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This Week in Cotswold Class...

This week in Cotswold Class, we have been extremely busy! In our English lessons, we have been creating our own stories inspired by the BFG. We particularly enjoyed inventing our own new 'gobblefunk' words and using them creatively in our writing.



In Maths, we have continued our learning about measurement, focusing on converting between different units and finding the perimeter of a range of shapes. In Science, we explored different materials and investigated what makes some materials magnetic.



Our Art lessons challenged us to mix the three primary colours to create 100 different tints and shades, which required lots of patience and creativity. In History, Miss Aucock has been leading exciting lessons (virtually) using her travel photographs and videos to teach us about the Mayan Civilisation. This learning will continue next week when we visit Cadbury World to find out even more about the Mayans.



★ COMING UP... ★

Monday -Guitar Club / Multiskills
Tuesday -Mindful Colouring
Wednesday - Music Ensemble / Art Club
Thursday - KS2 Trip to Cadbury World / Drama Club / Story Explorers
Friday - Non-Uniform Day (wear red) / Forest church / Golden Tickets

Wear it Red - Non-uniform Day Supporting Air Ambulance.

On Friday 13th come to school wearing red - you can go all out and wear all red or just wear a hint of red (a headband, socks or shoes!)

Arthur and Amelie will be at the gate with a red bucket to collect your £1 donations.



Forest Church

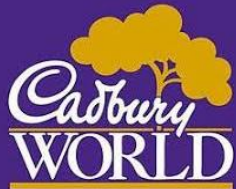
Next Friday (13th) we have Forest Church so there will be no Celebration assembly.

KS2 will bring their Forest School kit in a bag and wear their non-uniform - make it red!

KS1 will bring their wellies in a bag and wear their non-uniform - make it red!

KS2 Trip Thursday

REMINDER



Wear school uniform & waterproof jacket.
Packed lunch in ruck-sack.
Max £5.00 spending money.
Coach returns at approximately 4pm.

Year 5 Young Voices Group to Cedar Lodge



The children were amazing – they were so engaging and enthusiastic! Their repertoire included some Young Voices songs as well some of our favourite Fischy music songs. The children treated everyone with kindness and respect and were able to bring a whole lot of joy to the residents! We even managed to impress a retired musical director who now lives at Cedar Lodge.

Thank you to Mrs Newton for accompanying the children and Mrs Nicol.

ECO CHALLENGE

ECO

This week, make sure that all your waste is disposed of in the right way – recycling in your green recycling bin, landfill in your black bin and garden waste to brown bins. Maybe try to reduce the amount of waste going to landfill.

Is there a different way that you can shop to reduce black bin waste?



WORLD BOOK DAY

ADVANCE NOTICE

Come to school in your pyjamas / lounge clothes or as your favourite book character and bring a teddy, a blanket and your favourite book.



FREE FAMILY CYCLE DAY



INVITE ALL YOUR FAMILY

THURSDAY 19TH FEBRUARY
10:00 - 14:00

NO BOOKING NEEDED – JUST TURN UP WITH YOUR BIKES, HELMETS, AND A SENSE OF ADVENTURE.

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N.B. THIS IS A FAMILY EVENT & NOT FOR COMPETITIVE RACING

GOLDEN TICKETS NEXT FRIDAY!

Don't forget to order chocolate bars with the PTA. Great prizes to be won!



Thought of the Week

"Our bookend generations - our youngest and our oldest - hold our civil societies together. After all, with no history (our elders) and no future (our young), we lose our hope for today."

Music of the Week

This week we listened to some traditional Indian music because Miss Aucock has finished her South American adventure and has started her Indian adventure. [Nina Burmi | Mishra Bhairavi Thumri | Indian Classical Music](#)

AWARDS

Birthdays

This week we celebrate the birthdays of Martha, Ariella, Noah S-T, Mollie, Ivy & George

Father God, today we celebrate the birthdays of Martha, Ariella, Noah, Mollie, Ivy & George and we say thank you that they are part of our school family. We pray that they may grow in wisdom and grace; give dignity and respect to others and that they may know your hope and joy every day. Strengthen and bless them on their birthdays and every day throughout the next year.

Amen.

DIARY DATES 2026



KS2 to Cadbury World... Thursday 12th February
Non-Uniform Day (Wear Red)..... 13th February
HALF TERM 16th – 20th February
SEND Tea and Talk.....Wednesday 4th March
World Book Day (Wear pjs)...Thursday 5th March
Parents' evening.....24th & 25th March
Extra Cornet lessonWed. 25th March
Easter service in church.....Friday 27th March
TERM ENDS.....Friday 27th March

Science Star of the Month

Reception – Payton
Year Two – Leia
Year Four – Ariella

Year One - Ayda
Year Three - Jonah
Year Five - Bashir

Stars of the Week

Avon – Poppy
Malvern - Esme
Cotswold – Anjuna
Severn – Myles

Golden Apples

Avon – Molly M
Cotswold – Claudia
Severn – Elsie

PTA DIARY DATES



Golden TicketFriday 13th February
Non-uniform day (bottle)..... Friday 13th March
Movie Night...(5-6.45pm)Friday 13th March
Easter Raffle.....Friday 20th March
Non-uniform day (rainbow)..... Friday 17th April
Non-uniform day (jar)..... Friday 8th May

Attendance



Avon – 95.8% Malvern – 99.5%
Cotswold – 95.2%
Severn – 97.1%
Overall – 96.6%

Housepoints



1st - Rubies – 87
2nd - Sapphires – 83
3rd - Emeralds – 78