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SOUTH DARLEY C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



Celebrating Our Week

Friday 17th September 2021

Infants— Looking back at last week

Infants have been doing amazing work with counting this week. We have written and illustrated our own stories based on Tony Ross' 'Oscar Got The Blame' and enjoyed sharing them at our book club. We have found out information about our monarchs. Do you know which monarch was the first to have a pilot's licence or who made wearing knickers fashionable?...as an infant! Reception have planned some fantastic stories of "A bear in the classroom" and enjoyed acting out their stories. In maths they have enjoyed singing and acting out number rhymes and have been very active jumping on number lines recognising numbers to 10.

Infants—Looking forward to next week

We will be reading two lovely fantasy adventure books by Alexis Deacon, focusing on the theme of friendship, which fits nicely with our RE work for the week where we will continue to look at people who are special. We are going to look at some portraits of Her Majesty the Queen and try collaging our own. Reception will be looking at differences and similarities between "Handa's surprise" and "Handa's Hen's" and looking at the differences and similarities between the two tales.

Lower Juniors looking back at last week

Y3/4 have been creating play scripts in groups during their English lesson. In Maths, we have continued to work on place value investigating counting backwards and forwards in different patterns. In Topic, we have been exploring the life of Queen Victoria.

Lower Juniors looking forward to next week

Y3/4 are going to explore rounding, negative numbers and roman numerals in Maths. In Science, we are going to write up our investigation about friction. In Spanish, we will recap saying 'I like...' and 'I do not like...'. We will read a few more chapters of The Firework Makers Daughter to see if Chulak and Hamlet find Lila. We will be acting out our play scripts and will move onto setting descriptions of the Victorian workhouse in Street Child in addition to learning more about Queen Victoria.

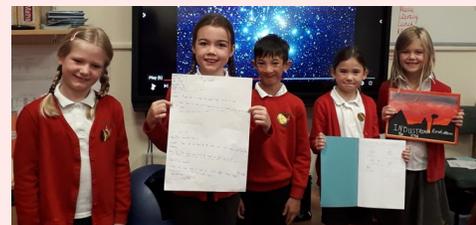
Upper Juniors looking back at last week

We have been writing scripts based on 'Street Child'. The children have really enjoyed performing them and did a great job! We continued our work on forces in Science by finding out about the discovery of gravity and the difference and relationship between weight and mass. In Computing, we have been using our flipbook pictures to make animations and we have been using our photography skills in Art to produce work in the style of the local artist Joseph Wright of Derby.

Upper Juniors looking forward to next week

Next week we will be finding out more about life in the workhouse and using this to inspire narrative writing in Literacy. We will be finishing off our Place Value topic in Maths and starting our next unit which is Addition and Subtraction. As part of our Science, we will be experimenting to see which materials are the best for use in parachutes and we will continue our work in Art by drawing our special objects using different mediums.

Best Work of the Week was awarded to Maisie, Garin, Orla, Nicholas, Elsie, Rupert, Belle, Freya, Kyle, Thomas, Denna, Tamsin, Ellie and Emily



House Points

Haddon - 151

Riber— 151

Chatsworth—132

House Points Prize Winners—
Lucas and Belle

What's on next week

Mon 20th	
Tues 21st	Individual Violin Lessons
Weds 22nd	Y3/4 PE. Please come dressed in PE kits Juniors Primary Sports Evening 3:45pm Highfields Lumsdale—please see Parentpay for further details Y5/6 Swimming starts
Thurs 23rd	Y5/6 Mini-soccer competition Cavendish Fields 10 –3 Please bring packed lunch and drink. Selected pupils only
Fri 24th	Juniors music lessons. Infants and Y5/6 PE. Please come dressed in PE kits



Sports Fixtures and Results



PE Stars of the Week

**William M
& Isabela**

**Paddy &
Edie**

Olivia



Return to our family services and celebration assemblies in church

After months of zoom worship Reverend Stephen Monk was finally able to deliver family service in church, welcoming our new starters into the South Darley family.

