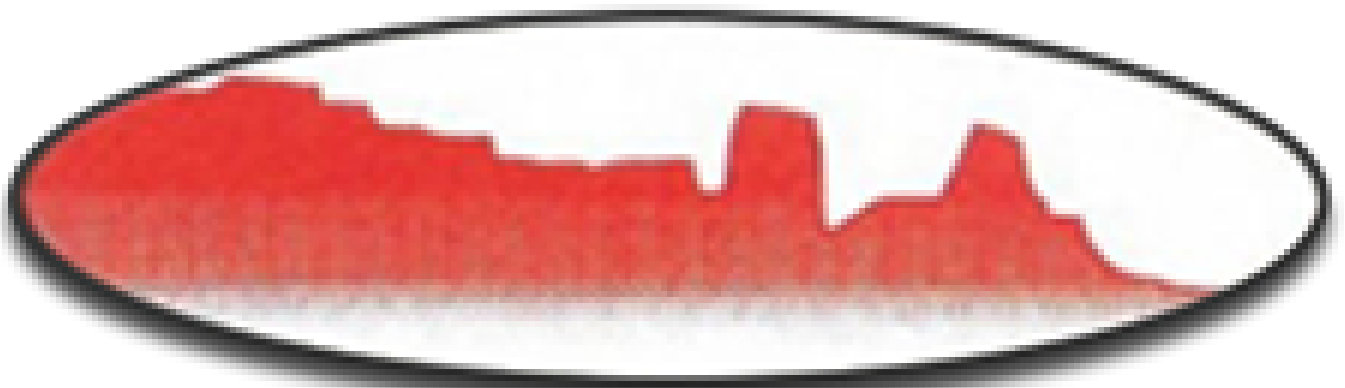


Kirkby & Great Broughton CE School

Friday 23rd September 2022



Democracy at Kirkby and Great Broughton

This week our school have learned more about democracy. Even though a planned visit to school from a parliament representative had to be postponed due to the Queen's funeral, we have still been able to put democracy in action.

The children in school have voted for Team Captains and the lead school councillors from Year 6.

Every single Year 6 who put themselves forward, stood up in front of the school to make their speech should be very proud, as we are, of their commitment and attitude.

Congratulations to Tristan and Charis who became our School Councillors and to Charlotte, William, Ava, Sophie, Sophia and Anya who were voted as team captains.



Next week there will be the opportunity for children from Y2-6 to put themselves forward to be in our school council which we hope this year will achieve great things

A message from our Year 6 School Council Representatives

Hello, this is Charis and Tristan here, the new school council for this year. We just want to tell you that everything is going well and all the younger children are making friends. Everybody is having fun with at playtime with the play trolley out and the reading shed. The both of us hope that the school will flourish and we will help make the school do that.

Remarkable Readers and Success at the Show

The school had great success at the Stokesley Show at the weekend. We received prizes in every class and had fun too! It was also wonderful to be able to present nearly half the school with a certificate celebrating their achievements in reading. The challenge was for children to read six books over the summer!

This year's theme, Gadgeteers, was all about science and making children aware of the great inventions we use every day in all aspects of our lives.



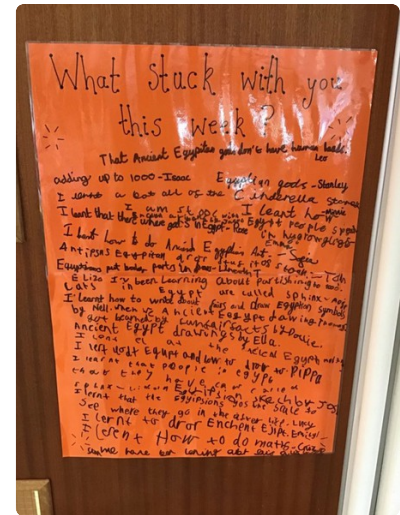
Lots of Learning across the school

Children are busy across school with new topics and new learning. In English, Year 1 have been enjoying the book 'It's My Birthday' and finished it off nicely baking a birthday cake. They each helped to mix ingredients, remembering what they needed from the book, before later tasting the finished product!



Year 1 work on their cooking skills!

Across the school we are working on 'learning more and remembering more'. Each week, Class 3 reflect on their learning by recapping the knowledge that has 'stuck'. Here is last week's 'sticky knowledge'.



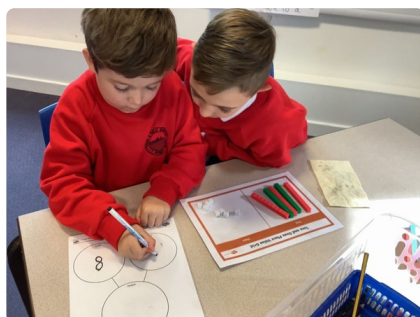
Developing their craft and design skills, and as part of learning about Ancient Egypt, year4/5's have been making paper this week in art to create Egyptian scrolls.



Year Six are enjoying their new learning this year, and have particularly shown skill in their hockey lessons.



We love learning practically across the school and in mathematics this is really important. Here year 2 are showing off their skills in partitioning and visualising numbers in different ways.



Phonics workshops

All parents in classes 1 and 2 have been invited to phonics workshops over the last 2 weeks. Phonics is so important and is how we teach reading so thank you to those parents who have been able to attend. This means we can all work together to teach reading the same way. If you were unable to attend, please do look at the link below which is information about how we teach phonics through the Little Wandle Programme.



For parents

Reading books with your child video arriving here soon. Supporting your child with reading Although your child will be taught to read at school, you can have a huge impact on their reading journey by continuing their practice at home. There are two types of reading book that your child may bring home: A reading practice book.

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Parent Forum

As per my previous letter, we are looking forward to welcome as many of you as possible to our first Parents' Forum of the year at 9am on Wednesday in school. If you are unsure about what a Parent Forum is these are the main aims:

- To foster an active partnership between home and school
- To improve communication
- To act as a 'sounding board'
- To suggest whole school improvements
- To gather feedback
- To gather information from the wider school community and to represent the voice of parents

We will circulate the minutes form the meeting for those who can not attend.

Dates for Diaries

October 5th 9.15 Year 3 Bible Service in school (Year 3 parents welcome)

October 19th 11am Harvest Service in church- all welcome

2nd November Parents' meetings (face to face). Alternative telephone conversations will be available

12th December Key Stage 1 Nativity (afternoon- times TBC)

14th December 11am Christmas service in church (all welcome)

Christmas dinner for children

15th December Y3-6 Christmas Party

16th December YR,1 and 2 Christmas Party

Captain Cook Day of Sail

The annual boat race to mark the birthday of Capt Cook will take place on Weds 26th October. If you wish to enter please see the attached entry form.

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Entry form

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