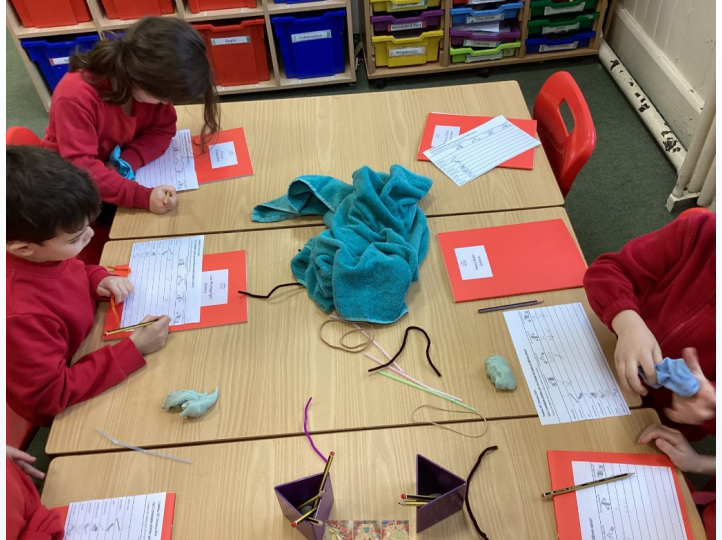
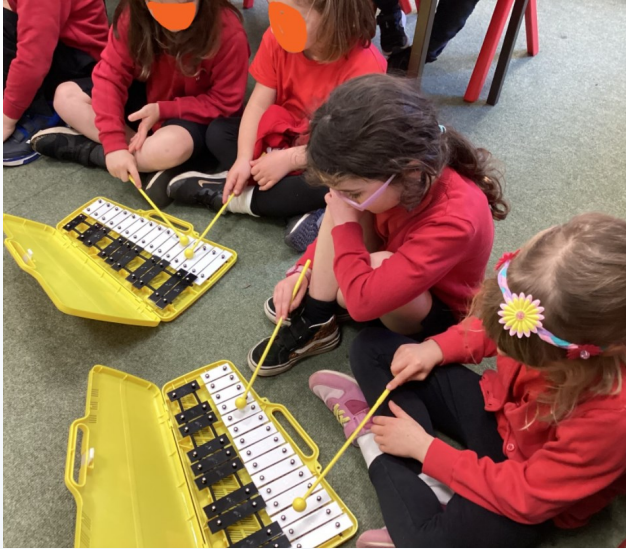
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In music in Year 1 and Year 2 we used the glockenspiels to play two different notes. We had to play the notes to form the instrumental part of a song we have been learning to sing. We did really well and had a lot of fun!

In Year 2 in science this week we have been investigating the properties of different materials. With a selection of items made of different materials we had to see if we could bend, twist, stretch and squash them. We talked about why you could change the shape of some but not others.



In Ladywell, we have recently had a go at creating replicas of some Indus Valley artefacts, including a primitive whistle and ancient seals which are thought to have been tied to sacks of goods by farmers/merchants. We have worked as history detectives to think carefully about what certain artefacts might tell us about daily life in the Indus Valley.



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Star of The Week

- Hillhead: Freddie
- Ennaton: Josie-Rose
- Dunwell: James
- Ladywell: Flissy
- Venn: Dillon
- Earlscombe: Libby



Absence

Please remember to contact school before 09.50am to report your child's absence. You can call 01752 892489 and leave a message on the absence line, or you can email admin@ugborough-primary.devon.sch.uk. This will save Tracy calling you to enquire why your child isn't in school.

Thank you.



Mufti Day

Thursday 7th March

Dress up as your favourite book character for the day.

Residential Trips

Please continue to pay money off your child's residential trip in order to bring the balance down. It's less than 4 months before the first trip to Grenville House!

The Mossy Carpet and Dartmoor's Dynamic Landscapes come to Ivybridge

A free opportunity for all to join in with The Mossy Carpet and to tell us what you think about the nature around Ivybridge.

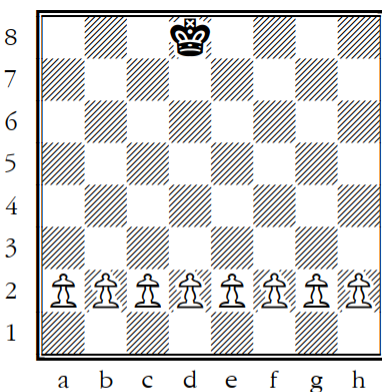
**Ivybridge Library,
The Watermark, PL21 0SZ
8th - 14th February**

Pop in during library open hours to help us make the mossy carpet and leave your views about how you access nature.



An area-based partnership supported by National Lottery Heritage Fund and led by Dartmoor National Park Authority, RSPB, Sustrans and the Woodland Trust.

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Chess Club

I know this was a really popular choice - and some of you weren't able to join. However, there is no reason you can't learn how to play at home (perhaps a parent, relative or grandparent would be keen to teach you!).

Since beginning the club, we have learned about how some of the pieces move (the King, Knight, Pawns) and we played some games to challenge each other using only these pieces! If you want to learn chess at home, there are lots of books and websites that will help you. Ask Mr Kellas for ideas and if you look on the Internet, remember to always ask an adult for permission first.

Level 1: ♖ ♗ ♘ ♙ ♚ vs. ♜

Level 2: ♖ ♗ ♘ ♙ ♚ vs. ♜ ♝

Level 3: ♖ ♗ ♘ ♙ ♚ vs. ♜ ♝ ♞ ♟

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Headlice are in our school- Please help!

- **We would like a whole school approach to try and combat Headlice.**
- **We are asking that everyone nit combs their children's hair on a Monday night: wash, condition and nit comb.**
- **We will be messaging everyone on a Monday afternoon as a reminder to help us all.**

How to get rid of head lice

Treat head lice as soon as you spot them. You can treat head lice without seeing a GP.

You should check everyone in the house and start treating anyone who has head lice on the same day.

There's no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice.

Wet combing

Lice and nits can be removed by wet combing.

You can buy a special fine-toothed comb (detection comb) online or from pharmacies to remove head lice and nits.

There may be instructions on the pack, but usually you:

wash hair with ordinary shampoo

apply lots of conditioner (any conditioner will do)

comb the whole head of hair, from the roots to the ends

It usually takes about 10 minutes to comb short hair, and 20 to 30 minutes for long, frizzy or curly hair.

Do wet combing on days 1, 5, 9 and 13 to catch any newly hatched head lice. Check again that everyone's hair is free of lice on day 17.

Medicated lotions and sprays

If wet combing has not worked, or is not suitable, you could try a medicated lotion or spray. These kill head lice in all types of hair, and you can buy them from pharmacies, supermarkets or online.

Some treatments are not recommended because they're unlikely to work.

For example:

products containing permethrin

head lice "repellents"

electric combs for head lice

tree and plant oil treatments, such as tea tree oil, eucalyptus oil and lavender oil herbal remedies

You cannot prevent head lice

There's nothing you can do to prevent head lice.

You can help stop them spreading by wet or dry combing regularly to catch them early.

Do not use medicated lotions and sprays to prevent head lice. They can irritate the scalp.

There's no need for children to stay off school .

Thank you for your support.

Friends of Ugborough

We are delighted to invite you to join us for a Safari Supper adventure in and around the wild landscape of Ugborough Village on March 2, 2024! Pack your appetite and embark on a culinary expedition with us – it's going to be a feast of untamed flavours and wild encounters.

You will receive a letter one week before the event letting you know which course of the meal you will host. On the night you will embark on a culinary adventure as you travel to other homes for the other courses. Your journey details will be revealed as the evening progresses.

This Safari Supper is not just about indulging in delectable dishes but also about meeting new people, sharing stories, and having a lot of fun. It's a fantastic opportunity to experience the warmth and hospitality of the Ugborough community.

Enter as a couple, or a group of 2/3 friends via Google form: <http://tinyurl.com/Safari-supper>

Entry donation of £10 per person by BACs (details on form) or cash (in a marked envelope) to the school office please raising funds for The Friends of Ugborough Primary and other Ugborough charities.

If you have any questions or need further information, feel free to reach out. Let the countdown to the Safari Supper expedition begin!

Safari HQ

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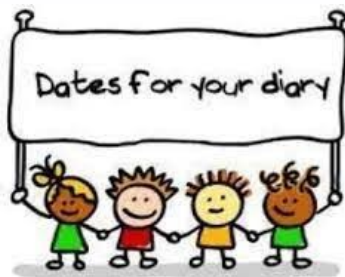
St Peter's would like to invite you to join us for the first Messy Church of 2024, this Sunday Jan 28th 4:30 - 6.00. Music, Story, Craft and ... a Party Tea! Please just come along, children of all ages and their families very welcome .



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Date	Event
Mon 12th—19th inc Feb	Half Term
Tue 20th Feb	First Day Back
Thurs 7th March	World Book Day. Mufti—dress up as a favourite book character
Thurs 14th March	Year 1—6 Paignton Zoo trip
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
Weds 4th Sept 2024	Return to school
Monday 28th Oct - Fri 1st Nov 2024	Half Term
Monday 4th Oct 24	Return to school



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